

## 2022 AFCA<sup>®</sup> CONVENTION **AFFILIATE EVENT REQUEST (SEE CRITERIA PAGE 2)** AGILSTRAP@AFCA.COM EMAIL:

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Event Name:						
Event Day/Date:			Start Time:		Endam Time:pm	
Type of Event:	Private Function	Open Event	Ticko Require			
THE FOLLOWING INFO	ORMATION IS VITAL IN [	DETERMINING ROO	<u> M SIZE:</u>			
Number of Attendees:						
Room Set:	Theater			Reception	Classroom	
	U-Shape	Hollow Square		Conference	Other	
Will you require any of the second seco	n <b>e following?</b> Head Table?	Yes	No	If so, how many?		
	Catering?	Yes	No	If yes, see "Room Charge	e" paragraph.	
	Riser/Stage	Yes	No	If yes, see "Stage" parag	raph.	
	Audio/Visual?	Yes	No	If yes, see "Audio/Visual"	' paragraph.	
	Other?	Yes	No	If yes, attach details to th	is form.	

Room Charge – The American Football Coaches Association will endeavor to provide meeting space to your group at no charge. If this is not possible, we will advise you in advance and you can work directly with the facilities where the convention events are being held to secure meeting space for your group. Should the space be complimentary, all additional charges, including, but not limited to catering, decorating, audio/visual, etc, will be billed directly to the contact name listed below by the facility or vendor utilized. We remind you to include these extra expenses in your meeting budget.

Stage - If staging is requested, the AFCA must be provided with a diagram of the room at least 45 days prior to the opening day of the convention. Since meeting space is utilized for many different events, staging can interfere with meetings prior to or subsequent to, your event. Additional time to set up or dismantle staging must be allowed for such events. Also, additional staging or extensive audio/visual needs may require a larger meeting room. All staging is subject to venue's inventory.

Audio/Visual - The AFCA does not provide any audio/visual equipment or services for affiliate groups. You will be provided with information on the A/V Company in-house at the hotel or facility where your meeting is scheduled.

Would y	ou like	your event	to appear	on the	electronic	reader boards?
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	Contact Name				 
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	Contact Address	S			 _
	Contact Phone N	Number		Contact e-mail	

Please return all pages of Event Request

#### **Requirements:**

- Be an approved and paid exhibitor, or
- Be an approved convention sponsor

#### **Event Guidelines:**

Affiliate events <u>must not</u> interfere with scheduled AFCA Convention Events or AFCA Formal Education Programming. AFCA Formal Education hours are:

Sunday, January 9, 2022	8:00 a.m. – 5:50 p.m.
Monday, January 10, 2022	8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday, January 11, 2022	8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Affiliate events may be hosted during the following time:

Sunday, January 9, 2022	Before 8:00 a.m.; 5:30 p.m. to midnight
Monday, January 10, 2022	Before 8:00 a.m.; 5:00 p.m. to midnight
Tuesday, January 11, 2022	Before 8:00 a.m.; 2:00 p.m. to midnight

• Affiliate events are not meant to be an extension of the exhibit space, meaning that they may not be used to demonstrate a product, take orders, or otherwise do business that is meant to be contained within the exhibit hall.

#### Event Meeting Space:

- The AFCA negotiates meeting space at various hotels for our affiliate events. At this time, the rooms are available to our affiliates free of a room rental charge. When requesting space, note your expected attendance and room set on the Affiliate Event Request Form. Do not contact the hotel directly as all Affiliate events must be approved by the AFCA.
- Meeting space is reserved on a first come, first served basis; based on availability.

#### Catering:

 All catering for your event will be ordered through the venue and is at your own expense. Once we have secured your space, we will send you the catering contact information.

#### Audio/Visual:

• All audio/visual requirements for your event will be ordered through the venue and is at your own expense. Once we have secured your space, we will send you the appropriate contact information.

#### Decorating/Furniture:

• All decorating and furniture requirements for your event will be ordered through a designated provider and is at your own expense. Once we have secured your space, we will send you the appropriate contact information.

#### Convention Program/Reader Board/Mobile App:

- No affiliate events will be printed in the official AFCA Convention Program unless otherwise agreed upon through sponsorship contract.
- All affiliate events will appear on electronic reader boards. You will have the right to decline this option on the Affiliate Event Request Form.
- All affiliate events will appear on the convention mobile app. You will have the right to decline this option on the Affiliate Event Request Form.

#### **Terms and Conditions**

- By submitting a request to use meeting space or by otherwise hosting any [Extension Organization business meeting or Extension Organization social event / Affiliate event] at the Convention, you acknowledge that your use of any space authorized by the AFCA is subject to the AFCA's right to license, market, direct, control, attend, and monitor such event. Specifically, the AFCA has the right to coordinate sponsorship, marketing, presentations and programming, subject to mutually agreeable space and time limitations, at your event.
- The AFCA's right to direct and coordinate such sponsorships, marketing, and presentations shall in no way be limited by any existing agreements you may have with any third party sponsor, supplier, vendor, or other entity or business, and you agree that you will not make any claim or allegation that any of the AFCA's actions in directing or coordinating any such matter violates any pre-existing duty or obligation you have to any third party.
- By hosting any [Extension Organization business meeting or Extension Organization social event / Affiliate events] at the Convention, you specifically agree that you will abide by all rules, guidance, and direction provided by the AFCA and its personnel and representatives, whether orally or in writing, as and when given to you. Your use of space at the Convention to host your event will not in any way limit the AFCA's rights with respect to the event space, provided that the AFCA will use good faith efforts to restrict unreasonable or unnecessary interruptions to your event.
- [Extension Organization / Affiliate] will defend, indemnify and hold harmless the AFCA and its affiliates and their officers, directors, employees, shareholders, partners, members, customers, agents, successors and assigns from and against any and all losses, damages, claims, causes of action, and expenses associated therewith (including without limitation reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of court) of any type sustained or incurred by the AFCA by reason of, relating to, or otherwise arising in connection with the AFCA's direction or coordination of sponsorships, marketing and presentations for the [Extension Organization business meeting or Extension Organization social event / affiliate event].

### Signature

Date

Signing this form <u>does not commit you</u> or your group to host an event. It simply allows the AFCA staff to include your tentative event in its preliminary planning. In September, you will receive information on the meeting space available for your event, a list of contacts for the facility assigned to your event, and other pertinent information. At that time, you will be asked to commit to hosting the event.