



AWIA



ANNUAL CONVENTION AND TRADE SHOW

JUNE 9 – 11, 2026

Hosted in Cody Wyoming – The Gateway to Yellowstone

HOLIDAY INN AND CONVENTION CENTER

1701 SHERIDAN AVE, CODY, WY

Hotel and Convention Registration Information

We invite you to join the Association of Wyoming Insurance Agents (AWIA) in Cody, WY, the gateway to Yellowstone National Park, as we gather for a few days of education, networking and business. Designed to be family friendly, we've structured this convention week with opportunities for you and your family to explore this amazing part of our state. Hotel information can be found below, followed by our agenda and information on our recreational activities, Convention registration forms are found on the last two pages of this document.

Hotel Information

Reservations may be made by contacting any of the following hotels directly. Room reservations are subject to availability but a negotiated rate is still available. To obtain our convention rate, you must use the corresponding hotel code below when booking rooms.

Our negotiated rates are not available via the website or by calling hotel's toll-free number. YOU MUST CALL THE HOTEL DIRECTLY AND USE THE CORRESPONDING CODE LISTED BELOW. By using these codes, you receive a reduced rate for the hotel room and may cancel your reservation up to 72 hours prior to arrival. Rooms booked online generally cannot be canceled without charge. Please confirm the cancellation policy when making your reservations.

Convention and Trade Show will be held in the Holiday Inn Convention Center. These hotels are located in the same complex and are within a short and easy walking distance of the convention center.

HOLIDAY INN (1-4 persons) - **\$219.00/night**

For reservations, call 307-587-5555. Please reference: **“ZWP-AWIA Annual Convention & Trade Show”**

COMFORT INN (1-4 persons) - **\$219.00/night** (deluxe continental breakfast included)

For reservations, call 307-587-5556. Please reference: **“AWIA Annual Convention and Trade Show”**

BUFFALO BILL VILLAGE - **\$174.00/night Single Cabin** (1-4 persons)
- **\$194.00/night Two Room Cabin** (1 – 8 persons)

For reservations, call 307-587-5544. Please reference: **“AWIA Annual Convention & Trade Show”**

These excellent room rates are good from 6/8/26 to 6/12/26. Rates do not include tax of 11% (subject to legislative change) and are NOT available through the hotel's toll-free number or website. Please ask about the hotel's cancellation policy when making reservations.

Contact AWIA at 307-201-4801 or email at awia-wy@outlook.com with any questions.

AWIA Federal ID #83 0313900

CONVENTION REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MAY 27, 2026



2024 AWIA Annual Convention and Trade Show
Holiday Inn Convention Center
Cody, WY
June 9- 11, 2025



TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Subject to Change

Tuesday, June 9 Holiday Inn Conference Center

- PM** 1:00 pm –2:00 pm Ethics in Insurance Account Management
 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm Commercial Property: Basics and Issues

Instructor: Rhonda Smith, CIC, CRM, ERIS, CISR, Senior Commercial Lines Account Manager with Gallegher.

- 5:00 **Depart for Cody Cattle Company**
 6:00 – 9:00 **The Risky Business Feast at the Cody Cattle Company**
 6:00 pm Dinner
 7:00 pm Show
 8:00 pm Rodeo

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10 HOLIDAY INN CONFERENCE CENTER

- AM GOLF: AWIA Annual Golf Tournament**
 TBD am – Golfers gather in Holiday Inn Lobby to head to the Golf Course
 TEE TIME: TBD

- AM NON-GOLF OUTING**
- **Whitewater Rafting Red Rock and Lower Canyon**
 - **Buffalo Bill Museum of the West Exclusive Behind the Scenes Tour & Lunch**

- PM**
- 5:00 - 8:00 pm **AWIA TRADE SHOW AND RECEPTION – Holiday Inn Conference Center**
 7:45 pm – **Don Tegeler Memorial Industry Person of the Year Award**
 8:00 pm – 10:00 pm – *Fun & Games*

THURSDAY, JUNE 11 HOLIDAY INN CONFERENCE CENTER

- AM**
- 8:00 – 10:30 **Breakfast with Commissioner**
Speaker: Jeffrey Rude, WY Insurance Commissioner
 Includes **2 Hrs. WY CE**
- 10:30 – 11:00 **Break**
- 11:00 –11:30 Senator Cale Case, Chairman, Senate Corporations Committee
 11:30 – 12:00 *Speaker To be determined*

- PM**
- 12:00 – 1: 30 **Luncheon**
 12: 30 pm Awards Presentation
 12:45 pm **AWIA Membership Meeting**
- 2:00 **AWIA Board Meeting**
 PRI Board Meeting

Thank you for coming!

2026 AWIA Convention Golf

Tournament TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM



DATE: June 10, 2026

TIME: Registration at 8:00 AM. T-times start at 10:00 AM

PLACE: To be determined

ENTRY FEE: \$100.00 per player (includes: green fees, cart & box lunch). Payment due no later than May 27, 2026. ___ Invoice requested. Send Check to AWIA, PO Box 878, Mills, WY 82644

CONTACT:

Amy Hendrickson
M: 307.441.7789
O: 307.201.4801

Format: Tournament will be played in a 4-person scramble format with a shotgun start. If you do not enter a team list, you will be placed with a team.

Handicap: Please submit your handicap or approx. score for 18-holes (to ensure teams are evenly matched)

Mailing Address:

AWIA
PO Box 878
Mills, WY 82644
307.201.4801

Send entry forms to mailing address or email forms to awia-wy@outlook.com

ENTRY FORM:

NAME _____

Agency or Company _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Handicap or SCORE FOR 18-HOLES: _____

List Additional Team Members if sponsoring the team:

Player 2 Name: _____ HDCP _____

Agency or Company _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Player 3 Name: _____ HDCP _____

Agency or Company _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Player 4 Name: _____ HDCP _____

Agency or Company _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Questions?

Call 307-201-4801

Goody bag items are welcome if you have them!

We anticipate 16-20 players.

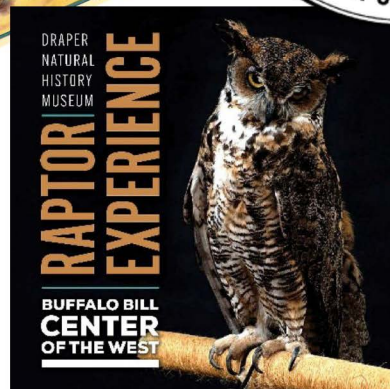
BUFFALO BILL CENTER OF THE WEST BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR & LUNCH

Wednesday, June 10, 2026

INFORMATION SHEET

Experience the spirit of the West like never before at the Buffalo Bill Center of the West where five incredible museums and a world-class research library come together under one roof. Step into living history as you explore the vibrant cultures of the Plains Indians, the grit and glory of cowboys and cowgirls, and the breathtaking beauty of Western art, past and present. This special tour provides a hands-on experience of two of these museums, including the Cody Firearms Museum, and an opportunity to meet the live raptors of the Draper Museum Raptor Experience.

FEE: \$50.00, includes Exclusive Behind-the-Scenes Tour of 2 of the Center's Museums & Lunch. Please complete the Activities Sign up Form below and email to awia-wy@outlook.com.





Whitewater Rafting Red Rock and Lower Canyon Wednesday, June 10, 2026



INFORMATION SHEET

Join us for a fun and exciting whitewater rafting trip down the Shoshone River. Guided by Wyoming River Trips (WRT), the trip will take you through both the historic Red Rock Canyon and the gorgeous and geologically unique Lower Shoshone Canyon. While the entire river corridor offers beautiful scenery, the Red Rock Canyon is unlike anything else in the area, and should not be missed. Be sure to experience this Wyoming gem while in Cody!

WRT has been guiding commercial river trips on the Shoshone River since 1978, making it Cody's oldest established river outfitter. With exclusive access to the Red Canyon via their private put-in, it is only a 5 minute drive from their office.

FEE: \$75.00, including Lunch, Whitewater Rafting Trip, taxes & gratuities. Lunch will be provided.

Complete Separate Activities Signup Sheet & email it to awja-wr@outlook.com. This activity may be cancelled if not enough participants sign up. Payment is not due until it is determined the event will take place. The decision will be made by May 15. At that time, an invoice will be provided to you.

Important Information

This raft trip covers approximately 12 river miles and lasts **2 to 3 hours on the water, dependent on river flow.**

Whitewater Classification: WFT rates the section of river as **Class I-II (III*) depending on water levels.** This rating means that they feel this raft trip provides a great all-around river experience, great for a wide range of fitness, ability, and experience levels.

Requirements and Restrictions: WFT believes in providing rafting adventures that suite a wide range of individuals. **However, to ride in a raft youth must be at least 5 years old and 50 lbs in weight and adults not to exceed a chest size of more than 56 inches.** Please email or call if you have further questions about eligibility for either activity.

What to Wear: Whitewater means wet! WRT suggests dressing in non-cotton layers starting with non-cotton underwear or a bathing suit (helps to keep your warm while cotton tends to cool you through evapotranspiration), non-cotton shorts or pants, and non-cotton t-shirt. Add a long sleeve shirt.

During the trip, if fewer layers are needed, that's easy! Just take off your long pants or long sleeve shirt. If you need more layers, WRT will provide splash tops and bottoms. The layers you have on already will help trap your body heat.

Trip times are subject to change depending on water levels/flow, group size, and ability. WRT works diligently to keep trips on schedule. We will arrive early for departure. Also, please account for extra time after the raft trip for changing, photos and merchandise purchases, etc.



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Recreational Activities
Wednesday, June 10, 2026

SIGN UP FORM

Name: _____

Agency/Company: _____

CHOOSE ONE ACTIVITY PER FORM

For information on the Recreational Activities being offered, please see the information sheets provided.

____ **White Water Rafting** Number attending: ____ *for additional attendees, provide names below.*

FEE: \$75.00, including lunch. *I have read the information form & understand that there are requirements and restrictions related to this recreational activity.*

____ **Museum Tour** Number attending: ____ *for additional attendees, provide names below.*

FEE: \$50.00, includes "Behind the Scenes" tour & lunch. *Raptor experience optional*

You will be invoiced. Please provide your email address and you will be invoiced.
The invoice can be paid with a credit card, or a check can be mailed.

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

Phone number: _____

Have family, friends, or colleagues you want to bring along? Please provide their names.

Name: _____ Age (if under 18) _____

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Add other names, as necessary.