



2025 *annual* SUMMER MEETING



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**JULY 25-26
CHATEAU ON THE LAKE
BRANSON MO**



Summer Meeting Schedule

FRIDAY, JULY 25

9:00am-9:00pm REGISTRATION

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

(All members are welcome to attend meetings)

10:00am-11:00am EDUCATION & TECHNICAL SERVICES
Charged with the educational development of forestry, logging, and industry operations as well as developing technical resources to assist our members.

11:15am-12:30pm FOREST HEALTH COMMITTEE
Advocates utilizing sound forest management practices to address declining forest health on publicly owned forest land to ensure long term health and sustainability of the forest resource.

12:30pm-1:30pm MFP POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE
Financially supports legislative candidates and causes that are beneficial to industry interests. The association maintains its reputation for being effective with the Missouri General Assembly and other government regulatory agencies.

1:30pm-2:30pm GOVERNMENTAL & PUBLIC AFFAIRS
Responsible for the Association's position paper, Missouri General Assembly lobby work, U.S. Congress lobby work, state and federal regulatory compliance programs, public policy, tours, Legislative Day at the Capitol, and media relations. The committee also works closely with the Missouri Forest Products Political Action Committee, an independent state PAC that distributes and raises funds to support elected officials.

3:00pm-5:00pm MFPA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SATURDAY, JULY 26

6:00am-8:00am COMPLIMENTARY HOTEL BREAKFAST

6:45am-7:45am MISSOURI LOGGING COUNCIL BUSINESS MEETING

Purpose is to provide a "strength in numbers" voice to loggers in Missouri. The timber industry plays a major role in Missouri's economy, and Missouri's loggers are a critical component in the forest to finished product process. The MLC is intended to create a forum for logger issues and provide an opportunity for its members to use this network of combined knowledge to better themselves and the industry.

8:00am-12:30pm GENERAL EDUCATION SESSION

12:30pm LUNCH GRAB & GO

1:00pm LOG A LOAD FOR KIDS GOLF SCRAMBLE OR ON YOUR OWN TO ENJOY BRANSON!

6:00pm MEMBERSHIP MEETING RECEPTION

6:30pm MEMBERSHIP MEETING DINNER
Association news, board member recognition, and the Missouri State Logger Award. Missouri Department of Conservation will present the Missouri State Logger of the Year Award recognizing Professional Timber Harvester Trained Missouri loggers who are practicing sustainable forest management, have good forest product utilization, and are implementing Best Management Practices. We will also hold our fundraiser raffles and auctions for PAC and Log A Load!

Join us Friday evening for our Associate Member Exhibition and Welcome Reception BBQ from 5:30-9:30pm. MFPA Associate Members will display their products and services at the Welcome Reception. MFPA strives to publicize all businesses among the association and encourages business between members. We believe having Associate Members display their services at the Summer Meeting will make members aware of the business opportunities that exist within MFPA membership. While visiting with our Associate Members be sure to fill up on BBQ!

Summer Meeting Fundraising

Live Auction. The Saturday evening Member Dinner includes two live auctions benefiting the MFP Political Action Committee and Log A Load for Kids. MFP PAC was established to compliment the association's legislative programs. The purpose is to financially support candidates and causes that are beneficial to industry interests. The auction held at the summer meeting is a big fund raiser for the committee.



Log A Load for Kids is MFPA's charity where loggers and wood products businesses donate the value of a load of logs, or any amount, to a nearby Children's Miracle Network affiliated hospital to be used in treating ill and injured children. MFPA holds fundraising events to supplement donations to the hospitals. We will auction off items at the Summer Meeting whose proceeds will benefit Log A Load for Kids. Look for items to be advertised! Paintings created by the children at University of Missouri Children's Hospital will be at the auction again this year!

Silent Auction. We would like to invite you to donate an item that values for \$100 or more to be auctioned off to members at the Saturday evening MFPA Membership Meeting at the 2025 Summer Meeting. The proceeds raised during the raffles can be contributed to the Missouri Forest Products Political Action Committee, to Log A Load for Kids, or split evenly between the two charities - you decide. Items will be clearly labeled with a sign indicating its donor and donors will be announced during the auction. Contact Laura, Melissa, or Chris with the item you would like to donate. Call 573-634-3252 or email laura@moforest.org, melissa@moforest.org, chris@moforest.org.

Summer Meeting Hotel Reservations

CHATEAU ON THE LAKE

415 N STATE HWY 265 * BRANSON MO

Reservations are made directly with the hotel

Room rate \$192.00

 **RESERVATION LINK** 

[HTTP://BOOKINGS.IHOTELIER.COM/BOOKINGS.JSP?GROUPID=3964531&HOTELID=11529](http://bookings.ihotelier.com/bookings.jsp?GROUPID=3964531&HOTELID=11529)

PHONE: 888-333-5253

GROUP RATE RELEASE DATE: TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2025 - PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY ROOMS NOT BOOKED PRIOR TO THE RELEASE DATE WILL BE RELEASED TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Summer Meeting Sponsor Opportunities

**Support your association by sponsoring a meeting or event.
The Summer Meeting would not be possible without your sponsorships.**

(Get your sponsorships in early to be recognized in the Summer Meeting Agenda)

FRIDAY

Committee Meeting Refreshments/Lunch	
Forest Health	___ \$200
Education & Technical Services	___ \$200
Governmental Affairs	___ \$200
MFP PAC	___ \$200
Board of Directors Meeting Refreshments	___ \$200
Co-Sponsors \$200 each	

SATURDAY

Missouri Logging Council Board and General Membership Meeting	
Co-Sponsors \$200 each	___ \$200
General Education Session Breaks	
Co-Sponsors \$250 each	___ \$250
Lunch Sandwich Bar Exclusive Sponsor	___ \$1800
Co-Sponsors \$300 each	___ \$300

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

Return form to MFPA by mail:

505 East State Street, Jefferson City, MO 65101

Fax: 573-636-2591 Email: laura@moforest.org Call: 573-634-3252

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

2025 Summer Meeting MFPA Associate Members Exhibition

Calling all MFPA Associate Members, join us at the Summer Meeting July 25-26th and participate in the annual MFPA Associate Members Exhibition!! MFPA is preparing this event to be held during the Summer Meeting that will benefit all members. During the Welcome Reception and BBQ, exhibit booths will be available for Associate Members to display and promote their services to fellow Industry and Logging Members who utilize their services and equipment.

MFPA Associate Members Exhibit Registration Friday, July 25th

Each exhibit booth includes a 30"x6' table and two chairs

Exhibit fees: \$75.00

Exhibitor set up: Friday 4:00pm

Exhibit times: Friday 5:30pm - 9:30pm

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Payment Method:

Check payable to Missouri Forest Products Association

Credit Card Mastercard Visa

Card Number _____

Exp Date _____ **Zip Code** _____

Name on Card _____

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Questions? Call 573-634-3252

Let's Play Golf!



Log A Load for Kids Golf Tournament . July 26th . Pointe Royal

Bring your clubs to the Summer Meeting for a fun afternoon of golf supporting Log A Load for Kids. After the General Education Session, grab lunch and ride over to Pointe Royal for the 4-man scramble golf tournament. Contact the MFPA office, 573-634-3252 laura@moforest.org, to pay your team fee of \$1000, beverage/snack cart included in fee.

Register Today!!

LOG A LOAD FOR KIDS GOLF FUNDRAISER SATURDAY, JULY 26TH - POINTE ROYAL GOLF RESORT

Quantity _____ X \$250 = TOTAL \$ _____

Person(s) Golfing _____



*I can't make the tournament but would like to donate
to Log A Load for Kids Donation \$ _____ = TOTAL \$ _____

SPONSOR THE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Support The Missouri Logging Council by being a sponsor

As a sponsor, we will put up a placard sign in the tee box to advertise your involvement. All golfers will see your company name sponsoring the tournament, supporting the industry, and helping kids. Your sponsorship will also be recognized in newsletters and on the MFPA website.

Company Name _____

Company Contact _____

Payment Method: Check payable to Missouri Forest Products Association

Mastercard Visa Card Number _____

Exp Date _____ Zip Code _____ Name on Card _____

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Log A Load for Kids is the charity MFPA contributes to through sawmills and loggers donating the value of truck loads of logs and various members participating in fund raisers that include skeet shoots and golf tournaments. The Log A Load for Kids Program raises funds for treatment, education, and research associated with children's health and these funds are donated to Children's Miracle Network Hospitals. Join us during the Summer Meeting for the Missouri Logging Council Golf Tournament Fund Raiser on Saturday for Log A Load for Kids!

Sponsor a Hole
\$250 _____

2025 Summer Meeting Registration

Company _____

Employee Name(s) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone (____) _____

Email _____

Company Employee(s) _____ (Quantity)____ X \$375 = \$_____

Fill out this section for families attending multiple Summer Meeting events including Friday Welcome Reception BBQ and Saturday breakfast, lunch, and Membership Reception and Dinner

Spouse/Guest _____ X \$250 = \$_____

Spouse/Guest Name _____

Children 12 years and up _____ X \$85 = \$_____

Children under 12* _____ X \$no charge

***Children under 12 are free for all functions of the MFPA meeting, but please note them on the registration for meal counts and badges.**

Children Names _____

Fill out this section for families attending the Saturday Evening Dinner (not attending any other meeting events)

Spouse/Guest _____ X \$100 = \$_____

Spouse/Guest Name _____

Child age 12 years and up _____ X \$55 = \$_____

Child under 12* _____ X \$no charge

***Children under 12 are free for all functions of the MFPA meeting, but please note them on the registration for meal counts and badges.**

Children Names _____

Total Payment Summary

Registration \$ _____
Spouse Registration \$ _____
Child Registration \$ _____
Log A Load Donation \$ _____
TOTAL \$ _____

Payment Method

Check payable to Missouri Forest Products Association

Credit Card: Mastercard Visa

Card Number _____

Exp Date _____ Zip Code _____

Name on Card _____

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