



2020 Annual Meeting & Convention

October 15/16 Embassy Suites, Omaha, Nebraska

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SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Thursday, October 15

9:00 a.m.	Golf Outing – Shoreline Golf Club
7:00 p.m.	Pre-Game Exhibitor Reception
8:30 p.m.	Game Time – The Music Bingo Guy

Friday, October 16

8:15 a.m.	NCUL 86th Annual Meeting
9:15 a.m.	Exhibitor Time Out #1
10:15 a.m.	Opening Ceremony – Holly Hoffman
11:30 a.m.	Lunch / Exhibitor Time Out # 2
12:15 p.m.	General Session - Chad Richter
1:15 p.m.	Exhibitor Time Out #3 and Prize Drawings
2:15 p.m.	Concurrent General Sessions - Small CU and Koukal & Milone
3:15 p.m.	7th Inning Stretch – Dan Meers
6:00 p.m.	Awards Banquet

CONFERENCE OPTIONS

Participant Package (education sessions/meals/reception/exhibit hall) = \$249

25M and Under (education/meals/reception/exhibit hall) = FREE

Spouse/Guest package (meals/reception/exhibit hall) = \$95

Young Professional (must be a member of the YP group) = \$165

Music Bingo Guy = FREE

Awards Banquet Only = \$75

Golf Outing = \$130 per player



**Conference registration
is available online only at:
www.nebrcul.org**

Thursday

Thursday, 9:00 am

Golf Outing – Shoreline Golf Club

Renew your commitment to credit union advocacy by participating in the Annual Meeting Golf Event at Shoreline Golf Club in Carter Lake. All proceeds go to the Capitol Investment Fund. The CIF was founded in 1998 in an effort to proactively protect, preserve and promote Nebraska credit unions in the legislative and regulatory arenas. Cost to golf is \$130 per person.

Thursday, 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Pre-Game Reception/Exhibit Hall Grand Opening

Looking to refresh your current lineup of services? Want to find innovative products that will help reinvent your credit union? Kick-off the Annual Meeting right by networking with peers and learning about exciting new products and services at the always popular Exhibitor Reception.

Thursday, 8:30 pm – 10:30 pm

The Music Bingo Guy

Elliot Piper (The Music Bingo Guy) brings the bingo cards with songs from the 60s to the mid 2000s. He will play songs for 30-45 seconds. Players find the song on their card and if you get a bingo, you win a prize! Elliott will keep you energized and provide trivia on the artists throughout. Registration required.

Friday

Friday, 8:15am – 9:15 am

86th NCUL Annual Meeting

Be a part of the League's 86th Annual Meeting. You will hear updates on the actions of your association over the past year and insight as to what lies ahead.

Friday, 9:15am – 10:15 am

Time Out #1

Enjoy tasty snacks while visiting with exhibitors.

Friday, 10:15am – 11:30 am

Never Give Up – The Survivor Way

As we survive life's challenges, we come face to face with fear and uncertainty. Challenges may allow us to step out of our comfort zone and push ourselves above and beyond our own self-limitations. It is how we choose to overcome challenges that make us who we are. It is our strength in times of difficulty that proves our character and self-worth. Holly Hoffman, a finalist on Season 21 of CBS' hit reality show "Survivor" shares her experience of being on a reality show and encourages you to think about how you decide to survive on a daily basis. Hoffman shares about six words to develop your survival skills. With these six simple words, you can take on any challenge facing you. Adversity is not so much contending with problems as it is learning more about who you really are and what is inside of you. Join Holly and explore what your true survival skills are.

Presenter: Born and raised in Eureka, South Dakota, **Holly Hoffman** was the last remaining member of the Espada Tribe and the last woman standing on Season 21 of CBS' hit reality show "Survivor Nicaragua". Through that experience, and others throughout her life, Holly was inspired to share her message of positivity, determination and confidence with business leaders, teachers, and students across the nation. An accomplished motivational speaker and the author of *Your Winner Within*, Holly acknowledges that life is made up of challenges, and we are oftentimes faced with situations that seem insurmountable. But within each of us is an ability to focus our thoughts, emotions, and energy to succeed—if only we have the knowledge, tools, and discipline to do so. Holly's writing and speaking not only offer encouragement and optimism but a roadmap for self-discovery and spiritual enlightenment. Her methods—the ones she uses every day in her own life—are intuitive, honest, and adaptable to nearly any situation. Readers and audience members alike walk away inspired to light the fire of successful living within themselves.



Friday, 11:30am – 12:15pm

Lunch and Time Out #2

Enjoy lunch and visit with all the convention exhibitors.

Friday, 12:15pm – 1:15pm

2020 Mid-Year Labor and Employment Law Update

This session will cover what every credit union should know about changes in employment and labor law for 2020. Come find out what to expect moving forward for the rest of the year.

Presenter: **Chad Richter**, office Managing Principal, Jackson Lewis. Mr. Richter's practice is divided into three areas: (1) preventive counseling and training; (2) traditional labor law; and (3) workplace litigation. Regarding Mr. Richter's preventive practice, he routinely provided day-to-day advice and counseling to management on a variety of employment law matters including human resource management, traditional labor relations, employment discrimination, wage and hour, privacy, disability leave management, and reductions in force.

Friday, 1:15pm – 2:15 pm

Time Out #3 and Exhibitor Prize Drawings

Join us for the final showcase where you could walk away a BIG WINNER! Those exhibitors who are drawing for a fabulous prize will do so during this time. Grab a snack and hopefully grab a prize!

Friday, 2:15pm – 3:15 pm

Small CU Roundtable (INVITE ONLY)

This session is geared towards those CUs that are 30M and below. Join us as Tom Sakash dives into the challenges and successes small credit unions have in the financial marketplace.

Presenter: **Tom Sakash** is the Manager of CUNA's Small Credit Union Initiatives. sitting at the national cross-section of both the challenges and opportunities facing small credit unions, Sakash leverages his knowledge of small business, keeping economies local, and the cooperative spirit to form connections as he works to build a culture of collaboration among small credit unions across the country.

Credit Union Procedures During COVID-19

This seminar will cover guidance from the NCUA, State and local authorities, and others about permitted changes to ordinary policies and procedures during the COVID-19 pandemic. Guidance discussed will include fraud schemes, phased approaches to resuming on-site operations, changes to credit union examination programs, handling members and accounts affected by the pandemic, and changes to credit union internal and administrative operations.

Presenters: **David Koukal and Michael Milone**, Koukal and Johnson LLC

David is admitted to practice in Nebraska and Iowa, is a member of the Omaha Bar Association and the Nebraska and Iowa State Bar Associations, and is admitted to practice in the U.S. District Court for the District of Nebraska, the U.S. Bankruptcy Courts of Nebraska and the Northern and Southern Districts of Iowa, and the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eight Circuit.

Michael is a senior associate attorney with Koukal and Johnson, LLC in Omaha. Michael focuses his practice on complex commercial litigation, including: banking and credit union law, collection, repossession, foreclosure, UCC issues, loan servicing, bankruptcy, creditors' rights, fair credit reporting, fair debt collection practices, fraud claims, inter-pleader actions, and indemnity, bond, and surety claims.

Friday, 3:15 pm – 4:30 pm

Take Off the Mask

It's been said that if you ask a man his occupation you will find out how he pays his bills, but if you ask a man his preoccupation then you will discover the passion of his life. Dan Meers has a rather unique occupation. For over 25 years he has paid his bills by working as "KC Wolf" the mascot of the Kansas City Chiefs. However, Dan's preoccupation, what he is truly passionate about is encouraging others to strive for the best in life and to enjoy it each and every step along the way. Dan believes that your life is like a Coin. You can spend it anyway you wish but you will only get to spend it one time, so spend it wisely. During this presentation Dan shares some of the valuable lessons he's learned during his long career as a professional mascot. Whether at home, work or in the community, Dan challenges his audience to live each day to the fullest by wisely investing their lives and not just spending them.

Presenter: **Dan Meers** goes to work each day like many other men, dressed in a suit. The only difference is that instead of wearing a tie with his suit, Dan wears a tail. You see, Dan is a professional mascot. Dan began his career in 1986 at the University of Missouri – Columbia. Dressed as the school mascot, Truman Tiger, it didn't take long for Dan to establish himself as one of the top college mascots in the nation. After finishing second in 1988, Dan was selected the nation's #1 college mascot at the 1989 National Collegiate Mascot Championships. As graduation approached, Dan began to receive offers to use his talents at the professional level. After graduating with honors, Dan decided to trade in his tiger stripes for bird feathers and began his professional career as Fredbird, the mascot for the St. Louis Cardinals baseball team. Although many thought Dan's "bird legs" were a perfect match for his costume in St. Louis, Dan stayed only a short time. He was offered a job in professional football and decided to exchange his bird suit to become a wolf. Today Dan is widely known as KC Wolf, the official mascot of the Kansas City Chiefs. He travels throughout the United States and the world entertaining thousands of people both in and out of costume. Dan is in high demand not only as a mascot but also as a humorous and motivational speaker to audiences of all ages. His enthusiasm, optimism and love for life are contagious and makes Dan an inspiration to all those he meets.

Friday, 6:00pm – 8:30 pm

Cocktails and Awards Banquet

Join us for the Awards Banquet where you will have a grand dinner and you will hear all the wonderful achievements credit unions have accomplished in the past year. Cocktails start at 6:00pm and dinner at 6:30pm.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Hotel Reservations

Individual attendees are responsible for making their own hotel reservations. The group rate for single or double occupancy is \$156.00 plus tax through Oct. 1st. A credit card will be needed to guarantee your reservation.

To make your reservation online, click [HERE](#) or by telephone, 1-800-EMBASSY. To receive the group rate, you must mention the Nebraska Credit Union League Annual Convention.

At the Embassy Suites-Downtown Omaha, every morning, you'll receive complimentary cooked-to-order breakfast served in the beautiful open-air atrium. Also available is a nightly Manager's Reception, offering complimentary drinks and snacks.

Convention Registration and Cancellation Policy

Registration is available online only for the Conference. Go to www.nebrcul.org to register by October 1st. If you need to cancel your convention registration, call or email notice of cancellation to Melissa Mausbach to mmausbach@nebrcul.org, 402-333-9331 x201. All requests for refunds must be received on or before October 5th. After the 5th, only 50% of the full registration costs will be refunded. No Shows will be charged in full. Substitutions will be accepted any time. In the event that we will need to cancel the convention, a full refund will be given

Dress Code

The dress code for all events is business casual, except for the Awards Banquet which business attire is suggested. We recommend you dress in layers to accommodate the variance in temperatures in the meeting rooms.

Photos during the Event

Throughout educational sessions and social functions, we will be snapping pictures to capture the spirit of the event. Attendees should know that through their attendance, they are granting the League permission to use these group photos in various publications..

Questions? Contact the League at 1-800-950-4455.