

**Greetings NCCI Members and Invited Guests,** 

It is a pleasure to send to you the registration information for the 2014 Spring Meeting of NCCI - The Coal Institute. This year's meeting will be held April 2 – 3 at The Ballantyne Hotel located in Charlotte, North Carolina.

We have put together a powerful group of Speakers. These individuals are extremely knowledgeable industry leaders regarding all aspects of coal production, market conditions (both utility and export) and the regulatory environment to which we must adapt.

The scheduled speakers, in order of their presentations are as follows:

Robert E. Murray President, CEO & Chairman of Murray Energy Corporation

Paul Vining President, Alpha Natural Resources

Joseph Czul President, Logan & Kanawha Coal Company

Sasha Weintraub Vice President, Duke Energy Fuels & System Optimization

Senator Joe Manchin CUSTOMIZED VIDEO ADDRESS TO NCCI

Jim Thompson Director Americas Coal, IHS Energy Publishing – Panel Discussion

Mr. Murray will be our featured speaker on Wednesday night after dinner. <u>This is a Spring Conference you do</u> not want to miss!

The registration fee is \$395.00 members/\$535.00 non members which includes the Wednesday and Thursday night receptions and dinners. Golf fees will be \$135.00 per person, which includes an excellent golf course, prizes, and a box lunch.

A block of rooms is being held for NCCI conference at a rate of \$179.00 per night plus tax and fees. Please note that reservations must be made by March 17, 2014 to insure obtaining the reduced group rates.

#### The Ballantyne Hotel

**10000 Ballantyne Commons Parkway** 

(South Charlotte just off I-485 - 12 miles from Charlotte International Airport)

Charlotte, NC 28277 Date: April 2 - 3, 2014

Phone 704-248-4000 | Reservations 888-627-8048

For Direct Hotel Login for NCCI copy and paste the following to a web browser

http://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/NCCOAL



Hotel Web Page - http://www.theballantynehotel.com/

When contacting the hotel for reservations, please reference NC Coal 2014 Spring Meeting. Hotel policy requires that reservations, for any scheduled night, be cancelled 48 hours prior to the night of stay and confirmed with a cancellation number.

Again, it's going to be an informative program about the political and market impacts on our industry. Please plan to attend and let us know if you need any assistance with room reservations or other information.



# 2014 Spring Meeting Schedule of Events

### Wednesday, April 2, 2014

6:00 p.m. Reception – (Jackets Requested)

7:00 p.m. Dinner – (Jackets Requested)

**8:00 p.m.** Welcome - **Barbara Coppola**, President NCCI – The Coal Institute

8:10 p.m. Presentation - Robert E, Murray, President, CEO & Chairman

of Murray Energy Corporation

#### Thursday, April 3, 2014

8:00 a.m. Business Meeting – Barbara Coppola

8:15 a.m. Presentation- Paul Vining, President, Alpha Natural Resources

8:45 a.m. Presentation- Joseph Czul, President, Logan & Kanawha Coal Co.

9:15 a.m. Presentation- Sasha Weintraub, Vice President, Duke Energy Fuels

& System Optimization

10:00 a.m. Video Presentation- Honorable Senator Joe Manchin,

West Virginia

10:20 a.m. Presentation- Jim Thompson, Director Americas Coal, IHS Energy

**Publishing – Panel Discussion** 

11:30 a.m. Golf Activities- Shotgun Start / Box Lunch

6:00 p.m. Reception – (Business Casual)

7:00 p.m. Dinner – (Business Casual)



## Registration Form 2014 Spring Meeting April 2 & 3, 2014

Note: This form must be completed for each attendee and returned by March 24, 2014. After this date, fees are non-refundable.

Name:	
Company:	Phone:
E-Mail Address:	
Conference Registration	on @ \$395 per Member attendee @ \$535 per Non-member attendee
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	se One For Each Night):
Wednesday Choices: Thursday Choices:	<ol> <li>Tenderloin of Beef</li> <li>Scottish Salmon</li> <li>Kurobuta Pork Tenderloin</li> <li>Regrets – I will be unable to attend dinner #</li> <li>Rib Eye of Beef</li> <li>Swordfish Medallion</li> </ol>
	<ol> <li>Ashley Farms Breast of Chicken</li> <li>Regrets – I will be unable to attend dinner #</li> </ol>
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You may register on-lin	e at <u>www.thecoalinstitute.org</u> with payment by credit card.
To register by check – mal mail to:	ke check payable to NCCI – The Coal Institute and The North Carolina Coal Institute P.O. Box 3672, Pikeville, KY 41502
complete the following i	rd (Visa, MasterCard, Discover or American Express) nformation and e-mail your registration form to or mail to the above address.
Name of Card Holder .	Expiration Date



February 24, 2014

## Greetings NCCI members:

The Executive Committee is pleased to offer again an opportunity for Sponsorship at the Spring Meeting. During the NCCI golf outing on April 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will have signs posted on each tee box for the participating companies. Cost per company is \$250.00. This is a great opportunity to get visibility for your company at a low cost.

All funds collected will go towards the NCCI Scholarship Fund, which helps us all! This year we are making it even easier by allowing you to pay for hole sponsorships with your registration. Simply indicate on the registration form your desire to sponsor a hole or holes and how you want your company name displayed on the sign.

Thank you for your participation and I look forward to seeing you in April.

Sincerely,

Tim Carr

Sponsorship Chairman

## GOODWYN HOLMES AWARD NOMINATION NOTICE

ALL NCCI MEMBERS ARE INVITED AND ENCOURAGED TO NOMINATE ANY INDIVIDUAL OF THE INSTITUTE WHO MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS, AS SET FORTH IN THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES, FOR THE PURPOSE OF BEING CONSIDERED AS RECEIPIENT OF THE 2014 GOODWYN HOLMES AWARD:

- A current member, active or honorary, whose membership is in good standing with the Institute;
- Someone who has given of their time, energy and talents over an extended period of time in making significant contributions and a marked impact on the Institute;
- An individual who is of good reputation and standing within the energy industry as a whole;
- An individual who upholds and promotes the high standards and traditions of the Institute;
- An individual who has not previously received this award.

Letters of nomination should contain as much information as you feel appropriate pertaining to the nominees' professional, civic, family, personal or any other area of their life that you feel contributes to their qualification to receive this award.

The letter should be addressed to: Goodwyn Holmes Award Committee and mailed post-marked no later than May 23, 2014 to: John F. Justice, PO Box 1375, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502.

NOTE-Acknowledgement of the receipt of each nomination will be made to the person submitting said nomination. If such acknowledgement is not received within (5) days after mailing, please call John Justice at (606) 477-3456.