MID YEAR
Nemacolin Woodlands Resort
Farmington, Pennsylvania

DCA 2019 ANNUAL MEETING
JULY 17
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Preliminary Schedule of Events

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 17**
8:30 – 9:00 am Executive Committee *
9:00 – 10:30 am Board of Directors Meeting *
10:30 – 11:30 am Leadership Council Joint Board of Directors Meeting *
11:45 am Board & Leadership Luncheon Departure *
3:00 – 5:00 pm Registration
6:30 pm Welcome Reception & Dinner

**THURSDAY, JULY 18**
8:00 – 9:30 am Group Breakfast & Speaker
9:45 - 10:45 am Workforce Development Meeting
11:00 – 12 Noon Safety/Risk Committee Meeting
Afternoon The DCA Great Adventure Challenge
6:30 pm Game Night at Sundial Lodge

**FRIDAY, JULY 19**
7:30 – 8:00 am Membership Committee Meeting
8:15 – 9:30 am Town Hall & Government Relations Committee Meeting
9:45 – 10:45 am HDD Meeting
12:30 pm DCA Golf Outing
Afternoon Optional Activities
6:30 pm Team Spirit Farewell Reception & Dinner

**SATURDAY, JULY 20**
Departure arrangements on own

* Closed meeting
Registration & Hotel Information

Nemacolin Woodlands Resort is nestled within 2,000 acres in the picturesque valley of western Pennsylvania’s Laurel Highlands. It features a variety of deluxe accommodations. The entire family can enjoy zip lining, paintball and more through the resort’s year-round Adventure Center; championship golf on two Pete Dye-designed courses; animal safaris; equestrian activities; an internationally acclaimed spa collection; and mouthwatering cuisine at 15 restaurants and lounges.

Nemacolin was recognized by Conde Nast Traveler’s 2017 Readers’ Choice Award as one of the “Top Resorts in the Mid-Atlantic”. It is situated 62 miles Southwest of Pittsburgh, PA.

REGISTRATION FEES

| Member couple:     | $1900 |
| Age 16+:          | $950  |
| Age 6-15:         | $300  |
| Age 5 & under:    | No charge |

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS JUNE 20, 2019

The registration fee after this date is $2100 per couple.

DCA MID YEAR MEETING REGISTRATION IS ONLINE

Go to [www.dcaweb.org](http://www.dcaweb.org) and click “Register Now” in the registration box on the home page. Follow the online instructions to complete your registration. If you have questions, please contact events@dcaweb.org.

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HOTEL RESERVATIONS & RATES

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Room rates are exclusive of 11% tax

Resort Fee: A fee of $15 per room per day will be added to the guest’s room account.

Includes:
- Valet Parking
- Wi-Fi in guest rooms & function space
- On property shuttle service
- Access to fitness center
- Indoor/outdoor pool access
- Hiking trail access
- Self-guided wildlife habitats
- Miniature golf

Room rates apply for up to three days before and three days after conference dates, on a space available basis.

HOW TO PLACE HOTEL RESERVATIONS:

Reservations can be made directly with the hotel by phoning 866-344-6957 and selecting option 1.

FOR ONLINE RESERVATIONS:
- Go to [www.nemacolin.com](http://www.nemacolin.com)
- Click on the “BOOK” button in the top right corner.
- Enter the dates of stay and 10C8G7 as the group code.

REGISTRATION & HOUSING DEADLINE IS JUNE 20, 2019
Social Activities

Welcome Reception & Dinner
Wednesday, July 17
6:30 pm

The welcoming reception and dinner will be at the Nemacolin Field Club Pavilion, nestled within 140 acres of woodlands, valleys and pastures in the Laurel Highlands Mountains. This is the perfect spot for families to gather in a relaxed and beautiful venue.

Attire: Casual. Bring a light wrap or jacket

Thursday Group Breakfast & Presentation
Thursday, July 18
8:00 am

Nick Uhas is sometimes known as the “mad scientist”. He will entertain, enlighten and amuse you with his scientific experiments. The multifaceted, science-obsessed, Nick performs some cool experiments. With his strange concoctions and science-related stunts, Nick has put the fun back in the fundamentals of science!

He is a guy with multiple talents. He was born in Columbus, Ohio and at the age of 17, he kick-started his career in media. He also became a professional stunt rollerblader for Team Rollerblade USA. While competing, Uhas attended college and completed his studies in Acting for Film as well as Economics at Yale University, along with Biology at Ohio State University.
The DCA Great Adventure Challenge  
Thursday, July 18 - Afternoon

What a great way to enjoy the afternoon along with fellow DCA families. The entire group will gather at the Sundial Lodge for an afternoon of family fun. Teams, made up of new buddies and some longtime BFF's, will navigate the beautiful property by foot, as you solve and complete the challenges. Each team will participate in a variety of activities ranging from a ride on a Polaris, Sporting Clays, pipeline construction, climbing wall challenge, low ropes elements and much, much, more then ending with a humongous tug of war!

Don’t miss the fun. Plan to get dirty and possibly a bit wet!
DCA Game Night at Sundial Lodge
Thursday, July 18
6:30 pm
After a fun filled day of team challenges, come on down to the Sundial Lodge filled with games of foosball, bowling, Top Golf driving suite and other family friendly games. Or, just relax, put your feet up around the fireplace and chat with friends and enjoy good eats and a cold brew.

Attire: Casual

Team Spirit Night
Friday, July 19
6:30 pm
This night will be your chance to show your team spirit for favorite professional, college or hometown sports team. Come sporting the jersey, t-shirt or ball cap of your favorite team.

It will be a fun night of sharing stories and showing your spirit for your favorite sport and team.
**Optional Activities**

Summer is a time for fun, sun, family, and outdoor activities. So, we invite you to bring your family and join other DCA families on one of the many activities offered during this year’s Mid Year Meeting. Enjoy a hike or bike ride along one of the many trails in the Ohiopyle State Park, learn a new skill at the shooting academy, or test your courage 40 feet in the air on the ropes course.

On Friday, July 19, DCA is offering a wide selection of afternoon activities on property at Nemacolin and surrounding areas.

All activities will depart from the front entrance of the hotel at the time noted for each activity.

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**Whitewater Rafting**

**Time:** 11:30am – 4:00 pm  
**Price per person:** $125 pp  
**Age minimum:** 12

**Lower Yough** – Fully Guided whitewater rafting trips are perfect for inexperienced rafters, minors and folks looking for adventure. This trip consists of 7.5 miles of class III/IV intermediate whitewater. Expert guides will teach you paddle techniques, calls out the strokes and steers the raft. You also learn a little about the natural history and local stories of the area while navigating the best lines through the rapids. Guests should wear water gear, closed toe water shoes with backs and leave any valuables at the hotel.

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**Polaris RZR off-Road Experience**

**Group #1:** 11:45 am – 3:00 pm  
**Group #2:** 1:45 – 5:00 pm  
(Maximum number for each time is 16 people. 4 passengers per vehicle. Each person will be able to drive if they meet the requirements)

**Price per person:** $125  
**Age minimum:** 13

Explore the beautiful Laurel Highlands like never before behind the wheel of a RZR Side by Side. Highly trained guides will lead and instruct you through Nemacolin Woodlands Resort trail system. The terrain will vary from winding trails to epic hill climbs in the Pennsylvania mountains. The course has rocks, ruts, creek crossings, and steep hills.

**Important Details:** Drivers must have a valid Driver’s License and be at least 18 to drive. Passengers under 18 must be accompanied by an adult 25 years of age or older. Passenger minimum age is 13. All participants must wear helmet and eye protection. Passengers must be able to simultaneously grasp the handholds, firmly plant feet on the floor, with back fully against the seat back rest. Resort casual outdoor attire is recommended. Closed-toe shoes are required. It is very likely that participants will get muddy. Hotel will provide the required protective gear.
Guided Trail Biking on the Great Allegheny Passage

Time: 12 Noon – 4:00 pm  
Price per person: $70

Ohiopyle to Confluence is an easy to moderate 11 mile ride. It takes about 3 hours including stops for breaks. You will visit the Youghiogheny River Trail South portion of the Great Allegheny Passage. This scenic ride departs from Ohiopyle and travels north to the high bridge before returning south to Confluence, PA. The trail follows the Youghiogheny River, filled with anglers and whitewater kayakers, past dramatic rocky outcroppings and wooded, boulder-strewn banks. The Ohiopyle High Bridge provides a great view of the rapids and rafters below on the Yough River.

Combat Paintball

Time: 12:15 – 3:30 pm  
Price per person: $100  
Age minimum: 8

The Nemacolin Adventure Center team has created organized atmospheres in the wooded hills of their mountain for you to enjoy a high-thrills, high-energy combat game.

Must be at least 8 years old to participate. Two-hour game includes unlimited rounds of paint. Please wear old clothing and proper shoes.
Golf Outing – Nemacolin Mystic Rock Golf Course

Time: 12:30 pm
Price per person: $200 inclusive of green fees, cart rental, caddies, tax & gratuity
Club Rental: $75

High atop the Pennsylvania Allegheny Mountains, Mystic Rock spans acres of scenic highlands, offering players championship golf in a spectacular setting. A par-72 course layout, the course has a rating of 77 and slope of 149 from the championship tees, one of the highest ratings in the country (as rated by the Western Pennsylvania Golf Association).

Former home to the 84 Lumber Classic, a PGA TOUR event, Mystic Rock has played host to some of the world’s top professional golfers, including Phil Mickelson and Vijay Singh. Caddies are included in the greens fee and play a vital part of the golf experience.

Sporting Clays

Time: 12:45 - 3:30 pm
Price per person: $150

Nemacolin Woodlands Resort is one of the nation’s top sporting clays facilities: The Shooting Academy. It features a number of sporting clay stations spread across three courses, towers and a five-stand pavilion with an integrated Wobble Trap Field. The course will be tailored to challenge everyone from the most seasoned wing shooter to the novice shooter. Guests will be broken into smaller groups of 4 to rotate throughout the stations.
Hiking Ohiopyle

Time: 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Price per person: $50

With over 20,500 acres, Ohiopyle State Park is the largest land-based park in Pennsylvania and contains more than 75 miles of trails. It's the gateway to the Laurel Highlands, with the Youghiogheny River at the heart. Along the trails you will enjoy gorgeous scenery! There is a wide variety of hiking trails from easy to moderate & difficult. The hikes noted are the most popular.

Wear sturdy shoes when hiking. Each trail hike will be with an experienced guide.

**Great Gorge Trail:** 2.6 miles, green blazes, more difficult hiking

This trail begins at the Cucumber Picnic Area and crosses several bridges and roads. The trail follows Cucumber Run and passes an area known for its spring wildflowers. The next trail section follows an old tramway used to transport coal to the railroad. A spur of this trail leads up a steep incline to the Kentuck Campground.

**Ferncliff Trail:** 2.1 miles, moderate hiking

This trail is a moderately trafficked loop trail located near Ohiopyle, Pennsylvania that features a waterfall and is good for all skill levels. The trail offers a number of activity options and is accessible year-round.

**Jonathan Run Trail:** Just under 2 miles, blue blazes, easiest hiking

The trailhead is along the Holland Hill Road. The trail crisscrosses Jonathan Run and passes by small waterfalls, including Jonathan Run Falls. The trail connects to the Great Allegheny Passage.
Frank Lloyd Wright – Falling Water

Time: 1:15 pm – 4:30 pm
Price per person: $60

Designed by the world-renowned architect, Frank Lloyd Wright, Fallingwater originally served as a summer home to department store owner Edgar J. Kaufmann. One of Frank Lloyd Wright’s most widely acclaimed works, Fallingwater, which was built over a waterfall, exemplifies Wright’s concept of organic architecture: the harmonious union of art and nature. Owned and operated by the Western Pennsylvania Conservancy, this unique landmark has hosted more than 4.5 million visitors since it opened to the public.

40’ Fatbird Canopy Tour

Time: 1:15 - 3:30 pm
Price per person: $75

Fatbird Canopy Tour offers some exciting elements 40’ off the ground, a Burma Bridge, a stationary log, a swinging log and more. Plus, a zip down the 3,000’ Fatbird SuperFlyer is included!

Minimum height requirement is 4’4”.
For the zipline section only, maximum weight limit 250 lb.*
Course takes approximately 45 minutes to complete.

* Height and weight limits may change due to weather conditions on day of activity.
If you are still looking for something to do, there is a plethora of things to see and do at Nemacolin and the surrounding area.

On property, you will find a world class Spa and wellness center; Kidz Klub; tennis; bird hunting; reel and fly fishing; leisure bike ride on the grounds; equestrian activities; the Wildlife Adventure Center with safari tours, feeding stations and wild animal shows for children and adults; art classes . . . and the list goes on.

In the area, there are other Frank Lloyd Wright properties – the Kentuck Knob and Duncan Houses to visit. Also, not far from the hotel is a beautiful winery and distillery.

Fort Necessity is just down the road. Built in the summer of 1754, Fort Necessity is the site of the inaugural French and Indian War, which would set the stage for the American Revolution. Visit the battle site where a young George Washington was soundly defeated.

You may want to make time to visit Flight 93 National Memorial either on the way to Nemacolin or on your way home. The memorial was created to honor the actions of the passengers and crew of Flight 93 on September 11, 2001. It is hallowed ground to protect their final resting place and to tell their story.

The site is about a 1.5-hour drive from the hotel.

Go to www.nemacolin.com to see the many options available.
**Hotel & Airport**

Nemacolin Woodlands Resort  
1001 Lafayette Drive, Farmington, PA 15437  
866.505.6957  

Situated 62 miles Southwest of Pittsburgh, PA.  

Closest Airport Pittsburgh International Airport (PIT)

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**Time & Weather**

Temperature: Daytime Low 80’s  Evening 60’s  
Always a change of showers  
Sunrise: 5:50 am  Sunset: 8:36 pm  
Time Zone: Eastern Daylight Time

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**Attire**

The attire for the Mid Year Conference is casual. Clothing and footwear should be appropriate for the temperature, chance of showers and activity.