



## Tentative Event Schedule

### Wednesday, January 10, 2024

6:00 PM to 8:30 PM	Registration open	Holiday Inn Lobby
8:00 PM to 11:30 PM	Hospitality Room	Holiday Inn

### Thursday, January 11, 2024

6:30 AM to 9:00 AM	Breakfast at your hotel	Holiday Inn/Fairfield Inn
8:00 AM to 8:00 PM	Registration Open	Holiday Inn Lobby
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Vendor Set up	Conference Center Ballroom C
9:00 AM to 3:30 PM	Pre-Conference Trip (Extra Cost)	SAM Shortline
1:00 PM to 6:00 PM	Vendor Room Open	Conference Center Ballroom C
4:30 PM to 9:30 PM	Board Meeting	SAM Shortline Depot in Downtown Cordele
8:00 PM to 12:00 AM	Multimedia/Slide Show	Lobby area of Holiday Inn
8:00 PM to 12:00 AM	Hospitality Room	Holiday Inn

### Friday, January 12, 2024

6:30 AM to 9:00 AM	Breakfast at your hotel	Holiday Inn/Fairfield Inn
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Registration Open	Holiday Inn
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Silent Auction Opens	Conference Center Ballroom C
8:00 AM to 6:00 PM	Vendor Room Open	Conference Center Ballroom C
8:00 AM to 8:45 AM	Welcome Meeting	Conference Center Ballroom A&B
9:00 AM to 4:30 PM	Azalea Sprinter Train Ride (Extra Cost)	Conference Center (bus departs)
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM	Seminars	Conference Center/SAM Shop

**10:00 AM to 12:00 AM**

***RPCA Safety***

***Bluegill Room***

**11:00 AM to 12:00 PM**

***Wheel and Coupler Gauging***

***SAM Shortline Shop***

**12:00 PM to 1:30 PM**

***(Lunch on your own)***

**2:00 PM to 4:00 PM**

***Window/Gaskets***

***SAM Shortline Shop***

**3:00 PM to 3:50 PM**

***SAM Shortline History***

***Bluegill Room***

**4:00 PM to 5:00 PM**

***Insurance Update***

***Bluegill Room***

8:00 PM to 12:00 AM

Hospitality Room

Holiday Inn

8:00 PM to 12:00 PM

Multimedia/Slide Show

Lobby area of Holiday Inn

### Saturday, January 13, 2024

7:00 AM to 9:00 AM	Breakfast at your hotel	Holiday Inn/Fairfield Inn
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Vendor Room Open	Conference Center Ballroom C
8:00 AM to 8:00 PM	Silent Auction Open	Conference Center Ballroom C
<b>9:00 AM to 10:45 AM</b>	<b>Amtrak/FRA</b>	<b>Conference Center Ballroom A&amp;B</b>
<b>11:00 AM to 12:00 PM</b>	<b>FRA Safety</b>	<b>Conference Center Ballroom A&amp;B</b>
12:00 PM to 1:30 PM	Lunch on your own	
10:00 AM to 4:30 PM	Americus City Tour (Extra Cost)	Holiday Inn
<b>1:30 PM to 2:25 PM</b>	<b>FRA Steam "State of Steam"</b>	<b>Perch Room</b>
<b>1:30 PM to 2:25 PM</b>	<b>Free Publicity</b>	<b>Bass Room</b>
<b>1:30 PM to 2:25 PM</b>	<b>Wheel and Coupler</b>	<b>SAM Shortline Shop</b>
<b>1:30 PM to 3:30 PM</b>	<b>HVAC</b>	<b>SAM Shortline Shop</b>
<b>1:00 PM to 4:00 PM</b>	<b>Air Brake Class</b>	<b>(PABCO) at Shop</b>
<b>2:00 PM to 4:00 PM</b>	<b>RPCA Safety Training</b>	<b>Bluegill Room</b>
<b>2:30 PM to 3:00 PM</b>	<b>(Break)</b>	
<b>3:00 PM to 4:00 PM</b>	<b>Pre-Trip Inspection</b>	<b>SAM Shortline Shop</b>
5:30 PM to 6:30 PM	Cash Bar Open	Conference Center Ballroom A&B
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM	Banquet (Extra Cost)	Conference Center Ballroom A&B
8:30 PM to 1:00 AM	Hospitality Room	Holiday Inn
8:30 PM to 12:00 PM	Multimedia/Slide Show	Lobby Area of Holiday Inn

**Sunday, January 14, 2024**

7:00 AM to 9:00 PM	Breakfast at your Hotel	Holiday Inn/Fairfield Inn
8:30 AM to 10:30 AM	Silent Auction Pick-up	Conference Center
9:00 AM to 9:45 AM	Membership Meeting	Conference Center Ballroom A&B
10:00 AM to 10:30 AM	Board Meeting	Bass Room
11:30 AM to 4:30 PM	Train Trip (Extra Cost)	GA Vets Station/Cordele
7:00 PM to 11:00 PM	Hospitality Room	Holiday Inn
7:00 PM to 11:00 PM	Multimedia/Slide Show	Lobby Area of Holiday Inn

**\*\*Please note this is a tentative Schedule and is subject to change closer to the conference\*\***

**Updated: 1/7/2024**