



134th Annual Convention Schedule

Big News in Big Sky

Thursday, June 6

3:00 pm MNA & MNAS joint Board of Directors' Quarterly Meeting

Friday, June 7

8:00 am Montana Newspaper Foundation Annual Meeting

10:00 am MT Newspaper Foundation Event – Golf Scramble

10:00 am MT Newspaper Foundation Event – Lone Peak Summit Tour

2:00 pm Montana Newspaper Advertising Service Annual Meeting

2:30 pm Montana Newspaper Association Annual Meeting

6:00 pm Montana Newspaper Foundation Dinner at Andiamo

9:00 pm Hospitality and Social Networking

Saturday, June 8

9:00 am Educational Session with Keith Hammond, Solutions Journalism Network

- The Montana Gap Project

9:00 am Educational Session Advertising Sales with Jeff Avgeris, On the Fly Digital Marketing

- Digital Training

10:15 am Educational Session News with Tyler Christensen, Missoulian

- Editorial Writing

10:15 am Educational Session with Jeff Avgeris

- Sales Roundtables

- 11:30 am MNA Past Presidents' and Awards Luncheon
- 2019 MNA Distinguished Service Award Presentation
 - 2019 MNA Master Editor/Publisher Award Presentation
 - 2019 Montana Newspaper Hall of Fame Induction
- 1:45 pm **Featured speaker: University of Montana President Seth Bodnar**
- 3:15 pm Open Government Panel with Alan Hulse, Montana Municipal Interlocal Authority, Nick Ehli, John MacDonald and Matt Gibson
- Legislative Report
 - Capitol Media Credentials
 - Public Document Requests
- 3:15 pm Educational Session with Erica Yakawich, Jonathan McNiven and Stacy Wirtz
- MNA Statewide Programs
- 5:00 pm MNA Presidents' Reception
- 6:30 pm 2019 Better Newspaper Contest Awards Banquet
- Foundation Fundraising Activities
- 7:30 pm 2019 Better Newspaper Contest Awards Presentation
- 9:00 pm Welcome Incoming 2019-2020 MNA President, Kellyn Brown, Flathead Beacon
- 9:15 pm Announce Foundation Fundraising Activity Winners
- 10:00 pm Hospitality and Social Networking