

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION UPDATE

I just had a conference call with the hotel in Birmingham. They are looking forward to having us in a little over 2 weeks! We discussed how everything possible would be done to assure the safety and well being of all who attend.

The meeting rooms will be set up with 6 foot spacing. Everyone will remain in the space allotted in keeping with the Social Distancing mandate. We will have the displays set up with the same rules -you will move from one display to another as the space is available. No clogging up the works!! **Masks will be worn** at all times – except when you eat or drink of course! Be sure to bring several masks just in case.

There is a last day to register for a room at the hotel. They are requesting that all reservations be made by MONDAY, JULY 20. Double rooms have been added to our block so there should be no problem getting the type room you need.

Treasurer Robin needs your Registration and money in her hand by Monday, July 27. That means Registration will be closed on Saturday the 25th. Get registered now, please! Let her know that you are registering so that we can put you on the meal list! Send her the \$25.00 and she will be all smiles. We have to pay the hotel when we are there. The charge is not only for your meal, but for the use of the large rooms, the table and chair set up, the microphone, and tax plus gratuity for the servers. There is more to the cost than paying for a meal. We will again be eating the type of food we have had in the past. The only difference being, due to COVID-19 there will be no one handling food. (Premade sandwiches! Much easier in my point of view!) You may eat 6 feet apart back in the meeting room if you'd like. I will be dismissing for lunch in waves to keep the number of persons in line down so that distancing is no problem.

Recap:

MASKS BOOK ROOM BY 7/20 REGISTER WITH ROBIN AND \$ BY 7/25

Praise God we can finally get together!

Donna Woerner

Your President, Donna Woerner