



**NABBS, INC.**  
National Association of Bench and Bar Spouses, Incorporated



**NABBS** *Foundation*  
National Association of Bench and Bar Spouses Foundation

## **SCHEDULE AT-A GLANCE**

**Nashville, Tennessee | July 26 – July 31, 2026**  
**NABBS, Inc. 75<sup>th</sup> and NBA 101<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention and Exhibits**  
**Celebrating a Legacy of 75 Years**

### **SUNDAY, July 26, 2026**

7:00 PM\* **NBA Welcome Reception**

### **MONDAY, July 27, 2026**

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM Continental Breakfast and Fellowship  
9:30 AM – 10:30 AM NABBS Candlelight Remembrance Service (*Wear White*)  
10:30 AM – 11:45 AM NABBS, Inc. Executive Board/General Business Meeting  
Chapter Sharing/Nominating Committee Report  
12:00 PM – 1:15 PM NABBS Foundation Executive Board/Annual Meeting

### **TUESDAY, July 28, 2026**

9:30 AM – 10:30 AM Continental Breakfast and Fellowship  
10:30 AM – 11:00 AM NABBS Inc./ NABBS Foundation - Election  
11:00 AM – 11:45 AM NABBS Foundation – Dr. Annie Lawrence Brown Health Initiatives  
12:30 PM – 1:45 PM NABBS Foundation – Bonnie P. Wheatley/Grace L. Wheatley Breast  
Cancer Health Forum  
*\* Attendees and guests can accessorize with pink and red*

7:00 PM\* **NBA President's Ball: Bridgerton** - Themed aboard the legendary General Jackson Showboat (Event Ticket required)

### **WEDNESDAY, July 29, 2026**

11:00 AM – 1:30 PM NABBS President's Luncheon Celebrating 75 Years of Legacy, Leadership & Service, *featuring special cultural and historical presentations and a Style Showcase.*

### **THURSDAY, July 30, 2026**

8:30 AM – 11:30 AM Community Service Project (9:00 am – 11:00 am) – Thistle Farms: Supporting women overcoming trafficking, addiction, and exploitation through healing, housing, and employment opportunities.

7:00 PM – 12:00 AM\* **NBA 101<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention Closing Gala & Afterglow Champagne Lounge**

*\* NBA Registration or Individual Event Ticket Required.*



# NABBS, INC.

National Association of Bench and Bar Spouses, Incorporated

NABBS 75<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention | July 26 – July 31, 2026 | Nashville, Tennessee

## Registration Form

Celebrating a Legacy of 75 Years

"75 for 75: Celebrate Our 75th Anniversary for Just \$75"

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

NABBS Chapter  \_\_\_\_\_ At-Large

Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

### Registration Fee (Paid directly to NABBS)

- NABBS In-Person Registration (75 for 75 Anniversary Special)..... \$75.00
- Virtual Platform (Zoom)..... \$25.00
- Community Service Donation (Optional) ..... \$25.00
- Annual Dues ..... \$50.00
- Lifetime Membership (\$125.00 per quarter) ..... \$500.00

TOTAL ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS JULY 6, 2026

Method of Payment: All payments are paid directly to NABBS.

- (1) Make **check** payable to NABBS, Inc. and Mail to: Roberta Bell, 245 Farragut Street, NW, Washington, DC 20011  
Fax: 202-842-0320 Cell: 202-291-4946 E-mail: [nabbsinchapter@gmail.com](mailto:nabbsinchapter@gmail.com)
- (2) QuickPay via **Zelle** – Login to your personal bank account; Go to Pay or Transfer Option; Add or Select a contact, which for NABBS, Inc. is [nabbsinchapter@gmail.com](mailto:nabbsinchapter@gmail.com); In memo section – write NABBS National Dues or Convention Registration.
- (3) PayPal or Credit Card can be processed via our website. Click on web address - <https://nabbsinc.org/>

Credit Card No. \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount to Charge \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### IN-PERSON REGISTRATION

- NABBS In-Person Registration of \$75 includes NABBS seminars, breakfasts, and one ticket to the NABBS 75th Anniversary President's Luncheon featuring special cultural and historical presentations and a Style Showcase.
- NABBS Registration DOES NOT include NBA Welcome Reception, NBA President's Ball, or NBA Closing Gala & Afterglow Champagne Lounge. NABBS is working with NBA to secure discounted ticket pricing.
- **NOTE:** The \$25 Virtual Registration fee helps support the NABBS Community Service Project.



**NABBS, INC.**  
National Association of Bench and Bar Spouses, Incorporated

# JOIN NABBS



## WHO WE ARE?

Founded in 1951, NABBS is an independent nonprofit of spouses of legal professionals—committed to uplifting our communities, empowering families, and advancing justice alongside the NBA.

The NABBS Foundation is our charitable arm, advancing our mission through initiatives focused on education, health, and community well-being. The Foundation serves as a vital bridge between advocacy and action—strengthening communities, promoting equity, and creating opportunities that uplift the legal profession.

## WHAT WE DO?

Through service, we implement meaningful programs that support families, elevate youth, and strengthen communities. Our initiatives focus on education, health, civic engagement, and legacy-building—delivering impact where it's needed most.

Signature programs and initiatives include:

- Dorothy Atkinson Legal Scholarship
- Bonnie & Grace Wheatley Breast Cancer Forum
- Dr. Annie Lawrence Brown Health Initiatives
- Dr. Cleota & Harvey Wibekin Coalition for the Homeless Fund
- Presidents' Endowment Fund
- Educational Seminars & Service Projects
- NBA's Youth Enrichment Program (YEP)

# NABBS' 74TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

### Monday, July 28:

Membership Drive/Kickoff with Breakfast and Conversation — 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

### Tuesday, July 29:

Dr. Annie Lawrence Brown Health Initiative – **Jasmine Johnson**, LCPC — 9:30 AM – 10:45 AM

Wheatley Breast Cancer Forum – **Dr. Patricia Robinson** — 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM

### Wednesday, July 30:

"Generational Wealth" – **Carol Yvonne Sherrod** — 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM

Chicago Architecture Boat Tour (Offsite — \$45) — 10:30 AM – 1:30 PM

### Why Join NABBS:

- We're expanding. We're evolving. And we need YOU. We welcome spouses of all ages and backgrounds who want to contribute time, ideas, or resources. Whether you're newly connected to the NBA or a long-time supporter, NABBS welcomes you. Join us and help carry our legacy forward.



**NABBS** *Foundation*  
National Association of Bench and Bar Spouses Foundation

Ready to join? Scan or visit to become a member today



[www.nabbsinc.org](http://www.nabbsinc.org)

