

Meeting One (from 13A. SUGGESTED ANNUAL MEETING SCHEDULE TO ASSIST IN AGENDA PLANNING)

SIBA pays travel to GABBS & SIBA in the Springtime. SIBA or GABBS pays hotel Room & Tax for all nights & incidentals. SIBA hosts an event for SIBA Members at GABBS which board members are encouraged to attend. Carver Training takes place the Saturday of GABBS and the board meets the Sunday 8AM – 1PM of GABBS. SIBA provides education to booksellers at GABBS on Friday and Saturday morning. Board members must arrive in time to attend the mandated events. Board members are encouraged to be seen on the GABBS exhibit floor on Friday afternoon as we are guests of the GABBS show. This trip should allow for board members to vet education, train, and determine what outreach and linking they want to do for the year.

2014 Meeting One details:

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Location:

Hotel: Westin Peachtree Plaza 210 Peachtree Street Atlanta, GA 30303-1745 Phone: 404-659-1400

Show: Atlanta's AmericasMart, 240 Peach St NW Ste. 2200, Bldg 2 - 2nd Floor Exhibit Hall, Atlanta, GA 30339

Thursday 3/6: SIBA Day of Education (Board participation encouraged but not required for all activities today)

8am – SIBA Day of Education attendees gather at Westin Peachtree Plaza for breakfast

8:30am: board bus to The Food Movement

9am – 1pm – The Big Cook-Off! And The Big Eat-Off! At The Food Movement

1pm: board bus back to Westin Peachtree Plaza

1:30pm-5pm: continue discussion topics

5 – 6 pm – Happy Hour with KOBO Writing Life

Friday 3/7: GABBS show opens & ABA Education in the morning

8am-9am SIBA Board breakfast with ABA's Oren Teicher & others (Board participation strongly encouraged but not required)

9am-1pm ABA Education (Board participation encouraged but not required)

GABBS show hours: Friday, March 7th 10:00am - 5:00pm (Board presence encouraged but not required)

1pm & later: Gift Market Field Trips

Saturday 3/8: SIBA pre-board mtg, SIBA Board mtg, GABBS show continues (10am-5pm), bookseller education continues

9am-11am SIBA pre-Board meeting (see agenda, Board participation required)

11am-12pm lunch break

12pm-5pm SIBA Board Mtg (see agenda, Board participation required, please plan on meeting through 5pm)

There will be no Carver training for the Board today or this trip

Sunday 3/9: GABBS Show concludes (9am-1pm) (Board presence encouraged but not required)

No mandatory Board activities today