

BLD BIZCON SOUTH AGENDA

February 3 & 4, 2026

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2026			
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Welcome Mixer (for all early arrivals)	Photo Finish Lounge – Hotel Lobby Bar	

8:00 am – 6:00 pm	Registration Desk Open	Exhibit Hall Pre-Function
8:00 am – 12:00 pm	Exhibitor Move In / Booth Set Up	Bishop Ballroom
8:00 am – 11:30 am	Board Meeting (Invitation Only)	Grandquist Room
10:00 am – 11:30 am	Sales Seminar: Building Your Sales Framework for Stronger Relationships – Dustin James	Skinner C Room
11:45 am – 1:30 pm	 Membership Luncheon & Keynote 11:45 am – 12:10 pm Lunch Served (Buffet) 12:10 pm – 12:30 pm BLD Business Overview of BizCon Annual Membership Meeting Sponsor Recognition Awards 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Rapid Fire Idea Sharing Session 	Skinner A&B Ballroom
1:30 pm – 5:30 pm	 Exhibit Hall Open Exhibits Contests Exhibitor Speed Showcase on stage @ 1:30 – 2:30 pm Break Service (Soda and snack items) Cash Bar Service Trade Show Happy Hour @ 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm Women in the Industry Gathering @ 4:15 pm 	Bishop Ballroom
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm	Brews and Bites Reception	Skinner Ballroom
7:30 pm	Open Night	



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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2026			
7:30 am – 12:00 pm	Registration Desk Open	Exhibit Hall Pre-function	
7:30 am – 9:50 am	Seminar Break Service - Coffee & Continental Breakfast Items	Skinner & Bishop Pre- function (shared)	
8:00 am – 8:50 am	Operations Seminar: Key Concepts for a Better Lumberyard Design – David Wells	Skinner A & B	
9:00 am – 9:50 am	Communications Seminar: Communicating Across Generations, Member Survival Guide – Steven Bench	Skinner A & B	
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Student Career Panel	Stage in Bishop Ballroom	
9:30 am – 12:00 pm	 Exhibit Hall Open Exhibits Student Career Panel on stage @ 9:00 am – 9:30 am Lunch station on exhibit floor Contests Final Prize Announcements @ 11:45 am 	Bishop Ballroom	
12:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Exhibitor Tear Down	Bishop Ballroom	

BIZCON SOUTH LOCATION

THE MEADOWS EVENT CENTER &
PRAIRIE MEADOWS HOTEL
1 PRAIRIE MEADOWS DRIVE
ALTOONA, IA 50009
(515) 967-1000

- HOTEL ROOMS
- DAY 1 WELCOME MIXER
- DAY 1 & 2 EVENT REGISTRATION DESK
- DAY 1 IOWA BOARD MEETING
- DAY 1 MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON
- DAY 1 BREWS & BITES BASH EVENING RECEPTION
- DAY 1 & 2 SEMINARS
- DAY 1 & 2 EXHIBIT HALL EXHIBITS, ACTIVITIES, CONTESTS & PRIZE DRAWINGS