



## Information

### 2024 - The Association of Lincoln Presenters Conference

April 25 – 28, 2024 Dayton, Ohio

Conference Host: Teena Baldrige

The ALP provides a supportive community for Lincoln presenters to exchange ideas, share resources, and collaborate on projects. The organization hosts an annual conference, with workshops, and other events to facilitate networking and skill development. These gatherings allow members to stay up-to-date with the latest research and historical interpretations.

The Association of Lincoln Presenters Conference in Dayton has something for everyone! Thursday evening we will gather in the conference room to test our knowledge of all things Civil War when we play “Before, During or After the War?” Friday is a day to relax at the hotel as we listen to four knowledgeable speakers. Saturday we are out and about in Dayton visiting some Lincoln sites and statues. Saturday evening there is a dinner buffet and a wonderful show “The Box Brown Story.”

#### **Accommodations:**

The Courtyard by Marriott University of Dayton,  
2006 Edwin C. Moses Blvd. Dayton, Ohio  
Phone: 937-220-9060

#### **Deadline for Hotel reservation – April 3, 2024!**

To receive the ALP Group rate please don't delay in registering for the conference.

#### **Room Rates:**

##### Group Rate

Single     \$149 + \$12 = \$161

Double    \$155 + \$12 = \$167

When making reservation you must identify yourself with the Association of Lincoln Presenters to receive the group rate.

The price includes a hot breakfast buffet each day and indoor pool, whirl pool and fitness center. Group rates also apply for members coming in a day early or leaving a day later.

**Check-In at 3 pm and Check-out at 12 noon**

**Getting there:**

This hotel is easily accessed off of I-75.

Dayton International Airport is about 14 miles from the hotel.

**Registration Costs:** \$150 for members, \$175 for non-members.

The registration includes bus transportation, Friday dinner, Saturday lunch and Saturday dinner, speakers and programs.

**Registration Form:** Registration is now online! The form is HERE (<https://forms.gle/rhMdVWUJ7w4QPy2B6>) and on the ALP Website and Facebook page. You are encouraged to register online.

If you do not want to register on line, there is a copy of the registration form on the website. Print it off and send it with a check to Susan Miller.

If you are having trouble registering you are welcome to phone Susan Miller at 859-885-7294. This is a land line – leave message.

After completing the Online Registration Form online, please mail a check (made out to ALP) to: Susan Miller – ALP 2024 Conference Registrar  
108 Hidden Meadow Lane, Nicholasville, KY 40356.

Alternately, you may pay with your Credit/Debit Card - phone Murray Cox, ALP Treasurer (260-571-2870) to arrange payment. Service charges may apply.

**Registration deadline for the ALP Conference officially closes on April 15.**

**Dressing for the Event:**

Friday the group will be at the hotel. ALP polo shirts are appropriate and more comfortable but there is no dress code on Friday.

Saturday the group will be out on tour. Everyone is welcome to wear 19th -Century clothing on Saturday during the day and Saturday evening. We will have a group photo in front of the new Lincoln Statue in the warehouse and also the Dayton Courthouse Saturday morning. Ball gowns are appropriate for Saturday evening.

**Bus transportation on Saturday:**

This bus is a 56 seater. It takes time to load and unload a bus. Please be on time for all departures.

**Meals:**

There is a free breakfast bar in the Hotel Conference Room from 8 am to 9 am. The charter bus leaves the hotel at 9:15 am. Menu: Hot breakfast of scrambled eggs, sausage, potatoes, toast, bagels, muffins and fresh fruit.

Thursday dinner will be on your own, and a list of recommended restaurants will be included in your welcome packet.

Lunch on Friday is also on your own at Culp's Café at Carillon Park. Menu includes soups, salads and sandwiches. [Culp's Café - Dayton History](#)

Dinner on Friday night at the Hotel is a plated dinner and included in your registration fee. Choose entry for Friday evening on your registration form.

- Herb Chicken
  - Grilled Cod
- Includes salad, roasted red potatoes, steamed broccoli, dessert, drinks

Saturday Lunch is a box lunch of assorted sandwiches and included in your registration fee. Choose sandwich for Saturday.

- Turkey with provolone on Whole Wheat with romaine and tomato
  - Ham with Swiss on Whole Wheat with romaine and tomato
  - Vegetarian on Whole Wheat
- Includes bag of gourmet kettle chips, fresh fruit side, vegetarian pasta salad, oversized homemade chocolate chip cookie

Dinner Saturday will be a buffet and included in your registration fee.

The entrees will be a Vegetable Lasagna and Beef Brisket along with salad, vegetables and dessert.

**Emergencies while traveling:**

If you are detained while traveling, please contact either:

Teena Baldrige – 937-602-1128

Susan Miller – 859-351-0090

**Welcome/Pick up Registration Materials:**

The Welcome Table will be in the lobby of the hotel on Thursday afternoon/early evening, also early Friday morning before the lectures begin. If you plan to arrive in town outside of these times, please contact Teena or Susan beforehand and other arrangements will be made.

**Photographer:**

Tom Davidson will be our designated Conference Photographer again.

He will be with us on Friday evening and Saturday during the day.

**Weather:**

April in central Ohio is extremely changeable, so be sure to bring layers as well as umbrellas. Saturday we will be doing some walking and one of the group photos will be outside.

**Silent Auction:**

The form has been included in the Conference packet for your convenience. Please make copies to accompany the silent auction items you are donating. Bring the items to the Hotel Conference Room on Thursday afternoon and Friday. Please limit books at this year's auction; we have minimal space. The auction is an important fund raiser and offsets some of the costs of the conference. Please bring "big ticket" items you would like to donate. If your silent auction donation did not sell, please pick them up after the auction. The silent auction will end after the Annual Meeting on Friday evening.

**Consignment Shop:**

This year we will have a consignment shop. The consignment shop will only sell clothing and accessories. Bring your items to the Hotel Conference Room beginning Saturday morning. Fill out the consignment form. You will receive 75% of the cost of the item and ALP will keep 25%. The proceeds of the consignment shop will offset the cost of the conference. This is the perfect way to donate to ALP while getting something out of items no longer worn or wanted.

**Confirmation:**

All registered participants will receive an email confirmation at the time of registration and any other updates or developments about the conference after the registration deadline. You are expected to check your email for these updates.

**Annual ALP Business Meeting:**

This will take place on Friday evening. More information, including reports and agendas, will be available in your Welcome Packet.

**Virtual Option:**

ALP Members will be able to virtually connect (via Zoom) to the Membership Meeting on Friday evening, and hopefully the guest speakers on Friday. To attend via Zoom, please email Laura Keyes at [LFKeyes@gmail.com](mailto:LFKeyes@gmail.com) directly for information.