



# North Carolina District West Civitan 2018 - 2019

## Area 2 Update



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Area Civitan Clubs

### **Updated Information from Civitan International**

**Officer Training** - The Civitan International Board met recently and voted on and approved that beginning this year, **ALL club officers** will be required to attend/complete training every year. This means that no matter if officers are repeats, they will be required to complete training. They are working on having more options for training and that information will be coming soon.

**District Director Requirements** - some additional requirements have been added to District positions. To be eligible to be GE or DAD, candidate must be a member in good standing with International, Home Club has to be in good standing with International and the candidate has to be a member within the district for at least six months before election. Good standing for a club means, current with dues, all officers are trained and 990 is filed on time.

**International Changes Insurance Carrier** - This is a good thing. It will mean better coverage for some events. More information will be sent out to clubs soon.

**Did You Know?** - The Add form and Delete form are now electronic on the Civitan International website.

### **Area 2 Meeting – May 16<sup>th</sup> Hosted by the Yadkin Civitan Club**

Now is the time to mark on your calendar and plan to attend the Area 2 Meeting to be held at the Center United Methodist Church, located at Center Road in Yadkinville NC. The Registration form is attached.

### **Civitan International Convention – July 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>**

Can you believe it? The International Convention is being held just down the road in Greenville SC.

Registration for the 2019 international convention will open soon. Look for an email announcement with registration instructions. In the meantime, here are a few details: Registration fees include opening, business sessions, workshops,...

The host Hotel will be the Hyatt Regency Downtown Greenville.

See the Registration Form at the end of the Newsletter or visit <https://civitan.org/convention/>

### **NCDW Annual Convention – August 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> (Dated Changed)**

We are pleased to announce that the District Annual Convention is now set to be held at the Crown Plaza Hotel in Hickory on August 2 -3. Rooms are available at \$98.00 per night. Look for more details soon.

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## ***Mooresville Civitan Club to Sponsor "Five Guys Community Night"***

Join the Mooresville Civitan Club on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at the Five Guys Community Night for dinner between 5pm and 8pm. Five Guys will donate of your bill to 20% to the Mooresville Civitan Club. They have a great choice of Hot Dogs, Burgers, Sandwiches, Fries, Shakes and Drinks.

Mark your calendar and enjoy good food and help raise money for Civitan charities!



## ***Lake Norman Civitan Club Port-a-Pit Event***

The Civitan Club of Lake Norman will hold their first **Chicken Port A Pit BBQ** on Friday, April 26, 2019 from 10:30-6:00 or when it is sold out at 630 Brawley School Rd. (Lion's Club Building). Pre-orders can be arranged by calling Beth McCarthy at 704-881-1174 or Gayle Beatty at 704-883-6009. Payment can be made by credit card, cash or check. Eat in, drive thru for pick up available. The cost of the plate is \$12:00 for 1/2 chicken, baked beans, slaw and roll. Proceeds collected by Civitan are going to humanitarian needs in the community.

## ***Appalachian State University Campus Civitan Club (We hope!)***

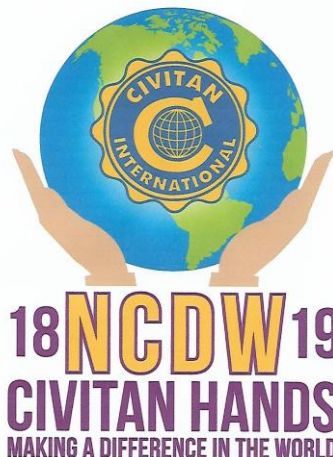
We are in contact with several current App students who were Junior Civitans and many graduating Junior Civitans who will starting at App in August. They want to continue their Civitan experience and start a Campus Civitan Club. The challenge they face is two part. First and most critical is finding a Student Advisor for the Club. If you have any connection with App State and know of someone who could serve as their Advisor, please let Leo Gordon ([gordonleo3@gmail.com](mailto:gordonleo3@gmail.com)) know. Secondly, if you of any current or in upcoming students, please let them know of our efforts to create a Campus Civitan Club. In case did not know, we have Campus Civitan Clubs at UNC Chapel Hill, East Carolina University and High Point University.

## ***NCDW Spring Fall Meeting***

We have a great meeting set up for this weekend. You will hear from International President Bob Jones, International President-Elect Candidate Frank Kelley, International Membership Specialist Meredith Binkley, our Guest Speaker, DJ Svoboda. Plus a tour of Victory Junction.

It is not too late to sign up. Call Lynda Whitener at 704-982-3649 today!

Finally, if you know of a Civitan that is planning on attending the District meeting and is a Special Education teacher or professional that works directly with those with Special needs, please let Governor Christy know at [chopkins5545@stanly.edu](mailto:chopkins5545@stanly.edu). Let's honor them at the meeting with a Servant's Heart Award.





*Join us*

**May 21, 2019 from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at  
Mooresville Five Guys**

654 River Hwy, Mooresville, NC 28117

**Benefiting Mooresville Civitans**



# NCDW Area 2 SPRING MEETING

Thursday, May 16, 2019

Host Club: Yadkin Civitan Club  
Location: Center Methodist United Church  
1400 Center Road  
Yadkinville NC



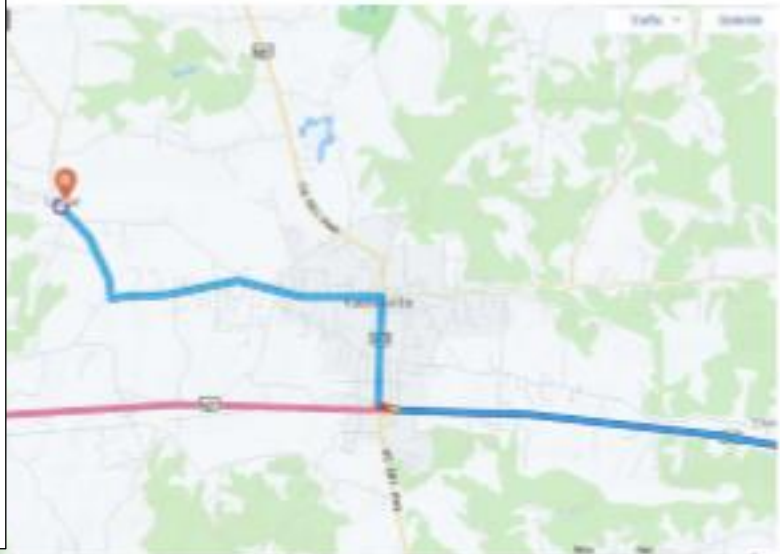
Registration: 6:00 pm  
Dinner: 6:30 pm (\$15 per)  
Meeting: 7:00 pm  
RSVP: [Gordonleo3@gmail.com](mailto:Gordonleo3@gmail.com) by May 3, 2019

Bring a Prospective Member and a Door Prize

## Directions from Rt 421

Take Exit 257 on US Rt421 toward Rt 601 to Yadkinville.

Turn Left onto W. Main Street in Yadkinville. Go 2.6 miles and turn left onto Center Road. Go 1 mile and the Church is on the right.





# 2019 Civitan International Convention

## Official Registration Form for Civitans and Guests

Hyatt Regency Downtown - Greenville, South Carolina

Wednesday, July 3 through Saturday, July 6

To register online, visit: [www.civitan.org](http://www.civitan.org)

**Instructions:** Registrations must be received on the Official Registration Form (include a separate signed form for each person). Every registrant must sign the Liability Release and Waiver, Indemnification. Only those registered as Civitan members may be certified to vote on behalf of his or her club or district. Delegate name badges will be required for entry to ALL convention functions including general sessions, workshops, and ticketed events.

### Check any offices you currently hold:

- ☐ Club President ☐ Governor ☐ International Board Member  
☐ Club President-elect ☐ Governor-elect ☐ Past International President

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Badge Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Civitan Club \_\_\_\_\_ Club Number \_\_\_\_\_

Civitan District \_\_\_\_\_ District Number \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary request: ☐ Vegetarian ☐ Vegan ☐ Gluten free ☐ Pescatarian ☐ Keto ☐ Kosher

This is my first Civitan International Convention.  
 I will be a voting delegate for my club.  
 I will be a voting delegate for my district.

☐ Yes ☐ No  
☐ Yes ☐ No  
☐ Yes ☐ No

\*Only those registered as Civitan members may be certified to vote. You may be a voting delegate for your club or district, NOT both.

### REGISTRATION ONLY

**Civitan Program ONLY**  
**\$160.00 for all non-ticketed functions including:**

- Opening Ceremonies
- Business Sessions
- Seminars and Workshops
- Host Hospitality, Supply House
- Civitan International Research Center Presentation
- Membership Program

**Guest Program**  
**Registration ONLY 210.00**  
**In addition to Civitan Program includes:**

- Thursday tour
- Friday tour

### TICKETED EVENTS

A themed Welcome Party will follow Opening Ceremonies. Tickets are limited. We will wrap up the convention with the Closing Banquet. Both of these events are separately ticketed and are not included in any other base program registration, but are included in packages as noted.

#### Welcome Party

**\$30.00** for Civitan or Guest, limited number of tickets available

#### Closing Banquet

**\$60.00** for Civitan or Guest

### EVENT PACKAGES

#### Civitan Event Package \$240.00

Includes complete Civitan Program in addition to the Welcome Party and Closing Banquet

#### Guest Event Package \$300.00

Includes complete Guest Program in addition to the Welcome Party and Closing Banquet

### Liability Release and Waiver, Indemnification.

The undersigned (hereinafter referred to as "Attendee") acknowledges, understands, confirms and agrees that Attendee's attendance at, and participation in any activities, events and functions (collectively, the "Activities") associated with, the 2019 Civitan International Annual Convention (the "Annual Convention") could result in injury to Attendee and/or damage to Attendee's property from a combination of factors including, but not limited to, dangerous conditions at, in or about any lodging, dining, meeting, recreational and/or other facilities utilized for the Annual Convention and the Activities, transportation of Attendee to and from the Annual Convention and/or the Activities, third-party vendors contracted to provide goods and services for the Annual Convention and its attendees, unfavorable weather conditions, and other risks to Attendee from attending the Annual Convention and participating in the Activities. Attendee fully realizes the dangers and risks to Attendee of attending the Annual Convention and participating in the Activities.

In consideration of the time, effort and expenses incurred by Civitan International to host the Annual Convention and plan the Activities, and as a condition to Attendee being permitted to attend the Annual Convention and participate in the Activities, ATTENDEE HEREBY IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY RELEASES, FOREVER DISCHARGES, AND AGREES NOT TO SUE OR BRING ANY OTHER LEGAL ACTION AGAINST THE RELEASED PARTIES (AS DEFINED BELOW) WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL CLAIMS AND CAUSES OF ACTION OF ANY NATURE WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, WHICH ATTENDEE HAS OR MAY IN THE FUTURE HAVE AND WHICH COULD BE ASSERTED BY OR ON BEHALF OF ATTENDEE IN CONNECTION WITH ATTENDEE'S ATTENDANCE AT THE ANNUAL CONVENTION AND/OR ATTENDEE'S PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE, NEGLIGENCE PER SE, NEGLIGENT MISREPRESENTATION, PREMISES LIABILITY, TORT CLAIMS, BREACH OF WARRANTY, STATUTORY VIOLATIONS AND BREACH OF CONTRACT. The term "Released Parties" shall mean Civitan International and its officers, directors, managers, employees, agents, representatives, volunteers, assigns and successors in interest.

I understand and agree that I may be photographed during my attendance at the Annual Convention and while participating in the Activities. I agree to allow my photo, video, or film likeness to be used for any legitimate purpose by Civitan International and/or its districts and member clubs without compensation or notice to me.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee Schedule (if received by)	April 1	May 1	June 15
<input type="checkbox"/> Civitan Event Package	\$240.00	\$255.00	\$270.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Civitan Registration only	\$160.00	\$175.00	\$190.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Guest Event Package	\$300.00	\$315.00	\$330.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Guest Registration only	\$210.00	\$225.00	\$240.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Welcome Party Ticket (Civitans & Guests)	\$30.00	\$40.00	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Installation Banquet Ticket (Civitans & Guests)	\$60.00	\$70.00	\$80.00

### Payment Options:

**A. Check or Money Order Enclosed** in the amount of: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Bill my Credit Card** ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ Discover ☐ American Express

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp Date \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail or fax form with payment or payment information to:

**Fax: (205) 592-6307**  
**Civitan International Convention**  
**P. O. Box 130744, Birmingham, AL**  
**35213-0744 USA**

**2019 Cancellation Policy:** Requests for registration refunds postmarked before May 15 will be assessed a \$15 processing fee. Requests for registration refunds postmarked May 15 through June 25 will be assessed a 50 percent fee. Requests postmarked June 25 through July 2 are eligible for a 25 percent refund. Request for refunds of ticketed events will not be accepted after June 25. Cancellations due to bona fide emergencies (death or illness) will be honored, less the \$15 processing fee, if received no later than August 6. No requests for refund will be honored after August 6. All requests must be received in writing.

**Convention Policy:** Registrant name badges will be required to attend ALL convention functions including general sessions, elections, workshops, and ticketed programs. These will be included in your convention packet, and provided upon arrival. Thank you for your understanding.