



MARCH 26-29
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

Schedule at a Glance

Wednesday, March 26

7:30 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBExpo Onsite Registration & Badge Pick-up
7:30 AM	-	5:30 PM	Coat/Bag Check
8:00 AM	-	10:00 AM	HPBA Gas & Solid Fuel Hearth Appliance Manufacturer Update Meeting
8:00 AM	-	4:00 PM	NFI Certification Exam Review Courses
8:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	NFI Certification Testing
8:00 AM	-	6:00 PM	CSIA Certification Reviews/Exams
8:30 AM	-	10:30 AM	HPBA Affiliate Leaders Board Training
10:30 AM	-	2:00 PM	Government Affairs Leadership Academy
10:30 AM	-	2:30 PM	HPBA Board of Directors Meeting
2:30 PM	-	4:00 PM	HPBA Vent-Free Product Subsection (Vent-Free Alliance) Meeting
2:30 PM	-	4:30 PM	Retailer Roundtables
5:00 PM	-	10:00 PM	HPBA Affiliate & HPBAC Receptions
10:00 PM			After Dark Nightlife Access <i>Registration and ticket required</i>

Thursday, March 27

7:30 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBExpo Onsite Registration & Badge Pick-up
7:30 AM	-	6:30 PM	Coat/Bag Check
8:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	NFI Certification Exam Review Courses
8:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	NFI Certification Testing
8:30 AM	-	10:00 AM	Opening Session
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Exhibit Hall Open
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Outdoor Burn Area Open
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	New Product Pavilion
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Attendees' Choice Award Voting
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	First-Time Exhibitors Pavilion
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBA Member Benefits & Services Booth
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBExpo 2026 Housing Selection
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Mobile Device Charging Lounge
10:15 AM	-	4:50 PM	HPBExpo General Education
11:00 AM	-	12:00 PM	Expo Highlights Tour
1:00 PM	-	5:00 PM	HPBExpo 2026 Priority Booth Sales
4:00 PM	-	6:00 PM	Women's Mentoring Event <i>Click Here to Register (required)</i>
Evening			Open Night / Manufacturer Events

Friday, March 28

7:30 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBExpo Onsite Registration & Badge Pick-up
7:30 AM	-	8:00 PM	Coat/Bag Check
10:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	NFI Certification Testing
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Exhibit Hall Open
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Outdoor Burn Area Open
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	New Product Pavilion
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Attendees' Choice Award Voting
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	First-Time Exhibitors Pavilion
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBA Member Benefits & Services Booth
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBExpo 2026 Housing Selection
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	HPBExpo 2026 Priority Booth Sales
10:00 AM	-	5:00 PM	Mobile Device Charging Lounge
10:15 AM	-	4:50 PM	HPBExpo General Education
11:00 AM	-	12:00 PM	Expo Highlights Tour
2:30 PM	-	3:30 PM	Tax Credits, Building Codes, & Product Certificates: Policy that Impacts Your Sales <i>Hosted by HPBA Government Affairs for Retailers, Reps, and Distributors</i>
4:00 PM			Attendees' Choice Awards Voting Closes
5:00 PM	-	7:30 PM	HPBA Ultimate Awards Show & Bayou Bash Industry Party
8:00 PM			After Dark Nightlife Access <i>Registration and ticket required</i>

Saturday, March 29

7:30 AM	-	2:00 PM	HPBExpo Onsite Registration & Badge Pick-up
7:30 AM	-	4:00 PM	Coat/Bag Check
10:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	Exhibit Hall Open
10:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	Outdoor Burn Area Open
10:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	New Product Pavilion
10:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	First-Time Exhibitors Pavilion
10:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	HPBA Member Benefits & Services Booth
10:00 AM	-	2:00 PM	HPBExpo 2026 Housing Selection
10:00 AM	-	2:00 PM	HPBExpo 2026 Priority Booth Sales
10:00 AM	-	3:00 PM	Mobile Device Charging Lounge
10:15 AM	-	2:50 PM	HPBExpo General Education
7:00 PM	-	10:00 PM	After Dark Networking Event <i>Registration and ticket required</i>

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All days and times are tentative, and subject to change.