



2025 Spring Conference / April 24-26

OMNI CHARLOTTESVILLE | CHARLOTTESVILLE

AREA ACTIVITIES

Sign up by emailing christy.jenkins@easterassociates.com.

Cville Escape Room and Gearharts Chocolate Tour have limited spaces, first come first served, so RSVP early and pay by cash or check the day of at the Conference Registration Desk.

Cville Escape Room (\$20/person – 8 Spaces Available)

Join us at the Cville Escape Room for Captain’s Challenge: Dread Pirate Rogers (Leo?) offers the stowaways a chance. Solve the riddles of the sea and walk free. Fail and walk the plank! We can plan to spend about one hour and 20 minutes at Cville Escape Room (located a short walk from Omni), as we do an introductory briefing before you play, and they will provide extra time as needed to make sure we complete the room.

Discounted to \$20/person thanks to our conference sponsors!

Gearharts Chocolate Tour (\$20/person)

Just across the street from the Omni – embark on a private, guided tour of the shop, where you’ll sample exquisite chocolates from various regions and countries, while learning about each one. Get a glimpse into Gearhart’s daily Chocolate Shop activities! After the tasting tour, enjoy a hands-on truffle demo where each participant can create their own truffles to take home.

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Saunders-Monticello Trail with Tyler Southall (Free)

We invite you to join us on the lovely and historic Saunders-Monticello Trail. This hike is approximately 4.3 miles total, and it is estimated that it will take about two hours to complete. We will meet at the Saunders-Monticello Trail & Kemper Park Parking Lot following the LGA lunch banquet (roughly 2:30-3 pm timeframe). Participants are encouraged to carpool as parking may be limited.

Anyone with questions about the hike can text Tyler Southall at (804) 896-5654.

The Charlottesville Mall

The Omni is ideally situated on Charlottesville’s historic pedestrian mall, renowned for its charming brick-lined streets, diverse boutiques, and a rich selection of restaurants and cafes. Channel your inner Andy Herrick and go on an “ice cream crawl” at Chaps Ice Cream (a nostalgic parlor known for its classic sundaes and milkshakes), followed up with a visit to Kilwins for even more handcrafted ice cream flavors, chocolates, and fudge; then finish yourself off with a bonbon at Gearhart’s Chocloates across from the Omni. If you prefer wine with your chocolate, stop by Crush Pad Wines, or the Virginia Shop.

LGA Book Exchange

Bring a new or gently loved book for a fellow LGA-er! A box will be available at the registration desk for book drop off or pick up. If you’re looking for a quiet Friday afternoon, consider picking up a good read and enjoying one of our host hotel’s service outlets or cozy nooks for a few hours.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24 – Friends of Bill W. Meeting

LGA has collaborated with Virginia Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program (VJLAP) to provide a space where folks in recovery can gather and support each other on Thursday, April 24, 5:30-6:30 pm before LGA’s Opening Night Party. Attendees can privately gather with a VJLAP representative in **SKYLINE**.

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