



National Association of State Departments of Agriculture

Annual Meeting • September 19-24, 2003 • Boise, Idaho

May 28, 2003

Dear Spouse/Guest:

Pat and I are excited to invite you to the NASDA 2003 Annual Meeting to be held from September 19-24 in Boise - Idaho's capital city.

Boise is a delightful blend of traditional and non-traditional sights and attractions. The City of Trees boasts one-of-a kind museums and urban parks, a river flowing through the heart of the city and a 25-mile riverfront greenbelt. Whether you are looking for live music, fine dining, eclectic shopping or professional sporting events, downtown Boise has what you want. Southwest Idaho's easily accessible outdoors beckons the visitor to enjoy the nearby mountains, high desert, sand dunes, scenic canyons and white water rafting rivers.

We have scheduled a variety of events for you, including a 5K walk as the "Celebrating Women in Agriculture" team in the Annual Boise Women's Fitness Celebration followed by a welcome luncheon, and a spa day featuring a variety of massages, facials, pedicures and manicures. However, there are other options ranging from white water rafting to cooking classes that can be arranged as soon as you let us know your interests.

Attached is the Spouse/Guest Activity Sign-Up Sheet that needs to be completed and faxed to (208) 334-2170 as soon as convenient. Please review the schedule and visit some of the websites for additional information. Don't forget to list other activities that interest you so that we may have the opportunity to try and make the arrangements!

We are truly looking forward to sharing Idaho with you. The earlier we receive your registration, and sign-up sheet the easier it will be for us to meet your needs. Please do not hesitate to contact Rachel Martinen (208) 332-8681 if you have any questions.

See you in Boise in September!

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