

2025 VASS-VASBO WINTER CONFERENCE

JANUARY 6-7, 2025
RICHMOND MARRIOTT DOWNTOWN



AGENDA AT A GLANCE

(Subject to minor changes. Updated on 11/14/24)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5

5:00-6:00 PM

VASS Board of Directors Meeting

VASBO Executive Team Meeting

7:00-9:00 PM

VASS/VASBO Joint Board Dinner - Red Bird Social

MONDAY, JANUARY 6

9:00-9:15 AM

Breakfast w/ Hopewell High School Jazz Band

Welcome and Opening Remarks

- **Band Showcase Song**
- **Ignite**
- **Opening Activity**

Dr. Herb Monroe, Surry County Schools Superintendent

9:15-9:45 AM

The Governor's Proposed Budget

Aimee Guidera, Virginia Secretary of Education

9:45-10:30 AM

Developing the Next Generation of CFO's

Dr. Lisa Coons, Virginia State Superintendent

Dr. Christina Berta, Chief Operating Officer, VDOE

10:30-11:00 AM

Joint Subcommittee on Elementary and Secondary

Education Funding Update

11:00-11:15 AM

Visit Partner Tables & Break

11:15 AM -12:15 PM

Morning Breakouts

12:15-1:00 PM

LUNCHEON

Special Recognitions

Luncheon Speaker: Bob Holsworth, Managing Principal, DecideSmart **Ignite**

1:00-1:15 PM

Visit Partner Tables & Break

1:15-2:00 PM

Crisis Planning: Are the right people at the table? 1st Lieutenant J.

R. Cornwell & Sgt. Travis Mitchell

2:00-3:30 PM

Breakout Sessions:

- **Communicating Your Budget**– Dr. Lori Mueller, Donovan Group
- **Financial Management & Sustainability** - Berkley Group
- **VASS Executive Coach Training**
- **Finance Topic**
- **VASS Master Mind Groups**

3:30-5:00 PM

Visit Partner Tables

5:00-6:30 PM

Reception in Honor of General Assembly Members and Key Education Policymakers

7:00-9:00 PM

VASS PLC Dinner - *Fall Line Restaurant*

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7

Breakfast

VASBO Management Team Breakfast Team Meeting

Door Prizes

8:30-9:00 AM

**Welcome Remarks/Updates from the General Assembly
Ignite**

9:00-9:40 AM

Analyzing the Governor's Budget – Jim Regimbal, Fiscal Analytics

9:40-10:10 AM

VRS Update – Patricia Bishop, VRS

10:10-10:30 AM

Virginia Gen AI Year of Learning Gallery Walk

10:30-11:00 AM

Legal Hot Topics – Micah Schwartz, Williams Mullen
Adjourn

