



**Mark your calendars for the
2009 CRA Convention
September 15-18, 2009**

Albuquerque, the City of Enchantment... host city for the 2009 CRA Convention

Albuquerque is known as one of the most culturally diverse cities in the country. The city's unique charm offers you a part of America that is truly enchanting. The city combines a unique blend of diverse cultures, natural beauty, historical attractions and a spectacular climate, which makes it perfect as the CRA's 2009 Convention city.

Albuquerque Airport

The airport is a short drive to the Sandia Resort and the hotel has a shuttle service which is available for transportation to and from the airport. Albuquerque has inexpensive airfare with many airlines and easy access from all parts of the country. The following airlines fly into Albuquerque: American Airlines, Continental, Delta, Frontier, Northwest, Southwest, United, and US Air.

The Sandia Resort (www.sandiaresort.com)

The Hotel has over 228 spacious guest rooms; each has a 32" LCD flat screen TV and high speed internet access, they are all richly accentuated with Southwest flavor decor. The hotel property has several restaurants, an 18 hole championship golf course, and a Las Vegas style casino; and is only 40 minutes from Santa Fe. Plan to come early or stay longer to enjoy what Albuquerque and the Sandia Resort has to offer.



Shuttle Service:

Reservation must be made in advance to take advantage of the complimentary Sandia Shuttle to and from the Albuquerque Airport. Have your flight information available when you call the Shuttle Transportation Department at **505-796-7779** to schedule your pick up.



The Sandia Resort and Casino
30 Rainbow Road NE
Albuquerque, NM 87113
505-796-7500

The dress code for the convention is business casual.

CONVENTION TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

TUESDAY 9/15/09

		EVENT
8:00PM	11:00PM	Registration and hospitality

WEDNESDAY 9/16/09


7:30AM	5:00PM	Registration
8:30AM	9:00AM	Continental Breakfast
9:00AM	12:00PM	Educational Session
2:00PM	5:00PM	Exhibitors Set up
12:00PM	1:30PM	Lunch with Keynote Speaker
1:30PM	3:00PM	Round Table discussion
9:00PM	11:00PM	Hospitality

THURSDAY 9/17/09

8:00AM	6:00PM	Registration
8:00AM	9:00PM	Continental Breakfast
8:00AM	11:00PM	Exhibitors Set Up
8:45AM	9:00PM	CRA Annual Business Meeting
9:00AM	12:00PM	Educational Session
12:00PM	1:00PM	Lunch in Exhibit Hall
12:00PM	4:00PM	Exhibits Open
4:00PM		Exhibits Break down
6:00PM	7:00PM	Cocktail Reception
7:00PM		Dinner and Charity Auction
10:00PM	11:30PM	Hospitality

FRIDAY 9/18/09

8:00AM		Golf Outing
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**2009 CRA
Convention & Tradeshow
September 14-18, 2009
SANDIA Resort and
Casino
Albuquerque, NM**

Hey look us over...

Just like the TV show “Designed to Sell” the CRA web site has been made over and updated with a new and improved look. The site has been cleaned, polished, and spruced up and is ready for everyone to take a walk through. The web site reflects the dynamic and innovative association that the CRA represents, and it also has tons of information.

“Clean and Professional”, “Easy to navigate”, “Brings the CRA into the future”, “Lots of information and easy to find”, “Dynamic” are just some of the comments heard so far about the new site.

You are invited to check it out for yourself go to <http://www.cra1.org> and see if you agree. All comments welcome.

Attention all vendors...

Time to act is now...

It is now time to make your commitment for this year's tradeshow exhibits. There are a minimum number of booths still available for the tradeshow in Albuquerque on September 15th-18th, 2009.

One 8'x10' booth is only \$785 and **NEW** this year the booth fee includes **all the convention activities** for one person (excluding golf). Which means your booth fee now enables you to participate in all the educational seminars as well as partake in the outstanding meals, social/networking events for each day of the convention. Each booth fee includes the following:

- **ONE FULL REGISTRATION** -all meals, social, networking, and educational events (excluding golf)
- 8' X10' BOOTH SPACE
- PIPE AND DRAPE AND ID SIGN
- ONE SIX FOOT TABLE AND TWO CHAIRS
- TWO BADGES FOR BOOTH PERSONNEL
- A LISTING ON THE CRA WEB SITE AS A PREFERRED SUPPLIER AND A LINK TO YOUR WEB SITE
- EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS AND ALL MEALS/NETWORKING EVENTS

Second 8'x10' booth is only \$650 (Includes all of the above)

Exhibit booth registration forms can be downloaded from the web site www.cra1.org

Any questions please contact: Warren Doherty, 314-738-4312, warren.doherty@oce.com

Susan Dobovsky, 847-476-1269, susand@azon.com

Shirley Zawoyski, 630-351-2202, shirley@cra1.org

CRA Tradition Since 1989...

The CRA will be holding its annual CHARITY AUCTION at this year's convention in Albuquerque, New Mexico. The auction will be held at dinner on Thursday evening, September 17th.



Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Central New Mexico

This year President, Kevin O'Hea, has chosen the *Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central New Mexico* charity. (www.bbbs-cnm.org) Big Brothers Big Sisters matches children ages 6 through 15 with mentors in professionally supported one-to-one relationships. Matches can stay together with the support of the agency until the age of 18.

INSPIRE A CHILD TO DREAM.

*"Inspiration comes through the little things we do each day.
In the life of a child those little things mean a better future; a different outlook on life."*

What Big Brothers Big Sisters is all about...



Bigs and Littles have fun together – and create memories that last a lifetime. Call it "Little moments ... Big magic." Research points to the powerful, positive, lasting impact Bigs have on children's lives. Littles are :

- 52% less likely to skip school
- 46% less likely to begin using illegal drugs
- 27% less likely to get involved in underage drinking
- More likely to get along with their families and peers

Bring your clubs to Albuquerque!

Friday Morning 8:00 AM, September 18, 2009.



You are invited to participate in the CRA Golf Tournament. Come and enjoy a round of Golf with your fellow CRA members. The Golf Tournament is being held at the Sandia Golf Club (www.sandiagolf.com). It was voted best places to play in 2008-2009 by Golf Digest. Stretching from 7,700 to over 7,772 yards from the back tees and routed through the rugged, high-desert landscape, the golf course will provide a memorable and exciting experience encompassing strategically placed bunkers, challenging green complexes and panoramic views of the Sandia Mountains, the Rio Grande River, the Corrales Bosque, and greater Albuquerque area.

See you on the course!!!

REGISTER EARLY TO RESERVE YOU SPOT ON THE TEE!

EARLY ENTRY FEE:

\$150 per person,

8:00AM Shot Gun start,

four person scramble

Club Rental \$40.00 Standard Set **MUST BE RESERVED IN**

ADVANCE by contacting Trent 515-240-1326 or Shirley 630-351-2202

Golf sponsorship is encouraged and the following levels are available.

Platinum \$350

Gold \$250

Silver \$125 (single hole sponsor)

Recognition for donations.



Golf registration forms can be downloaded from the CRA web site www.cra1.org



April 29- May 1, 2009, Pittsburgh, PA
The CRA will have a booth set up in the
Regional Pavilion at the IRGA. Please
stop by to say hello and ask about the
2009 Convention in Albuquerque.

ARE YOU "GOOD TO GO" FOR THAT \$130?

In the last newsletter, we told you about the great value we give you for your \$130 yearly membership in the CRA. As you can see in this newsletter, the CRA has a tremendous amount of value to offer you in 2009. In this changed economic time, our value to you is growing! This September in Albuquerque we will bring you a convention full of great ideas, information and innovation at a very affordable cost to you. Our goal is to give you so much more back in return for the money you spend on the CRA this year.

In order to make it all happen, though, we need you as a member. Your support is vital in helping us make this a great organization. So, are you "Good to go for \$130" this year? We hope you are and we need you! Please do not hesitate and send in your membership as soon as you can.

You can call or email Shirley at the contact info below to renew or join, or you can mail, email or fax in the membership form below. We took credit cards in 2008 and it was a huge hit! Just send the form with all of your credit card information (MC, Visa, AMEX) and we will do the rest.

Central Reprographics Association, Attn: Shirley Zawoyski
1601 S. Indian Hill Drive, Roselle, IL 60172
PH: 630-351-2202, FAX: 630-351-9824, EMAIL: Shirley@cra1.org

Thank you for your support,

Kent Long
Vice President, Membership

Membership Application

Company _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ Phone _____
Primary contact person: _____ Title _____
FAX _____ E-Mail _____
Spouse's name _____
Web site _____

Use the following form to pay membership fee with a credit card.

Please print all information

CONTACT NAME _____

COMPANY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ FAX _____

E-MAIL _____

CREDIT CARD TYPE (CIRCLE ONE) VISA MASTERCARD AMERICAN EXPRESS

CARD NUMBER _____

EXPIRATION DATE _____ SECURITY NUMBER FROM CARD _____

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