RMCMI
June 24 – 26, 2018
Hotel Talisa, Vail, Colorado

2018 SPEAKERS

Kate MacGregor, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Land and Minerals Management, U.S. Department of Interior (invited)
Charlie Kirk, Founder, Turning Point USA
Colin Marshall, President, CEO, COO, Cloud Peak Energy
Holly Krutka, VP Coal Generation and Emissions Technology, Peabody Energy
Michael J. Nasi, Partner, Jackson Walker, LLP
Rusty Ashcraft, Partner, Northstar Strategies, LLC
Laura Beverage, Jackson Kelly PLLC
Corey Heaps, Bowie Resource Partners, RMCMI Safety Presentation
Chris McCourt, Mine Manager, Colowyo Coal Company
Randall W. Atkins, Chairman & CEO, RAMACO, LLC
Tom Gray, Energy & Natural Resources Manager, Tetra Tech
Robert Murray, CEO Murray Energy - Closing Luncheon

ADDITIONAL SPEAKERS TO BE ANNOUNCED SOON
Travel

Driving Directions

From Denver International Airport (DEN)
Travel west on Interstate-70.
Take Exit 176 following signs towards Lionshead.
At the end of the ramp enter the roundabout and turn left to travel under the interstate.
Enter the second roundabout and take the first right onto South Frontage Road.
The resort is approximately 1.75 miles ahead on the left.

From Eagle County Regional Airport (EGE)
Travel east on Interstate-70.
Take Exit 173 / West Vail.
At the end of the ramp enter the roundabout and follow signs to South Frontage Road / Vail Village / Lionshead.
The resort is one mile ahead on the right.

Parking
Complimentary self-parking in garage, included in resort fee. Valet parking is available for $28/night

About Vail:
From rock climbing to deep tissue massages, there's something for everyone here. Located just 100 miles west of Denver, Vail is a showcase for Rocky Mountain beauty, adventure and retreat. The mountains offer four seasons of outdoor fun, including hiking, biking, rafting, fly-fishing, golf, tennis, snowmobiling and more.

Nature and nurture go hand in hand in Vail. The town is an inviting place to shop, dine, explore art galleries and pamper yourself. Vail is also home to annual events, such as a food and wine festival, a renowned Fourth of July event and summer music and dance festivals. Other local attractions include the Gerald Ford Amphitheater, Betty Ford Alpine Gardens, Vail Nature Center and Colorado Ski and Snowboard Museum and Hall of Fame.

Vail Valley is sunny about 300 days a year. Summer temperatures peak at about 78 degrees. Please bring a jacket, as nights can be cool and afternoon showers are frequent. Please remember to stay hydrated while you are in higher elevations, and drink responsibly.
Lodging & Rates
Hotel Talisa
1300 Westhaven Dr
Vail, CO 81657

Room reservations are your responsibility; however, if you have any issues when trying to make your hotel reservations, please contact the RMCMCI office. You may call Hotel Talisa directly at 970-476-7111 or 800-420-2424 and request the RMCMCI group rate or make your reservations online through the following link:

https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/events/start.action?id=1701020660&key=303DDCDBD

Please ask for cancellation policies when you book your room.
Please note the cut-off date for reservations is June 8, 2018
(Rooms may be available after that date, but not guaranteed at our rate)

Rates & Amenities

Superior guest rooms are available for $169/night plus $15.00 resort fee
Deluxe guest rooms are available for $189/night plus $15.00 resort fee
Suites, condos and rental homes are available at varied rates. Please contact RMCMCI office for details.
The room rates are available 3 days pre and post conference, but you must call the hotel for those reservations.

The resort fee includes access to the Aria Spa & Club, the sports, fitness and health facility, shuttle service to Lionshead and Vail Villages, and in-room high speed internet access. The shuttles run every 15 minutes to the Village.
Welcome Reception

Please join us to kick off our great conference with the Welcome Reception. This year, we will do more of a drinks and hors’oeuvres format so that people can make dinner arrangements with their clients. Join us from 5:30-7:00 p.m. to network with your colleagues and then make plans for dinner on your own.

Children’s Program

One thing that is unique about our conference is the inclusion of families. Children are an important part of the meeting. They must have a badge to attend any of the functions. We are fortunate to have EMT’s available for our kid’s night out from the Kern Education Group. PLEASE PRE-REGISTER for the event and a medical release will be required.

Sunday June 24 – 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. – Children will have a fun, safe evening with games, arts & crafts and dinner while their parents enjoy the Welcome Reception. Pre-registration is mandatory to assure the right number of dinners and sitters.

Monday June 25 – 6:30-10:00 p.m. – Children will join their parents during the Monday Night event. Parents are responsible for their children during all activities.

Mine Rescue

The Rocky Mountain Coal Mining Institute is proud to present the 27th Annual Mine Rescue Safety Training & Evaluation during the 114th Conference and Annual Meeting David and Cheryl Evans co-chair the event. The Kern Education Group provides outstanding hands on classes for emergency medical situations. The focus for this year will be: “There is a Safe Way and a Safer Way to do Rescue, we Choose the Safer Way.” Approximately 10 teams will participate in various classes and simulated scenarios to take important training back to their respective operations. The schedule has changed somewhat this year. The teams will be completing training throughout the day on Tuesday, and then will be recognized for their efforts with a Tuesday evening Awards Dinner, rather than our usual Tuesday morning Awards Breakfast. This dinner is open to participants with an All Inclusive (A) package, or you may purchase separate tickets to attend. Please show your support to these teams, and the hard work they put in during this training.
Preliminary Program
114th Conference & Annual Meeting
(Mine Rescue Program Separate)

Saturday, June 23
2:30-4:30 p.m.  RMCMI Registration
3:00 p.m.  RMCMI Board of Directors Meeting

Sunday, June 24
8:30 a.m.  Golf Tournament – Lunch and awards follow play
9:00 a.m.  RMCMI Registration to 5:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.  Advisory Board Meeting
4:00 p.m.  Scholarship Orientation Meeting
4:30 p.m.  Welcome Committee Meeting
5:30 p.m.  Welcome Reception – (included in A package, or tickets required)

Monday, June 25
7:15 a.m.  Breakfast
7:15 a.m.  Speakers Breakfast
8:15 a.m.  Welcome
8:30 a.m.  RMCMI Annual Meeting
8:50-10:15 a.m.  Technical Sessions Begin
10:15 a.m.  Break
10:45-11:45 a.m.  Sessions Resume
12:00 noon.  Scholarship Luncheon and Life Member Presentation
2:00 p.m.  Safety Award Presentations
2:30-4:30 p.m.  Sessions Resume
6:30 p.m.  Reception (two drink tickets provided)
7:00 p.m.  Monday Family BBQ

Tuesday, June 26
7:30 a.m.  Breakfast
8:30 a.m.  Technical Sessions Begin
10:30 a.m.  Break
11:00 a.m.  Sessions Resume
12 noon  Closing Luncheon
6:00 p.m.  Mine Rescue Awards Dinner

A drawing for two free “A” packages to the 2019 Vail, Colorado conference will be held at the conclusion of the sessions on Tuesday. Must be present to win.

Thank you to President, Ron Destefano as he passes the gavel to Wendy Hutchinson.

A limited number of exhibitor tables will be available, please contact the office for details.
The Rocky Mountain Coal Mining Institute is a 501(c)(3) organization and as such relies on contributions and membership investments to support the various Institute programs. We sincerely thank those who continue to support the Institute and welcome additional sponsors who wish to help Promote Coal Through Education.

Sponsors of the Institute

Conference Supporter
- Snell & Wilmer
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- Dyno Nobel
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Golf
- Phillips 66

Mine Rescue Evaluator Sponsor
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Mine Rescue Sponsor
- North American Coal
- Westmoreland Coal

Monday Night BBQ & Entertainment
- Komatsu Mining Group
- Cloud Peak Energy

Registration
- CDG Engineers

Safety Awards
- Bisti Fuels Company

Scholarship Luncheon
- Peabody Energy
- Rimpull Corporation
- Trapper Mining, Inc.
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Session Sponsors
- J.H. Fletcher
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- Northstar Strategies, LLC
- Rhino Resource Partners

Website Sponsor
- Murray Energy

Welcome Reception
- Bowie Resource Partners, LLC

ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE. SEE WWW.RMCMI.ORG FOR YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

Closing Luncheon

This year, because of the Mine Rescue Program change, we will have a closing luncheon featuring Robert Murray, CEO of Murray Energy Corporation. Mr. Murray joined RMCMI in 1970 and was President in 1979. The convention was held in Vail that year as well. He was awarded Life Membership in RMCMI in 2004. Murray Energy has generously sponsored the RMCMI and Friends of Coal West websites for several years.

The 114th Conference & Annual Meeting – “Coal and Coal Products – Helping to Advance a Sustainable Energy Future”
The scholarship luncheon is always a highlight of the conference. The students attending have the opportunity to speak to the group about what the scholarship means to them. Since 1984, we have awarded $858,000 to 329 students. Bob Burnham and Jill Nelson rate the applications and interview the students to determine who will be selected for the award. Their help is invaluable to the Institute. We also thank our Patron Chair, Joe Micheletti for his efforts in soliciting donations. Please make plans to participate in our auctions at the conference; it has allowed us to continue with this important program. It has become a fun event, and a way to help a deserving student. Please donate an item and make a purchase!

8th Annual Scholarship Auction

Scholarship Information

16 scholarships provided annually

100% of all auction proceeds help fund the scholarship program

All donations are tax deductible

Scholarship winners are given an all-expense paid trip to attend our annual conference.

Suggested Donations for Auctions — Silent & Live

Tickets for Sporting Events  •  Hotel Gift Certificates  •  Vacation Rentals

Gift Baskets  •  Electronics  •  Equipment & Services

If you are interested in donating an item, please contact:
Judy Colgan jcolgan@rmcmi.org  |  Chelsey Wilson cwilson@rmcmi.org  |  303-948-3300

Life Member

Each year the RMCMI Board of Directors considers bestowing a member with the honor of “Life Member”. A member is chosen based on his/her service to the Institute and to its goals and purposes. “The person who serves — deserves.” There are years when one or more of our members stand out for having served above and beyond for the benefit of the Institute. Attend the Scholarship Luncheon to see who will receive this prestigious honor.
LOCATION: Eagle Vail Golf Club, 459 Eagle Drive, Avon, CO 81620

COURSE DETAILS: EagleVail's stunning mountain setting with its varying microclimates and multi-faceted terrain is one Colorado's most unique golf courses. Nestled only five minutes from Vail resorts, EagleVail offers 18 holes of pristine challenging golf. EagleVail's golf course was created in the 1970s by the Devlin/Von Hagge design team to provide a true mountain golf experience. The elevation changes on the course will have you talking about your shots, long after you finish #18.

TIME: 8:30 a.m. shotgun start

FORMAT: 4-person Scramble.

COST: $195 per member/spouse. Includes green fees, cart, range balls, prizes & lunch.

PRIZES: Prizes will be awarded at the luncheon directly following the tournament.

DEADLINE: June 10, 2018 for the lowest price. No refunds will be made after this date.

CONFIRMATION: Pairing requests will be honored by earliest submission. In case of multiple requests for the same player, earliest postmark determines foursome. Pairings will be posted at conference registration, and if possible on the website prior to the conference.

PLEASE RETURN THIS SHEET WITH YOUR REGISTRATION

WE CANNOT PAIR ANYONE WITHOUT A HANDICAP.

You may pay by check or credit card.

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Golf
Sunday June 24, 2018
## Sponsorship Opportunities for 2018 Vail, CO

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<td>Golf Hole Sponsor</td>
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Each event can have more than one sponsor. You will receive a banner at the actual event, recognition on our website and in all mailings and newsletters, and our eternal thanks for your support. Make your commitment early for the most continued publicity leading up to our special event.

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## RMCMI Board of Directors

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<td>Tarra Gerlach, Treasurer</td>
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<td>Judy Colgan, Executive Director</td>
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Attention is from coal, utility, manufacturing, service/suppliers, transportation, consultants, research, education and more.

- All adult attendees must have either
  - Package A
  - Package B
- Name tags are required.
- Non-members will be charged an additional $200. Speakers, scholars, and students are not required to be members.

**REGISTRATION FEES INCLUDE:**

**Package A - All Inclusive**

Only additional costs are for optional programs such as golf, and children's program.

- All Technical Sessions & Breaks
- Sunday Welcome Reception
- Monday Breakfast
- Monday Scholarship Awards Lunch
- Monday BBQ and Entertainment
- Tuesday Breakfast
- Closing Luncheon
- Tuesday Mine Rescue Awards Dinner

**Package B - Basic Package**

- All Technical Sessions & Breaks
- Monday Breakfast
- Tuesday Breakfast
- Monday BBQ and Entertainment

You may also purchase tickets for:

- Welcome Reception
- Scholarship Lunch
- Monday BBQ & Entertainment
- Closing Luncheon
- MR Awards Dinner

Attire for the conference is casual. Remember a jacket for Colorado weather changes. Remember to drink a lot of water during your time at higher elevations.

**Options**

- Kids Night Out
- Golf

**Annual Meeting**

An overview of what your Board of Directors and Committees have done during the year as well as election of next years’ officers. You will also have a chance to win two FREE “A” packages to the 2019 RMCMi Conference in Vail, CO. Prior winners are not eligible.

**Cancellations**

A $100 fee will be assessed for cancellations, in writing, received after June 10.

No refunds after June 17.

**Travel & Lodging**

Participants are responsible for their own travel and lodging arrangements. See page 3.

**Register**

Please register online at [www.rmcmi.org](http://www.rmcmi.org).

- Pay Online by Credit Card or Mail Check to:
  - RMCMi
  - 3900 Wadsworth Blvd.
  - Suite 365
  - Lakewood, CO 80235
- Fax Payment to: 303/954-9004
- Questions: Call Judy at 303/948-3300 or e-mail mail@rmcmi.org.

**Mine Rescue Registration is Separate**
REGISTRATION INFORMATION (Please print/write legibly)

Name ___________________________ Name for Badge ___________________________ Prof. Eng. □
Company _________________________ Title ________________________________
Address __________________________ Address ________________________________
City ___________________________ State ______ Zip __________
Phone ___________________________ Cell ___________________________ E-Mail ___________________________

If Spouse or Children are attending, please complete family section below

Badge Name for Spouse (first & last) ___________________________
Child #1 ___________________________ Birth Year ______
Child #2 ___________________________ Birth Year ______
Child #3 ___________________________ Birth Year ______
Child #4 ___________________________ Birth Year ______
City, State & Zip ________________________________
E-mail ________________________________
Phone ________________________________

All “A” and “B” packages include technical sessions, Monday breakfast, Monday BBQ and entertainment, morning and afternoon breaks.

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OPTIONAL EVENTS - Per Person - Adults must register for “A” or “B” package before signing up for optional events. Please sign up prior to conference so meals can be planned

Golf (include form on pg. 11) ........................................... @ 195 ea @ 215 ea
Golf Hole Sponsor ...................................................... @ 175 ea @ 175 ea
Welcome Reception Incl. in Pkg. A - Everyone else welcome with ticket ................................................... @ 80 ea @ 90 ea
Sunday Kid’s Night Out While parents are at Welcome Reception - need ticket ................................................... @ 35 ea @ 45 ea
Monday Scholarship Lunch Incl. in Pkg. A - Everyone else welcome with ticket ................................................... @ 50 ea @ 60 ea
Monday Child BBQ Ages 4-13 (3 and under is free) ................................................... @ 60 ea @ 75 ea
Monday Adult BBQ Ages 14 & up ........................................... @ 120 ea @ 130 ea
Tuesday Closing Luncheon Incl. in Pkg. A - Everyone else welcome with ticket ................................................... @ 50 ea @ 60 ea
Tuesday Mine Rescue Dinner Incl. in Pkg. A and MR - Everyone else welcome with ticket ................................................... @ 65 ea @ 75 ea
Tuesday Mine Rescue Dinner / Child Ages 4-13 ........................................... @ 35 ea @ 40 ea

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE FOR CONFERENCE ............................................... $ __________

2018 RMCMII Dues $200 ($75 senior) per calendar year ............................................... $ __________

PATRONS (Scholarship Contribution - Tax Deductible) ............................................... $ __________

TOTAL ............................................................... $ __________

CHECK # __________________ CHARGE: Account # _______________________________ CVC ______
Expiration Date __/__/_____ Authorized for Payment of $ __________ Date ___________________________
Signature ___________________________ Print Cardholder’s Name ___________________________

Mine Rescue Registration Separate
Save the Date
June 23 – 25, 2019
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