

VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF FIRST RESPONDERS

2026 Winter Symposium

REGISTRATION HOW-TO GUIDE



December 3-6, 2026 | Kalahari Resorts & Convention Center

www.vafr.org/winter-symposium/

VAFR MEMBERS	NON-MEMBERS
\$100	\$200

Members must enter through the VAFR Member Center to receive the \$100 member registration rate.

Step 1 - Open the Winter Symposium Page

Go to the VAFR Winter Symposium webpage. This is the starting point for both member and non-member registration. <https://www.vafr.org/winter-symposium/>

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Step 2 - Select Registration Now Open

Near the top of the Winter Symposium page, select the red REGISTRATION NOW OPEN button.

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MAKE THIS YOUR WINTER TRAINING DESTINATION

Four Days. One Incredible Location.

Join first responders from across Virginia for the inaugural VAFR Winter Symposium at the brand-new Kalahari Resorts & Convention Center in Spotsylvania. Experience four days of practical education, hands-on training, professional development, networking, and opportunities to reconnect with colleagues, friends, and family.

Step 3 - Choose Your Registration Type

Select the option that applies to you. VAFR Members register for \$100. Non-Members register for \$200.

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

Register for the Winter Symposium

Choose the appropriate registration option below. VAFR members receive the discounted member registration rate.

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REGISTER NOW	REGISTER NOW

NON-MEMBERS: Click NON-MEMBERS - REGISTER NOW and proceed directly to the Cvent registration form. Complete the requested information and continue through Cvent to finish registration.

VAFR MEMBERS: Click VAFR MEMBERS - REGISTER NOW. You will be taken to the VAFR Member Center so your member status can be verified before registration.

Step 4 - Members: Sign In to the Member Center

Enter your VAFR Member Center username and password, then click Sign In. If needed, use the Forgot Username? or Forgot Password? links on the page.

Sign In



Member Center

Please Enter Your Username

Please Enter Your Password

Sign In

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Step 5 - Members: Select the Winter Symposium Registration Button

After signing in, locate and click the tile labeled VAFR Winter Symposium Register NOW.



Member Center

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VAFR Winter Symposium
Register NOW

Step 6 - Complete Cvent Registration

Cvent will open the Winter Symposium registration form. Complete your personal information and follow the prompts to finish registration.

Non-member registration uses the same Cvent process, but non-members enter Cvent directly from the public Winter Symposium page.



Winter Symposium 2026

December 3, 2026 – December 6, 2026

⌚ 8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Kalahari Resorts & Conventions - Spotsylvania County

⌚ 6109 Patriot Highway
Woodford, VA 22580

Personal Information

Fill out the information below, then click Next to continue.

VAFR MEMBER - \$100

1. Visit the Winter Symposium webpage.
2. Click REGISTRATION NOW OPEN.
3. Click VAFR MEMBERS - REGISTER NOW.
4. Sign in to the VAFR Member Center.
5. Click VAFR Winter Symposium Register NOW.
6. Complete registration in Cvent.

NON-MEMBER - \$200

1. Visit the Winter Symposium webpage.
2. Click REGISTRATION NOW OPEN.
3. Click NON-MEMBERS - REGISTER NOW.
4. Complete registration in Cvent.