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**2024**  
**NJBMDA**  
**MEMBERSHIP BROCHURE**



## 2024 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**March 13**  
**IDEAS Tradeshaw**

Valley Forge Resort & Casino, King of Prussia, PA

**March 27**

**NJBMDA Board of Directors Meeting & Regional Meeting**  
1776 by David Burke featuring TopGolf Swing Suite, Morristown, NJ

**April 29- May 1**  
**ABMA Federal Advocacy Week**  
Washington, D.C.

**May 21**  
**NJBMDA Golf Outing**  
Fiddler's Elbow Country Club, Bedminster, NJ

**June 19**  
**NJBMDA Board of Directors Meeting**  
Hamilton Farms Golf Club, Gladstone, NJ

**July 18**  
**NJBMDA Board of Directors Meeting**  
North Jersey Country Club, Wayne, NJ

**August 20**  
**NJBMDA Board of Directors Meeting**  
Deal Golf & Country Club, Deal, NJ

**October 9**  
**NJBMDA Annual Meeting**  
Raritan Valley Country Club, Bridgewater Twp, NJ

**December 11**  
**NJBMDA Board of Directors Meeting**  
Mohegan Sun, Uncasville, CT

**December 11-12**  
**129th LBM Expo**  
Mohegan Sun, Uncasville, CT

## NJBMDA MEMBER BENEFITS

### AMT

Association Member Trust is a health benefits trust run by members for members. Insurance is offered through Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of NJ. To learn more, contact: AMT at 973-379-1090.

### LEGISLATIVE

The New Jersey Building Materials Dealers Association's Legislative Committee, led by Chair Steve Gerard and lobbyist Scot Mackey, focuses on advocating for the lumber and building materials industry in New Jersey. It maintains strong ties with the Governor's office and Legislature, addressing key issues such as affordability and the state's challenging business climate, which ranks dead last nationally. The committee champions sensible legislation to lower property taxes, promote workforce development, and address concerns regarding all-electric buildings. It emphasizes setting realistic goals while advocating for measures that balance environmental considerations with economic viability. By providing a tempered perspective, the committee ensures legislative efforts align with the industry's practical needs and the state's broader interests.

Nationally, ABMA, powered by NRLA and CSA, continues to advocate for our members on vital issues like the Softwood Lumber Agreement, tax matters (including the bonus depreciation tax credit), Employer Directed Skills Act, and lower credit card processing fees. These priorities have a direct impact on the broader LBM industry, influencing the tax environment, supply chains, and business investments. Your continued engagement is essential as we collectively navigate and shape the future of New Jersey's LBM industry.

### SUPPORT

One purpose of the NJBMDA is to encourage high levels of professional standards and education in the industry. To support this goal, the association offers \$1,000 education subsidy to members participating in NRLA's online learning management system, virtual classes, and in person education. NJBMDA offers financial support for other events including the annual Timber Tour, Legislative Conference and the LBM Expo.

### SCHOLARSHIP

The association offers up to fifteen \$1,000 scholarships for NJBMDA employees and their family members pursuing post-secondary education.

### MEMBER BENEFITS

- Health Insurance
- Healthiest You by Teladoc (virtual health insurance, including doctor visits, mental health, nutrition, etc.)
- Labor Relations Hotline
- Drug & Alcohol Testing Services
- Guide to Employee Handbook
- Employment Forms
- Education: interactive virtual classroom training, on-line learning management system
- OSHA Compliance
- Credit Card Processing Program
- NRLA Roundtables
- Assistance for NRLA Member Employees Impacted by Natural Disaster
- NRLA advisory board is composed of several professionals with decades of experience in the fields of accounting, financial planning, law. Banking and more.

For more information or if you have any questions, please contact: Philip Jagiela at 215-280-3718 or [pjagiela@nrla.org](mailto:pjagiela@nrla.org).



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