

# AMERICAN RECREATION COALITION 2017 KEY ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

## JANUARY

- 10-12 Outdoor Retailer Winter Market  
Salt Lake City, Utah  
Contact: Outdoor Retailer, [www.outdoorretailer.com](http://www.outdoorretailer.com)
- 17-18 National Ski Areas Association Western Winter Conference  
Steamboat Springs, Colorado  
Contact: National Ski Areas Association, [www.nsaa.org](http://www.nsaa.org)
- 25-27 International Marina and Boatyard Conference  
Greater Fort Lauderdale/Broward County Convention Center  
Fort Lauderdale, Florida  
Contact: [www.MarinaAssociation.org/IMBC](http://www.MarinaAssociation.org/IMBC)
- 31-Feb. 1 National Ski Areas Association Eastern Winter Conference  
Mount Snow, Vermont  
Contact: National Ski Areas Association, [www.nsaa.org](http://www.nsaa.org)
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## FEBRUARY

- 12-15 The Corps Network 2017 National Conference -- Moving Forward  
Together: Promoting Racial, Environmental and Community Equity  
Washington, DC  
Contact: The Corps Network, <http://www.corpsnetwork.org/>
- 12-16 2017 Spring Friends Alliance Meeting, Convention and Trade Show  
Crystal Gateway Marriott  
Arlington, Virginia  
Contact: Public Lands Alliance, [www.publiclandsalliance.org/convention/home](http://www.publiclandsalliance.org/convention/home)
- 16-20 Progressive Strictly Sail Miami  
Miamarina at Bayside  
Miami, Florida  
Contact: [www.strictlysailmiami.com/show-info](http://www.strictlysailmiami.com/show-info)
- 16-20 Progressive Miami International Boat Show  
Miami Marine Stadium Park and Basin  
Virginia Key, Florida  
Contact: [www.miamiboatshow.com](http://www.miamiboatshow.com)

26-March 2 National Tour Association Travel Exchange  
St. Louis, Missouri  
Contact: [www.NTAonline.com/convention](http://www.NTAonline.com/convention)

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## MARCH

- 1-3 RVIA Leadership Conference  
Boca Raton, Florida  
Contact: Recreation Vehicle Industry Association, [www.rvia.org](http://www.rvia.org)
- 1-5 Progressive Atlantic City Boat Show  
Atlantic City Convention Center  
Contact: [www.acboatshow.com/](http://www.acboatshow.com/)
- 2-5 World Fishing and Outdoor Exposition  
Rockland Community College  
Suffern, New York  
Contact: [www.sportshows.com/suffern/index.html](http://www.sportshows.com/suffern/index.html)
- 7-10 FMCA's 95<sup>th</sup> International Convention  
Chandler, Arizona  
Contact: Family Motor Coach Association, 800-543-3622, [www.fmca.com](http://www.fmca.com)
- 23-26 Progressive Northwest Sportshow  
Minneapolis Convention Center  
Minneapolis, Minnesota  
Contact: [www.northwestsportshow.com/](http://www.northwestsportshow.com/)
- 28-29 Destination Capitol Hill  
The Mayflower Hotel  
Washington, D.C.  
Contact: U.S. Travel Association, [www.ustravel.org/dch](http://www.ustravel.org/dch)
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## APRIL

- 6-9 Pacific Sail and Power Boat Show and Marine Sports Expo  
Craneway Pavilion and Marina Bay Yacht Harbor  
Richmond, California  
Contact: [www.pacificboatshow.com/](http://www.pacificboatshow.com/)
- 15-23 National Park Week  
Contact: National Park Service,  
[www.nps.gov/findapark/national-park-week.htm](http://www.nps.gov/findapark/national-park-week.htm)
- 23 National Park Rx Day  
Contact: National Park Service, [www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/healthy-events.htm](http://www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/healthy-events.htm)

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## MAY

- 7-10 International Trails Symposium  
Dayton, Ohio  
Contact: American Trails, [www.AmericanTrails.org/2017](http://www.AmericanTrails.org/2017)
- 7-13 National Travel and Tourism Week  
Contact: U.S. Travel Association,  
[www.ustravel.org/events/national-travel-and-tourism-week](http://www.ustravel.org/events/national-travel-and-tourism-week)
- 15-17 American Boating Congress  
Washington, D.C.  
Contact: National Marine Manufacturers Association, [lcrisler@nmma.org](mailto:lcrisler@nmma.org)
- 20 Kids to Parks Day  
Contact: National Park Trust, [www.parktrust.org/kids-to-parks/](http://www.parktrust.org/kids-to-parks/)
- 31- June1 Partners Outdoors 2017  
Washington, D.C.  
Contact: American Recreation Coalition, [bnasta@funoutdoors.com](mailto:bnasta@funoutdoors.com)
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## JUNE

- 3 National Trails Day  
Contact: National Hiking Society, <http://nationaltrailsday.americanhiking.org/>
- 3-7 IPW 2017  
Washington, D.C.  
Contact: U.S. Travel Association, [www.ipw.com](http://www.ipw.com)
- 4-8 RVIA Committee Week  
Washington, DC  
Contact: Recreation Vehicle Industry Association, [www.rvia.org](http://www.rvia.org)
- 7-10 International Snowmobile Congress  
Winnipeg, Manitoba  
Contact: [isc2017@mymts.net](mailto:isc2017@mymts.net)
- 13-15 Capitol Hill Ocean Week  
Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center  
Washington, D.C.  
Contact: National Marine Sanctuary Foundation,  
[www.marinesanctuary.org/chow/](http://www.marinesanctuary.org/chow/)

16 The Corps Network's 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Great Outdoors Day of Service  
Washington, D.C.  
Contact: The Corps Network, <https://goserve2017.splashthat.com/>

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## JULY

26-29 Outdoor Retailer Summer Market  
Salt Lake City, Utah  
Contact: Outdoor Retailer,  
<http://www.outdoorretailer.com/summer-market/index.shtml>

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## AUGUST

12 Get Into Your Sanctuary Day  
Contact: Office of National Marine Sanctuaries, NOAA,  
<https://sanctuaries.noaa.gov/visit/giys.html>

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## SEPTEMBER

5-8 2017 National Association of State Park Directors Conference  
Missoula, Montana  
Contact: <http://stateparks.mt.gov/about-us/naspd/default.html>

8-10 Progressive Tampa Boat Show  
Tampa Convention Center  
Tampa, Florida  
Contact: [www.tampaboatshow.com/](http://www.tampaboatshow.com/)

11-14 The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual American Indian Tourism Conference  
Green Bay, Wisconsin  
Contact: American Indian Alaska Native Tourism Association  
<http://www.aianta.org/conference-home.aspx>

11-17 America's Largest RV Show  
Hershey, Pennsylvania  
Contact: Pennsylvania Recreation Vehicle and Camping Association,  
[www.prvca.org](http://www.prvca.org)

13-15 National Walking Summit: "Vital and Vibrant Communities: The Power of  
Walkability"  
St. Paul, Minnesota  
Contact: America Walks, <http://walkingsummit.org/2017-program-agenda>

18-22 Elkhart RV Open House  
Elkhart, Indiana

- 19-21 IBEX: International Boatbuilders Exhibition & Conference  
Tampa Convention Center  
Tampa, Florida  
Contact: [www.ibexshow.com/](http://www.ibexshow.com/)
- 21-24 Progressive Norwalk Boat Show  
Norwalk Cove Marina  
Norwalk, Connecticut  
Contact: [www.boatshownorwalk.com/](http://www.boatshownorwalk.com/)
- 26-28 NRPA 2017 Annual Conference  
Ernest N. Morial Convention Center  
New Orleans, Louisiana  
Contact: National Recreation and Park Association,  
[www.nrpa.org/conference2017/](http://www.nrpa.org/conference2017/)
- 30 National Public Lands Day  
Contact: National Environmental Education Foundation,  
[www.neefusa.org/public-lands-day](http://www.neefusa.org/public-lands-day)
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## OCTOBER

- 1-3 Southeast Greenways & Trails Summit  
Durham, North Carolina  
Contact: East Coast Greenway Alliance, [www.greenway.org](http://www.greenway.org)
- 6-15 California RV Show  
Pomona, California  
Contact: Recreation Vehicle Industry Association, [www.rvia.org](http://www.rvia.org)
- 10-13 2017 Sportfishing Summit  
Opal Sands Resort  
Clearwater Beach, Florida  
Contact: American Sportfishing Association, <http://asafishing.org/shows-events/sportfishing-summit/>
- 18-20 2017 NASORLO Annual Conference  
Little Rock, Arkansas  
Contact: National Association of State Outdoor Recreation Liaison Officers, <http://www.nasorlo.org/>
- 23-25 NFRA's 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference and Trade Show  
Peppermill Convention Center  
Reno, Nevada  
Contact: National Forest Recreation Association,  
<http://nfra.org/conferences/general-information/>

31- Nov 3 2017 SEMA Show  
Las Vegas Convention Center  
Las Vegas, Nevada  
Contact: Specialty Equipment Market Association,  
[www.semashow.com/the-sema-show](http://www.semashow.com/the-sema-show)

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## NOVEMBER

- 1-5 Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show  
Contact: Marine Industries Association of South Florida  
[www.miasf.org/fort-lauderdale-boat-show/](http://www.miasf.org/fort-lauderdale-boat-show/)
- 6-10 RV Dealers International Convention/Expo  
Bally's on the Las Vegas Strip  
Las Vegas, Nevada  
Contact: Recreation Vehicle Dealers Association,  
[www.rvda.org/Convention/Home/Convention/Home.aspx](http://www.rvda.org/Convention/Home/Convention/Home.aspx)
- 15-18 55<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Kampgrounds of America Annual International  
Convention and Expo  
Phoenix Convention Center  
Phoenix, Arizona  
Contact: KOA, [www.KOA.com](http://www.KOA.com)
- 27-30 National RV Trade Show  
Louisville, Kentucky  
Contact: Recreation Vehicle Industry Association, [www.rvia.org](http://www.rvia.org)
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## DECEMBER

- 5-7 AOA 2017 Conference  
Grand Sierra Resort  
Reno, Nevada  
Contact: America Outdoors Association, [www.americaoutdoors.org](http://www.americaoutdoors.org)
- 14-18 National Tour Association Travel Exchange  
San Antonio, Texas  
Contact: [www.NTAonline.com/convention](http://www.NTAonline.com/convention)