



Terra Grande Meeting Agenda Houston, TX. March 2-3

<u>March 1-2</u>	Terra Grande District 6 Packed Supply Chain Conference	
<u>March 2</u> 7:00 pm	TGD Hospitality Suite and Networking	All
<u>March 3</u> 7:00 - 8:00	Breakfast	All
8:00 - 8:10	Welcome, logistics	Charles Busby District Manager
8:10 - 8:15	Welcome to Houston	Tish Patel, Chapter President
8:15 - 8:30	Introductions	Roger Harris, TGD Staff
8:30 - 8:35	Chuck Nelson Paper Contest	Roger Harris, TGD Staff
8:35 - 9:05	APICS BOD's Update	Luis Barcon District Director
9:05 - 9:45	Channel Partner Agreement Status	Charles Busby District Manager
9:45 - 10:00	Break	
10:00 -10:45	Instructor Development Program APICS Corporate Changes, Corporate Website	Joan Wallner, APICS Corp Staff
10:45 -11:45	Chapter Financial Management (IRS and State Regulations)	Chuck Connelly TGD Staff
11:45 - 1:00	Lunch	All
1:00 - 1:45	Reducing Attrition in CPIM/CSCP courses	Jesus Campos, TGD Staff
1:45 – 2:00	Break	All
2:00 – 2:45	CSCP Changes and Improvements	Michele Morrison Holmes Corp.
2:45 – 3:25	How to Benefit from other Professional Organizations	Chet Frame, TGD Staff
3:25 – 4:00	Trivia Game for Free Conference Pass!	Joan Wallner, APICS Corp Staff
4:00 – 4:05	Wrap Up & Adjourn	All
5:00 - 9:00	Rockin' Rodeo Party, Concert and Dinner Details below on page 2	Hosted by the Houston Chapter

Guests from the APICS Board of Directors

Vadim Kapustin, Director at Large

Al Kuebler, Director at Large

A message from Tish Patel, Houston Chapter President:

Howdy! Howdy! from Houston, Texas to all the Terra Grande District staff and members.

It is with great pleasure to welcome you all to Houston again for the district meeting, March 2nd and 3rd 2012, in Houston, Texas! The APICS Houston Chapter is proud to host this event along with the 6 Packed conference. This year, we have planned a Rodeo outing for the attendees. It's going to be a Rockin' Rodeo Party at the Reliant Stadium(HEE HAW), which will include a buffet, soft drinks, and Fair Ground Access. We will provide 2 free drink tickets and then an open cash bar for those of you who want to relax even more. The concert will begin at 6:00 PM, followed by dinner and drinks at 7:30. For those of you who are new to the Rodeo, please visit the following site: <http://www.rodeohouston.com/>. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is the largest in the world and unlike any rodeo you have ever been to. Once again, it proves that everything is bigger in Texas. For 3 weeks every year, the rodeo is a takes center stage featuring all types of entertainment - concert, amusement rides, rodeo events, livestock shows, auctions, barbecue contests and on and on. Last year some 2.3 million people attended. It is a wild time. Don't miss it!

We plan to meet at 4:15 p.m. in the hospitality suite to start the party and we plan on getting rides in individuals cars to go to the rodeo. Please be prompt as we plan to depart at 5:00 p.m. (preferably earlier).

Spouses/significant others are welcome to attend, as each guest will be allowed to invite a +1 to the event.

Please email me at Tishpatel@gmail.com by February 10th, 2012 or sooner to confirm you and your guest's reservations. Vegetarian option will be available for those with specific dietary needs, so please indicate in your response how many you require.

Please consider the weather, and appropriate footwear. Tennis shoes or comfortable shoes are best. The fairground access area is muddy and has livestock for viewing.

We promise you will have a great time in Houston. If you have any additional questions please do call or email me.

I am looking forward to seeing all of you again.

Thank you and Best Regards,

Tish Patel