

# **B.A.C.A.**® International 2018 International Conference Breakout Descriptions

The following paragraphs will describe the content to be presented in each of the breakout sessions scheduled for the 2018 **B.A.C.A.**® International Conference.

## **Description of Training Tiers**

**Tier 1** – This level is designed to provide basic knowledge information and ensure comprehension of the information provided.

**Tier 2** – This level is designed to show participants how to apply the basic knowledge they have. This is accomplished through providing scenarios and in-depth description of the basic information.

**Tier 3** – This level is designed to analyze the knowledge of the participants and ensure they can accurately apply basic **B.A.C.A.**® knowledge as appropriate. Also that the participants can inquire and gain a higher understanding of the information and organization as a whole.

## **Being a Primary to a Child – M&M, Intl Training Officer (IL)**

This is a Tier 1 breakout. This breakout will focus on the roles and responsibilities of members that are assigned as a primary contact for a child in **B.A.C.A.**®. The breakout will focus on the phases of a Child's tenure with **B.A.C.A.**®.

## **Biker Etiquette – Krazy Karl (KCMO)**

This is a Tier 2 breakout. This breakout will focus on the protocols of the Motorcycle Community and show participants how to react in certain situations. The goal is to allow participants to practice the protocols with each other in a safe environment. Thus reducing the risk that a mistake will be made in the real world causing **B.A.C.A.**® problems in which the focus is drawn away from the Mission to deal with a club issue. The focus is on that of the biker Liaison position and their importance to maintain the relationships in the Motorcycle Community.

## **Biker Math vs Biker Business – Hooter (WY), Intl Treasury Committee**

A class designed for all membership. **B.A.C.A.**® exists in two worlds: Mission; and Business. This class will help each member understand the importance of their participation in the BIKER Business side of our Mission. Second to being a Primary, all Patched Members have a responsibility to the business of **B.A.C.A.**®, whether in a position of leadership or not.

## **Child Liaison – Krewzer (KS)**

This will be a Tier 2 breakout. The breakout will provide an overview of the duties and responsibilities of the Child Liaison. An experienced Child Liaison will discuss and answer questions from the participants to address

any situations or scenarios that they found concerning. Because of the discussion, the participants will help drive the topics and flow of this breakout.

### **Intl Conference Information – M&M, Intl Training Officer (IL)**

This is a Tier 1 breakout. This breakout is designed to introduce members and supporters to the conference. It is recommended for those that have not attended a conference previously (or recently) to describe what they can expect, discuss the calendar of events, and answer any questions they may have about the conference. The goal is for the attendees to have the best experience possible while at the conference. Presentations will begin at 6, 7, and 8 pm.

### **Merchandise (Interactive) – Oats (AR), Rockit (UT), and Trol (UT)**

This will be a Tier 2 breakout. The breakout will provide an overview of the duties and responsibilities of the Merchandiser. Examples of acceptable and unacceptable merchandise are provided to discuss the status of each item and to learn why it does or does not meet the trademark and merchandise requirements of the organization. Because of the discussion, the participants will help drive the topics and flow of this breakout.

### **O365 User – Hammer (FL)**

This will be a Tier 2 breakout. The breakout will provide an overview of the Office 365 system used by the organization. A member of the IT Team will discuss and answer questions from the participants to address any situations or scenarios that they found concerning. Because of the discussion, the participants will help drive the topics and flow of this breakout.

### **Public Relations (Interactive) – Nytro (AZ) / Two Hawks (LA), Intl PR Officer**

This is a Tier 2 breakout. This breakout will review the basics of the Tier 1 class and show participants how to apply the information. There will be interactive exercises in which participants interview each other and critique the responses. Additionally, participants will be interviewed by the “media” at varying points throughout the training.

### **Resolving Issues - Bear (AZ) / Smack (IL)**

This is a Tier 2 breakout. The presentation will discuss the basics of resolving and managing conflict. It will focus on the STABEN method to manage conflict. Participants will work to resolve common issues that arise within the organization, keeping in mind the governing documents and what is best for the organization.

### **Security, Level 1 & 2 - Thrasher (MO) / Bone (AR)**

This is a Tier 2 breakout. The presentation will discuss the basics of Level 1 and Level 2 interventions as well as scenarios to help the participants apply the information given. Participants should be prepared to ACTIVELY participate in this class.

## **Q&A Session – International Training Committee**

This is a Tier 1 breakout. This breakout will discuss the new direction of training within the organization. In addition, the participants will drive the discussion based on questions and comments they have. Topics are open.