Hello everyone, after you visit the Presidential suite during the 2017 national convention, please take time to visit the hospitality room. From June 9-15, each of the host committees, which include Arizona, District of Columbia, Hawaii, Tennessee and the National Association of Blind Students, will be operating the hospitality room. In addition to networking and meeting Federationist from around the country, you will have an opportunity to register for a special door prize. Each host affiliates and NABS have agreed to create and donate a special gift basket containing items that will be reflective and represent the essence and spirit of the affiliate and its home state and division. The winners of the baskets will be announced during the opening of general session. Below are the hours of operation and the host committee schedule:

July 9 District of Columbia 3 PM – 7 PM

July 10Arizona 7 AM – 7 PM

July 11 Hawaii 7 AM – 7 PM

July 12 Tennessee 7 AM – 7 PM

July 13-15 National Association of Blind Students 7 AM – 8:30 AM and 12 PM – 2 PM

For questions, please contact Shawn Callaway at [callaway.shawn@gmail.com](mailto:callaway.shawn@gmail.com). Thanks and have a safe trip to Orlando!!!

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