



# 73<sup>rd</sup> American Convention of Meat Processors & Suppliers' Exhibition 2012 Social Functions

**Crowne Plaza St. Paul – Riverfront**  
**St. Paul RiverCentre**  
**St. Paul, Minnesota**  
**July 26-28, 2012**



**Thursday, July 26, 6:00-9:00 PM** – AAMP's Welcome Reception will be held at and sponsored by J&B Group, one of our local Minnesota AAMP members. J&B Group is a premier full-line cold chain provider serving the food industry. Headquartered in St. Michael, Minnesota, J&B Group is dedicated to offering the highest level of service to over 2,000 retail, foodservice, and supply chain partners spanning across the United States. Their five unique business units allow them to support all aspects of the protein business with efficiency and expertise, allowing J&B Group to grow to over \$600 million in annual sales and positions them well for future success. With state-of-the-art and fully-integrated production facilities across the state of Minnesota, their capabilities include, but are not limited to, portion cutting, grinding, tray packing, smoking, dry aging, breading, marinating, and stuffing. Combined with successful brands such as No Name®, deBarbeque®, Midwest Pride®, and Bluewave Seafood®, J&B Group pride themselves

on providing their customers with solutions that will help differentiate product offering and grow their business. Ticket includes plant tour, food, beverage, and transportation to and from the Crowne Plaza St. Paul - Riverfront. **Cost: \$10 per adult** (Ages 12 and under are free).

**Saturday, July 28, 6:00-9:00 PM** – Enjoy a casual evening at AAMP's Closing Social on your final night in St. Paul. This event will be held in the Great River Ballroom at the Crowne Plaza St. Paul - Riverfront and will conclude the annual convention. The Achievement and Accomplishment awards will be presented and the Grand Prize winner will be drawn. Ticket price includes meal and beverages. **Sponsored by: Handtmann, Inc., Lake Forest, IL, Mar/Co Sales Inc., Burnsville, MN, UltraSource LLC, Kansas City, MO, and Walton's, Inc., Wichita, KS.** Ticket price includes meal and beverages. **Cost: \$20.00 per adult / \$10.00 ages 5-11** (Children 4 and under are free).



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