

# MEMBERSHIP MATTERS



Florida Swimming Pool Association

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## Everything Under the Sun<sup>SM</sup> Expo



Registration is now open for The Everything Under the Sun

<sup>SM</sup> Expo! We invite you to join us February 17-18, 2017 at the Orange Country Convention Center, South Hall B.

FSPA members enter education courses and exhibit hall for FREE!\*\* We are celebrating our 45th Anniversary this year and we have TONS of special surprises in store for our attendees!

\*\*Please note that members that are on the payment plan must be paid in full by day of show in order to take advantage of free

education and exhibit hall floor access.

[Click here to register now!](#)

## Prescription Discount Card Reminder

It is that time of year again! The snow birds are in town, the lights are on the palm trees, and the long sleeve shirts are on. This time also brings the open enrollment for health insurance and employers look in dread at their new rates.

FSPA wants to remind you of the prescription discount cards that are part of your member benefits. The card is used separate from your insurance. If your current insurance doesn't cover your prescription you may use the card at participating pharmacies to help cut the cost.

One member ran into the headache of no longer having a prescription covered by his insurance, so he whipped out his FSPA prescription discount card to see what that could do for him....The outcome was a \$352 price drop on the generic drug. This is a FREE benefit to your company because you are members of FSPA! Use this to help enhance your employee benefits. You may request as many as you would like for your employees, employees families and friends. Log into [www.floridapoolpro.biz](http://www.floridapoolpro.biz) to order them through the online portal or call/email the office and we will mail as many as you like.

## Important Dates to keep in mind:

- November 1, 2016: Open Enrollment started - first day to enroll, re-enroll, or change a 2017 insurance plan through the Health Insurance Marketplace. Coverage can start as soon as January 1, 2017.
- December 15, 2016: Last day to enroll in or change plans for coverage to start January 1, 2017.
- January 1, 2017: 2017 coverage starts for those who enroll or change plans by December 15.
- January 31, 2017: Last day to enroll in or change a 2017 health plan. After this date, you can enroll or change plans only if you qualify for a Special Enrollment Period.

## Holiday Shopping

The holidays are approaching and these days, everyone orders gifts online. If you shop at [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) (as opposed to just amazon.com) a percentage of your purchase will be automatically donated to the Swimming Pool Education and Safety Foundation. The first time you visit smile.amazon.com you will be asked to select a charity. Simply search for the SPESF and your donation will automatically come through.

Happy Shopping and Happy Holidays!



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## New Member Applications

If you have actual knowledge of any grounds as to why the companies below do not meet FSPA criteria, contact your Chapter Director in writing.

### Manasota Chapter

Freestyle Pools & Spas  
John Ritzenhaler

Builder  
CPC1456697

### Tampa Bay Chapter

Construction Business Services LLC  
Mark Madison

Other

Zodiac Pool Systems, Inc.  
Casey Hardenbrook

Branch

## About Florida Swimming Pool Association

The Florida Swimming Pool Association is a trade association for the pool and spa industry in Florida. There are approximately 670 member businesses in 16 Chapters across the state. Members are required to abide by a code of ethics and to be properly licensed and insured. FSPA provides the industry with access to continuing education courses, information on current trends and issues, an arbitration program and government relations representation. FSPA is governed by a Board of Directors.

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