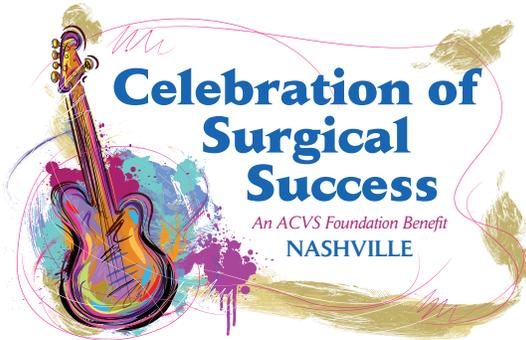


# ACVS FOUNDATION



Spring 2015

## Make Some Music City Memories!



### CELEBRATION OF SURGICAL SUCCESS RECEPTION

Friday, October 23, 6:30–10:00pm  
Gaylord Opryland Resort & Convention Center

Enjoy the unique and undeniably special sounds of live entertainment by the “Brassfield Aly” band—step together, step together, slide—hit the dance floor to learn the latest in

country line dances from some of the best instructors in the country.

In recognition of the College’s 50th anniversary, the ACVS Foundation will award five incredible door prizes. One door prize ticket will be provided to each Surgery Summit registrant. Prizes include a GoPro® Hero Camcorder, a 2016 ACVS Surgery Summit Registration, an Apple® Watch Sport, an Apple® MacBook Air, and a fun kid’s item.

You will not want to miss the highly anticipated and ever-popular silent auction, packed with electronics that include a Sharp™ 60-inch Aquos™ Smart LED TV, a Nikon



16.2 Megapixel Digital SLR Camera, and a Sonos Play:5 Wireless Speaker. The silent auction will also feature a selection of great wine, popular CE courses, unique artwork, surgical equipment, and your choice of three one-week vacations.

Maybe you will leave the ACVS 50th anniversary celebration with the “I Love NY” gift basket, which includes hotel, dining, and theater tickets.

Capture unforgettable music city memories with your friends at the madcap photo booth!

All advance Surgery Summit registrations with Foundation donations of \$50 or more will receive a free Celebration of Surgical Success drink ticket.

Everyone is invited! Don’t forget your door prize ticket and name badge.

## HONOR A MENTOR PROGRAM

Acknowledge your ACVS Diplomate mentor’s contribution to you and the College. The minimum donation is only \$100. When cumulative donations for an individual mentor reach \$1,000 or more, your mentor is formally recognized on the ACVS website and at the ACVS Surgery Summit.

A strategy that has been very successful in initiating and having a mentor fully honored at \$1,000 or more is for one person to lead the effort by reaching out to others who have been mentored by the honoree. The group leader can encourage potential mentee donors to

participate and collect the donations. In so doing, the \$1,000 benchmark will be reached quickly. The group leader simply mails the completed donation forms and payments to the ACVS Foundation office. Please note that individual donations may also be sent to the Foundation office.

You can also join others in honoring a currently recognized mentor or in honoring a “Mentor on their way to being honored.”

To learn more, visit <https://www.acvs.org/foundation/honor-a-mentor> or contact the ACVS Foundation Program Coordinator, Scott Litten [slitten@acvs.org](mailto:slitten@acvs.org). 301-916-0200 x 110

*“A mentor is someone who sees more talent and ability within you, than you see in yourself, and helps bring it out of you.”*



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# The ACVS 50th Anniversary Emeritus Diplomate Experience

## A Special Invitation to ACVS Emeritus Diplomates

The 2015 Emeritus Diplomate Legacy Program includes the Mark W. Allam Lecture & Awards Ceremony, Legacy Reception, ACVS Diplomates' Business Meeting, Scientific Poster Presentations & Reception, Legacy Tour, and the Celebration of Surgical Success Reception.

## The Best BBQ in Nashville and the "Music City Rollin' Jamboree" Legacy Tour

Friday, October 23, 2015, 12:00–4:00pm, Emeritus Diplomates and their guests will begin the

Legacy Tour with lunch at Puckett's Grocery & Restaurant. Voted the "Best BBQ in Nashville," Puckett's is a restaurant serving up warm hospitality and delicious Southern fare. Authentic comfort food—barbecue smoked slow 'n' low over cherry wood—complimented by home-cooked sides have made it a Nashville barbecue lunch requirement.

The afternoon will continue with the "Music City Rollin' Jamboree!" The bus tour features country music, comedy, and sing-along fun on wheels. The tour guides will have participants in "stitches" while highlighting the best of what the Music City has to



offer—from the past to the present.

The tour fee is \$35 per person and includes lunch. Pre-registration is required and space is limited.

This year's 50th Anniversary promises to be memorable, so register now and participate in the 2015 ACVS Surgery Summit. Registration rates increase after July 9, 2015.

[www.acvs.org/surgery-summit](http://www.acvs.org/surgery-summit)

## ACVS Foundation Honored Mentors

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## Personal Finance and Investment Management

The ACVS Foundation invites you to join Dr. C. Collins "Andy" Anderson III, ACVS Treasurer, and Verity Investment Partners, Friday, October 23, 2015, 12:45–3:45pm, for this ACVS Surgery Summit special session, "Personal Finance and Investment Management." Topics include savings plans, retirement, insurance, investments, and estate planning. Leave the session with the confidence to effectively pursue your personal financial goals.

Pre-registration is required and lunch will be included. Available to ACVS Diplomates and residents.

