

Supporters Summit 2026 Schedule

100 Years of Rothbard: His Legacy in 2026

Thursday, October 22:

5:00 – 7:00 p.m. - Welcome Reception

Friday, October 23:

7:45 – 8:45 a.m. - Breakfast

8:45 a.m. - Welcome and opening remarks

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. - **Joe Salerno**, “Myths of Inflation”

Sponsored by Jule and Lynn Herbert

9:30 – 10:00 a.m. - **Shawn Ritenour**, “Rothbard as a Pioneer in Industrial Organization Economics”

Sponsored by David and Suzanne Britton-Ohl

10:00 – 10:20 a.m. - Break. Coffee available and bookstore open

10:20 – 10:50 a.m. - **Wanjiru Njoya**, “Private Property as the Cornerstone of Liberty”

Sponsored by Don Wills

10:50 – 11:20 a.m. - **Per Bylund**, “A Rothbardian Theory of Economic Growth”

Sponsored by Mark and Mirella Monoscalco

11:20 – 11:50 a.m. - **Alex Pollock**, “What the Fed Can and Cannot Do”

Sponsored by Jim and Rebecca Sweet

11:50 a.m. – 12:05 p.m. - Break. Coffee available and bookstore open

12:05 – 12:35 p.m. - **David Gordon**, “The Antiwar Heart of the Libertarian Tradition”

Sponsored by Chris Condon

12:35 – 1:30 p.m. - Lunch

1:30 – 2:00 p.m. - **Jeff Degner**, “Fun and Games: Rothbard on the Arts and Sports”

Sponsored by Roger and Angela Box

2:00 – 2:30 p.m. - **Timothy Terrell**, “Taking the Environment to Court: How Rothbard Resolved Pollution Problems”

Sponsored by Brian and Shanna Tvenstrup

2:30 – 2:45 p.m. - Break. Coffee available and bookstore open

2:45 – 3:30 p.m. - **Speaker Panel**

5:30 – 6:00 p.m. - Reception

6:00 – 8:00 p.m. - Dinner

Saturday, October 24:

7:45 – 9:00 a.m. - Breakfast

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. - **Patrick Newman**, “Cronyism: The Rothbardian Paradigm”

Sponsored by Scott and Cathy Ullery

9:30 – 10:00 a.m. - **Joshua Mawhorter**, “Fighting Like a State: Lessons from the American Revolution”

Sponsored by Ray and Carol Cunningham

10:00 – 10:20 a.m. - Break. Coffee available and bookstore open

10:20 – 10:50 a.m. - **Larsen Plyler**, “The Social and Culture Effects of the Revolution”

Sponsored by Jeff Hodgson

10:50 – 11:20 a.m. - **Ryan McMaken**, “Secession, Self-Determination, and the Declaration of Independence”

Sponsored by Dan Johnson and Randee Laskewitz

11:20 – 11:40 a.m. - Break. Coffee available and bookstore open

11:40 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. - **American Revolution Panel**

12:10 – 1:15 p.m. - Lunch

1:15 – 1:45 p.m. - **Jonathan Newman**, “The State Spends, the Public Pays”

Sponsored by Greg Garzonie

1:45 – 2:15 p.m. - **Peter Klein**, “How to Think about AI”

Sponsored by Mitch Cantor and Patricia Coronado

2:15 – 2:30 p.m. - Break. Coffee available and bookstore open

2:30 – 3:15 p.m. - **Speaker Panel**

5:30 – 6:00 p.m. - Gold Reception (*for Speakers, Sponsors, Society Members, and Gold, Silver, and Bronze Club Members*)

6:00 - 8:30 p.m. - Rothbard Reception and Dinner
Sponsored by Andy Hord and Murray and Florence Sabrin

7:15 p.m. - **Keynote Lecture: Judy Shelton**, “100 Years of Rothbard: His Bequest for the Future”
Sponsored by Mitch Cantor and Patricia Coronado