



WELCOME TO OUR
KQ Newsletter
we're so glad you're here!

LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Mark your calendars for Thursday June 13 and Friday June 14. The 2024 KCSEA Annual Educational Conference will be held at the Ramada by Wyndham Topeka Downtown Hotel & Convention Center located at 420 SE 6th Ave.



There is a block of rooms available for those traveling in from the far corners of Kansas and beyond. Call the hotel at (785)234-5400 to make your reservation as part of the KCSEA conference block. This will be a great opportunity to meet and network with child support professionals from around the country and participate in multiple training opportunities.

The board is thrilled to announce that our 2024 Keynote Speaker is Commissioner Gray from the Federal Office of Child Support Services. What a fantastic way to kick off our annual conference after a 10-year hiatus. Join us in welcoming the Commissioner to Kansas and listening to her perspective from the Federal level.

Sticking to our KCSEA mission "to support those who encounter the child support program through education, collaboration, and progress" our goal in 2024 is to reintroduce the who's who of Kansas Child Support. By holding our annual conference in Topeka, this allows the best opportunity to bring people together from all parts of the program including IVD, Non-IVD, Tribal, Federal, Contractors, and other partners outside the State of Kansas.

We will take steps back in time with our 2024 conference theme "Back to the Future," to look at what we're doing today and what will carry the program into the future. This training opportunity will consist of speakers and panelists from each piece of the program, providing discussions on their involvement in the program and showing how we are intertwined together. We will hear about the tools we can use to collaborate to provide the best services possible to the families we serve.

Visit the KCSEA website's Merchandise page to pre-order a conference themed or KCSEA logo t-shirt. The conference themed t-shirts are available by pre-order only and feature an impressive design. KCSEA logo t-shirts will be available to purchase with card or cash at conference, but you can pre-order online to guarantee desired size and color.

KCSEA will have an open board of directors' position after the June 2024 Annual Conference. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a KCSEA Board Member, be sure to visit the Board Nomination page on our website. We are looking for a fun, enthusiastic child support professional to assist in the planning of the 2025 Annual Conference.

To learn more about KCSEA, become a member of KCSEA, pay your annual dues, become a sponsor of KCSEA, find additional information on the Jim Robertson Scholarship Fund, the 2024 KCSEA Educational Conference, and the KCSEA Board please visit www.kcsea.org.

Sincerely,

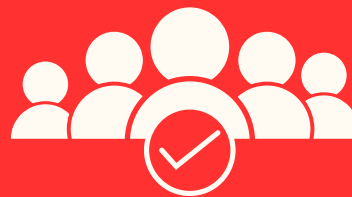
Dustin R Whitaker
KCSEA President

Jim Robertson Scholarship

Deadline is 4/15/24



Become a Member

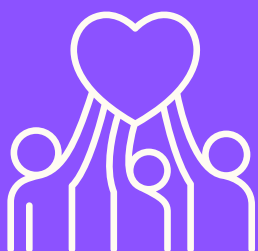


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FOR THE KCSEA SILENT AUCTION

All proceeds of the KCSEA silent auction go to the Jim Robertson scholarship fund.

If you are interested in donating a gift basket email:
ali.robertson@ks.gov

Open Board Position

Deadline is 5/15/24

Apply Now!



**"BACK TO THE FUTURE"
2024 ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL
CONFERENCE
TOPEKA, KS
JUNE 13 – 14, 2024**

THURSDAY, JUNE 13TH

11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Registration/Silent Auction/Vendor Exhibits
12:00 pm – 1:15 pm	Opening Ceremonies
1:15 pm – 2:00 pm	Keynote Address
2:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Break
2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Plenary I - OCSS
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Plenary II - Tribal
4:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Networking Reception

FRIDAY, JUNE 14TH

8:00 am – 9:00 am	Registration/Silent Auction/Vendor Exhibits
9:00 am – 9:45 am	Plenary III - IVD
9:45 am – 10:30 am	Plenary IV - KPC
10:30 am – 11:00 am	Break
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Plenary V - Non-IVD
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Closing Ceremonies

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Don't forget



Become a Member



Register for conference by April 15th to be entered to win a free conference themed t-shirt. (Deadline May 15)



Hotel booking deadline is May 15 with the Ramada at (785) 234-5400 (ask for KCSEA block).



Pre-order your conference themed t-shirt.



Apply for a scholarship by April 15th.



Nominate someone for an award by May 15th.



Nominate yourself for the open board position. This is a two-year commitment.

