

Kansas Fairs & Festivals
2022 Convention Schedule
Topeka Ramada
420 SE 6th Avenue • Topeka, Ks

Friday

- 8:30 am KFFA Board Meeting
(Mansion Gold Room)
- 12:00 pm Registration Begins
(Main Lobby)
- 1:00 - 5:00 pm Silent Auction Check-in
(Grand Ballroom)
- 2:00 pm **Workshop – John Sprague, Educational Consultant,
Office of the State Fire Marshal**
Jefferson Ballroom (Lower Level)
- Coffee Break (Back of Jefferson Room) -
- 3:00 pm **Workshop – TBA**
Madison Room (Lower Level)
- 4:00 pm **VARIETY ACTS on the FOUNTAIN STAGE**
- 5:00 pm Hospitality (1 hr. Only) – Atrium (ticket required)
Cash bar begins at 6:00 pm
Sponsored by Ramada Convention Center
- Trade Show Opens – Atrium
Silent Auction - **Grand Ballroom**
- 6:00 pm Reception (Light Meal)
Atrium– (with cash bar)
- 7- 9:00 pm Showcasing – (Regency Ballroom)
Cash bar Available
- 9:00 pm Visit with Associates

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Saturday

- 7:30 am - 10 am Registration Open
- 7:30 am Breakfast Buffet
(Ticket Required) (Grand Ballroom)
- 8:30 am Opening Ceremony/Business Session (Regency Ballroom)
Welcome –**Kay Parks, President**
Pledge of Allegiance
Introductions of Board Members
Memorials – **Todd Lindquist**
Video Presentation – Airplanes
- Business Session**
President Kay Parks presiding
Minutes 2021 Convention – **Ty Lewick, Secretary**
Financial Report – **Carole Fry, Treasure**
KFFA Caucuses – **Charles Atkinson, Executive Director**
Election of Directors
Election Results

REPORTS

Kansas State Fair Report –

Bryan Schulz, General Manager, KSF

Kansas FFA Report – **Eric Peterson, State FFA Secretary**

Clifton-Clyde FFA Chapter

Kansas 4-H Report- **Wade Weber, Department Head –**

4-H Youth Development and State 4-H Program Leader

Adjournment of Business Meeting

9:30 am Associates Meeting (All Associate Members)

- Parlor B (2nd Floor)

9:30 am **Workshop – Frank Moyer, AME Entertainment Consultants**

Would you let a doctor make your event decisions?

How entertainment agents can help you make the best choices.

– Madison Room

Workshop – Wade Weber, Department Head –

4-H Youth Development and State 4-H Program Leader

“Making it work – for the community!!”

– Jefferson Room

10:00 am Coffee Break (Outside of Jefferson Room)

10:00 am Trade Show Opens – (Atrium)

Silent Auction - Grand Ballroom

10:30 am **Workshop – Jennifer Giesike, Washington Town and Country Fair**

Sparking Joy! – Sponsored by IAFE

- Jefferson Room (Lower Level)

11:45 am - **Hall of Fame Luncheon –**

Ticket Required (Grand Ballroom)

Introduction of Hall of Fame Inductees

Hall of Fame Group Photo (After adjournment of luncheon)

Keynote Speaker: Brad Kincheloe

-Navigating the new norm.

1:45 pm **Round Table Workshops-** Jefferson Ballroom (Lower Level)

Table 1 - Insurance – Mike Carlson

Table 2 – Carnivals Have's/Have not's – Ty Lewick/Kate Weber

Table 3 – Emergency Planning – Kathleen Fabrizio

Table 4 – Incorporating a Virtual Fair – Chelsey Rziha/Charles Atkinson

2:30 pm Trade Show Continues – (Atrium)

Silent Auction – (Grand Ballroom)

2:45 pm **Break - Sponsored by Evans Midland Shows**

Board Members will be passing out snacks throughout convention

3:00 pm **Open Forum Workshop -** Madison Room (Lower Level)

Tell us about your fair/ sharing of ideas/events/challenges

4:05 pm KFFA Board Meeting

(Old & New Members) - (Mansion Gold Room)

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4:00 pm **VARIETY ACTS on the FOUNTAIN STAGE**

4:00 pm Hospitality (**1 hr. Only**) – Atrium (Ticket required)

Cash bar begins at 5pm

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5:00 pm Evening Dinner – (Grand Ballroom)

Introduction of Ag Challenge of Champion Scholarship Winners

6:00 pm Ag Challenge of Champion Auction -

(Regency Ballroom)

7-9:00 pm Showcase (Regency Ballroom)

Cash bar Available

9:00 pm Visit with Associates – (Fountain Rooms/Atrium/Grand Ballroom)

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Sunday

7:45 am Awards Breakfast – (Grand Ballroom)

8:00 am Gospel Music – **Lone Star Jubilee**

9:00 am **Closing Speaker – Bryan Schulz, General Manager, KSF**

(Grand Ballroom)

10:00 am Closing Ceremony

Presentation of KFFA Special Awards

Prizes - Must be present to win

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Introduction of 2022 Officers

Closing Remarks -

President/Executive Director

11:00 am KFFA Board Meeting

2022 Board of Directors Photo

(Mansion Gold Room)