## 2023 K-State Research and Extension
### Annual Conference
### October 24-26, 2023

### Monday, October 23, 2023
- **2:00pm - 5:00pm** Pre-Conference (Bluemont Room Union)
- Grassroots Engagement: Elevating Our Community Presence

### Tuesday, October 24, 2023
- **8:30am** State and Regional Extension Professionals Networking Breakfast (Bluemont)
- **9:00am** Registration Opens (2nd Floor K-State Student Union)
- **9:00am** A Peace of Mind Studio Opens (Outside of Big 12 Room)
- **10:00am** Federal Benefits Update (Flint Hills Room)
- **11:00am** First Timer's Orientation (Cottonwood Room)
- **12:00pm** KACAA Board Meeting (Room 202)
- **1:00pm** Kansas Extension Association of Family Consumer Sciences (KEAFCS) Board Meeting (Big 12 Room)
- **1:00pm** Kansas Association of County Agriculture Agents (KACAA) Standing Committee Meetings
  - Early Career Development (Room 206)
  - Administrative Skills (Wildcat Chamber)
  - Communications (Room 226)
  - Scholarship (Wildcat Chamber)
  - Teaching & Education Tech (Room 202)
  - SMIXER (Room 208)
  - Extension Programs (Wildcat Chamber)
  - Policy (Wildcat Chamber)
  - National Meeting (Wildcat Chamber)
  - 4-H & Youth (Room 204)
  - Friends of County Agent/Ask the Admin (Wildcat Chamber)
  - Life Members (Wildcat Chamber)
- **1:15pm** Retirees - Reconnect with Colleagues and Administrative Report (Cottonwood Room)
- **1:15pm** Kansas Assoc. of Extension 4-H Agents (KA4-HA) (Flint Hills Room)
- **1:00pm** Kansas Assoc. of Community Development Professionals (Room 209)
- **3:00pm** Kansas Association of County Agriculture Agents (KACAA) Professional Improvement Committees
  - Agronomy & Pest Management (Room 202)
  - Animal Science & Industry (Room 208)
  - Horticulture & Turfgrass (Room 204)
  - Natural Resources/Aquaculture (Room 206)
  - Sustainable Agriculture (Room 226)
  - Ag Economics & Comm. Develop. (Wildcat Chamber)
- **2:00pm** Kansas Association of County Agriculture Agents (KACAA) - Association Meeting (Wildcat Chamber)
- **2:00pm** Kansas Extension Association of Family Consumer Sciences (KEAFCS) - Association Meeting (Big 12 Room)
- **5:00pm** A Peace of Mind Studio Closes
- **5:30pm** KSRE Annual Conference Social (Bill Snyder Family Stadium - West Side)
  **Awards will be presented during this event**

### Wednesday, October 25, 2023
- **7:30am** Registration Opens (Entrance of Forum Hall)
- **8:00am** Building The Engaged Land Grant of the Future (Forum Hall)
  - Dr. Marshall Stewart, Senior Vice President for Executive Affairs, University Engagement, and Partnerships, Kansas State University
  - Dr. Ernie Minton, Dean of College of Agriculture, Kansas State University
  - Dr. Gregg Hadley, Associate Professor and Director of Extension, Kansas State University
- **8:00am** A Peace of Mind Studio Opens (Outside of Big 12 Room)
- **10:15am** Networking Break
- **10:45am** Building The Engaged Land Grant of the Future (Forum Hall)
- **12:00pm** Kansas-Joint Council of Extension Professionals KSJCEP (Main Ballroom)
- **1:30pm** Breakout Sessions
  - Utilizing the Welcome A-Board Leadership Program to Support and Encourage New Leaders in your Community Wildcat Chamber
  - Best Practices for Disability Inclusion and Awareness in 4-H Livestock Expositions Blue Room
  - Marketing Programming to Local Audiences Big 12 Room
  - Engaging Community Partners to Build a Collaborative Local Food System Flint Hills Room
  - Succession Planning for Local Communities Room 227
- **2:30pm** Breakout Sessions
  - Navigating Difference in Extension: Meeting the Needs of Kansans - 4-H Club Wildcat Chamber
  - Tree Free, Weed Free: New Concepts in Woody Plant Control in Rangelands Big 12 Room
  - Community Gardens 101 - Flint Hills Room
  - Using Social Determinants of Health to Create Pathways to a Healthy Kansas Wildcat Chamber
- **3:20pm** Break
- **3:45pm** A Peace of Mind of Mind Studio Closes (Outside of Big 12 Room)
- **3:50** Breakout Sessions
- **4:00pm** A Peace of Mind of Mind Studio Closes (Outside of Big 12 Room)
  - Engaging Food Safety Knowledge with Interactive Learning Blue Room
  - Using Social Determinants of Health to Create Pathways to a Healthy Kansas Wildcat Chamber
  - Tree Free, Weed Free: New Concepts in Woody Plant Control in Rangelands Big 12 Room
  - Community Gardens 101 - Flint Hills Room
  - Using Social Determinants of Health to Create Pathways to a Healthy Kansas Wildcat Chamber
- **6:00pm** Closer Night KA4-HA (Axe to Grind 925 Enoch Lane)

### Thursday, October 26, 2023
- **7:00am** Epsilon Sigma Phi, Alpha Rho Chapter Council Meeting (Cottonwood Room)
- **8:30am** Closing Remarks (Forum Hall)
- **8:45am** A Peace of Mind - Capstone Presentation (Forum Hall)
- **10:00am** Break - 2nd Floor - K-State Student Union
- **10:00am** PFT Teams
  - Adult Development and Aging-Room 226
  - Community Vitality - Room 207
  - Crop Production - S Ballroom
  - Family and Child Development - Room 227
  - Family Resource Management - U Ballroom
  - Horticulture - Flint Hills Room
  - Livestock Production - Big 12 Room
  - Natural Resources - Cottonwood Room
  - Nutrient, Food Safety and Health - K Ballroom
  - PFT Teams - Room 209
- **12:00pm** Lunch on your own
- **1:00pm** Additional PFT Time (if needed)