

# MARE/MO K-8 Fall Conference 2023

## "Focus on Rural Education"

### Conference Planner at a Glance

<u>Time</u>	<u>Session/Program/Presenter</u>	<u>Room</u>
<b><u>Wednesday, October 18</u></b>		
11:00 a.m.	MO K-8 Executive Board Meeting - Mrs. Lexie Wallace	HK's Club Rm.
11:30-1:00 p.m.	<b><u>Conference Pre-Sessions</u></b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>"Facility and Capital Planning" – MSPMA Representatives</li><li>"MOSIS and Core Data" – Koenigsfeld, Castleman &amp; Koelling (DESE)</li><li>"Steps to Prepare for GO Bond Issues &amp; Best Success Practices" – Pisarkiewicz/Wegman</li></ul>	<b>Granada A</b> <b>Granada B</b> <b>Granada C</b>
11:00-5:00 p.m.	MARE School Board Training - Dr. Maggie Anderson/Dr. Jamie Burkhart	<b>Seachase</b>
1:00-2:00 p.m.	"2023 Legislative Update & A Look Ahead" – Lodewegen (MCSA)	<b>Marbella A/B</b>
2:10-3:40 p.m.	Annual Board Refresher Training – Emily Omohundro, EdCounsel	<b>Malaga</b>
2:10-2:50 p.m.	<b><u>Small Group Sessions</u></b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>"Continuous School Improvement Panel" – DESE Area Supervisors</li><li>"Empowering Teachers and Substitutes" – Matt Argubright, Boardworks Education</li><li>"Bookkeeper Training Session A" – Tammy Lehmen/Sharon Bax – DESE School Finance</li><li>"We Have a CSIP Plan – Now What?" – Kevin Daniel, FiredUP</li><li>"How-To" Federal Programs – 2023 Updates – De Frink-Hedglin</li><li>"Supporting Rural Education – A Problem Solving Approach" – Bishop/Piccolo, MSU</li><li>MASA First-Year Superintendents &amp; Mentor Roundtable – Kelly Hinshaw</li></ul>	<b>Granada A</b> <b>Granada B</b> <b>Granada C</b> <b>HK's Club Rm.</b> <b>Valencia A</b> <b>Valencia B</b> <b>Terrace</b>
3:00-3:40 p.m.	<b><u>Small Group Sessions</u></b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>"Continuous School Improvement Panel" – DESE Area Supervisors <b>(Repeat)</b></li><li>"Integrating Student Well-Being Data Into MTSS" – Erica Vuolle, PASS for Schools</li><li>"Bookkeeper Training Session B" – Tammy Lehmen/Sharon Bax <b>(Continued)</b></li><li>"Understanding Building Automation" – Chris Ruth, Integrated Facility Services</li><li>"Launch Your APR" – Dr. Nichole Lemmon, Launch/SPS</li><li>"Utilizing Federal Programs for Cost Savings" – Weber/Nikodym/Bray</li><li>Small Schools Committee Meeting <b>(Members Only)</b> – Mike Lodewegen</li></ul>	<b>Granada A</b> <b>Granada B</b> <b>Granada C</b> <b>HK's Club Rm.</b> <b>Valencia A</b> <b>Valencia B</b> <b>Terrace</b>
3:45-4:30 p.m.	"Teacher Recruitment & Retention Update" - Dr. Paul Katnik	<b>Marbella A/B</b>
3:00-7:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open	<b>Campana Hall</b>
4:30-7:30 p.m.	Reception with Exhibitors - Register for Door Prizes	<b>Campana Hall</b>
<b><u>Thursday, October 19</u></b>		
7:00-9:00 a.m.	Breakfast with Exhibitors	<b>Campana Hall</b>
8:00-4:30 p.m.	MARE School Board Training – Dr. Maggie Anderson/Dr. Jamie Burkhart	<b>Seachase</b>
9:00-9:15 a.m.	Vendor Prizes/Drawings for Exhibit Booth Cards	<b>Campana Hall</b>
9:30-10:30 a.m.	"Of Fecal Matter and Fans" – Martin/Omohundro, EdCounsel, LLC	<b>Marbella A/B</b>
10:40-11:30 a.m.	<b><u>Small Group Sessions</u></b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>"Artificial Intelligence &amp; Chatbots: Friend or Foe?" – Dowdy/McLean/Chang</li><li>"Board Leadership Training Session 1" – Martin/Omohundro, EdCounsel, LLC</li><li>"Let's Use Registered Youth Apprenticeships" – Gorrell/Glasgow</li><li>"Navigating Various Records Requests" – Jessica Bernard, Guin Mundorf, LLC</li><li>"Supporting Female Students &amp; Leaders" – Dr. Jamie Burkhart, MASA</li><li>"Reducing Student Vaping – Nicotine Addiction" – Christy Inskip, MDHSS</li><li>"Middle School STEM Unit on Energy Flow" – Zangori/Otto</li><li>"Childhood 2.0 Internet Safety Event" – Christian/Lark/Briscoe</li></ul>	<b>Granada A</b> <b>Granada B</b> <b>Granada C</b> <b>HK's Club Rm.</b> <b>Valencia A</b> <b>Valencia B</b> <b>Terrace</b> <b>Malaga</b>

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<b><u>Thursday, October 19 Continued</u></b>		
11:45-1:10 p.m.	<b><u>Awards/Lunch/Speaker</u></b>	<b>Marbella A/B</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outstanding Rural Education Awards – MARE &amp; MO K-8</li> <li>• "Why Rural Matters Report Missouri" – Dr. Allen Pratt, NREA Executive Director</li> </ul>	
1:20-2:10 p.m.	<b><u>Small Group Sessions</u></b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "Change Requires Energy – Can You Sustain It?" – Bailey/Malam/Proctor</li> <li>• "Board Leadership Training Session 2" – Martin/Omohundro, EdCounsel <b>(Continued)</b></li> <li>• "Teacher Apprenticeships: Another Path to Recruit/Retain – Dowdy/McLean</li> <li>• "What Does Sex Mean Now? Title IX &amp; Related" – Michelle Basi, Tueth Keeney</li> <li>• "Community Foundation of the Ozarks Supports Rural Schools" – Holly Beadle, CFO</li> <li>• "So You Want to Start a Gifted Program" – Christine Nobbe, DESE</li> <li>• "Investigation into Blended Learning Systems" – Dr. Brian Olivera, SPS</li> <li>• "Rural School Revolution" – Dr. Derrick Hartley/Dr. Calee McElwain</li> </ul>	<b>Granada A</b> <b>Granada B</b> <b>Granada C</b> <b>HK's Club Rm.</b> <b>Valencia A</b> <b>Valencia B</b> <b>Terrace</b> <b>Malaga</b>
2:20-3:10 p.m.	<b><u>Small Group Sessions</u></b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "How School Funding Really Works" – Jungmann/Hoffman/Kruse</li> <li>• "Board Leadership Training Session 3" – Martin/Omohundro, EdCounsel <b>(Continued)</b></li> <li>• "Fast Tracking Systems for Curriculum &amp; CBE Success" – Shauna Stephanchick</li> <li>• "Legal Requirements of BOE's &amp; Confidentiality" – Jessica Bernard, Guin Mundorf, LLC</li> <li>• "Inside the MARE Superintendent Search" – MARE Search Consultants</li> <li>• "IDENTIFY.PREVENT.INTERVENE" – Dr. Lou Ann Tanner-Jones</li> <li>• "Career Education for Success Ready Students" – Harris/Marling/Matteson</li> <li>• "Who Says a Small School Can't Have Their Own Police Department" – Banner/March</li> </ul>	<b>Granada A</b> <b>Granada B</b> <b>Granada C</b> <b>HK's Club Rm.</b> <b>Valencia A</b> <b>Valencia B</b> <b>Terrace</b> <b>Malaga</b>
3:20-4:20 p.m.	Legal Panel - Answers to "Hot Topic Questions"	<b>Marbella A/B</b>
4:30-5:00 p.m.	MO K-8 General Membership Meeting	<b>Malaga</b>
4:45-5:30 p.m.	MARE Executive Board Meeting	<b>HK's Club Rm.</b>
<b><u>Friday, October 20</u></b>		
7:00-8:00 a.m.	Breakfast	Marbella A/B
8:00-9:00 a.m.	" DESE School Finance & Governance Update" - Dr. Kari Monsees	Marbella A/B
9:10-10:00 a.m.	"A Conversation with the Commissioner" - Dr. Margie Vandeven	Marbella A/B
10:05-11:00 a.m.	"I Did Everything I Was Supposed to Do" – Rector/James, Mickes O'Toole	Marbella A/B
11:00-11:30 a.m.	MARE General Membership Meeting/Prizes/Conference Adjournment	Marbella A/B

**\*\* Conference may conclude earlier than scheduled depending on Friday morning sessions!**

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