



Sponsored by Schools for Quality Education (SQE)

1:30 p.m.
"Augenblick and Meyers Boundary Study Update"
Presenter: John Meyers

2:30 p.m.
Legislative Panel on Rural and Small School Issues

3:45 p.m.
SQE Annual Meeting and Election

6:30-9:30 p.m.
Regency Ballroom
Banquet
(Co-sponsored with SQE and Center for Rural Education and Small Schools)

Keynote Speaker:
Keith Loy
Sioux Falls, SD
"Never Give Up"
SQE Essay Contest Winners

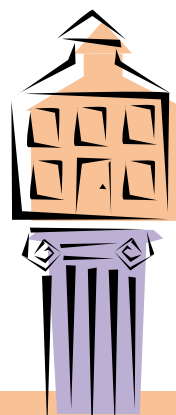
Keith Loy

Keith Loy is a bright, young, enthusiastic, motivational speaker, and author from Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Through the means of music, storytelling, humor, and illusions, Keith is making his mark with people across the Midwest. Keith works hard to interact with his audience leaving them laughing and pondering the importance of developing quality leadership in our country.

The focus of education in rural and small schools is on developing young people. "Everyone can make a difference" Keith says. "I believe in young people and the valuable role that they play in building a solid foundation for this country."

Keith has written two books, **ABLE TO DREAM AGAIN: Helping Others to Restore Dreams and Rekindle Vision** and **COMING OUT OF THE DARK**. Both of these books are published and distributed by CrossTraining Publishers.

In addition to his work as an author and motivational speaker, Keith is a husband and father. Keith and his wife have two daughters, Jordan, age 5 and Jaidyn, age 3.



Rural and Small Schools:

Education for a New Era

MONDAY
October 30, 2000



At a Glance

7:30 a.m. Breakfast/Speaker
8:50 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
9:50 a.m. Keynote Speaker
11:00 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
12:00 p.m. Lunch/Awards
1:20 p.m. Issues Seminars
2:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
3:30 p.m. State Department of Education Update

7:30-8:40 a.m.
Regency Ballroom
Breakfast

Speaker:
Milan Wall
Heartland Center for Leadership Development
Lincoln, NE
"Better Schools Through Public Engagement"

Concurrent Sessions
8:50-9:40 a.m.

Conference Room I
"Current Status of Kansas Education Finance"
Rustin Clark
USD #423 - Moundridge
Moundridge, KS

Conference Room II
"Multiple Intelligence: Learning Styles of Students in Rural Education"
De Stoney
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Conference Room III
"Galactic Explosion at Cool School"
Sue Hagedorn
USD #223 - Barnes-Manover-Linn
Manover, KS

Conference Room IV
"Curriculum Development: Beyond the Notebook on the Shelf"
Bernice Albers
USD #284 - Chase County
Cottonwood Falls, KS

Conference Room V
"The Changing Face of Mathematics - Standards-Based Mathematics - What's the Story?"
Michelle Flaming
ESSDACK
Hutchinson, KS

Konza Room
"Handheld Computing: Keeping Technology Close at Hand"
David Pownell
Jerry Bailey
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Sunflower Room
"Creating a Rural Alternative High School"
Bruce Petersen
USD #333 - Concordia
Concordia, KS

Regency Ballroom
9:50-10:40 a.m.

Keynote Speaker
Sponsored by:
American Association of School
Administrators (AASA)

22nd Annual Rural and Small Schools Conference

Break/Exhibits Concourse
10:40-11:00 a.m.

Concurrent Sessions
11:00-11:50 a.m.

Conference Room I
"Data in the Small School Context"
Sherry Reed
Southeast Kansas Education Service Center
Lawrence, KS

Conference Room II
"Effects of Instructional Delivery of Violence Prevention Upon Elementary Age Students"
Jim Teagarden
Marshal County Special Education Cooperative
Marysville, KS

Conference Room III
"Family-Friendly Schools: Parent Involvement Strategies that Work"
Linda Thurston
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Conference Room IV
"An Evaluation Study of the National Science Foundation's Rural Systemic Initiative"
Jerry G. Horn
The Evaluation Center
Western Michigan University
Stillwater, OK

Conference Room V
"Standards Based Mathematics Curricula in K-12: NSF Sponsored Textbooks that Align with National and State Standards"
Jennifer Day
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Konza Room
"Character Education Initiatives: A Humble Beginning at Humboldt"
Janet K. Neufeld
USD #258 - Humboldt
Humboldt, KS

Sunflower Room
"After School Hours - The Job that Doesn't Stop"
Ardith Spencer
USD #338 - Valley Falls
Valley Falls, KS

Scampi's
"A Program that Works for DD and Socially Maladjusted Youth"
H. Lowell Alexander
Southeast Kansas Education Service Center
Parsons, KS

Regency Ballroom II
"Designing and Maintaining Web-Based Instruction"
Tweed Ross
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

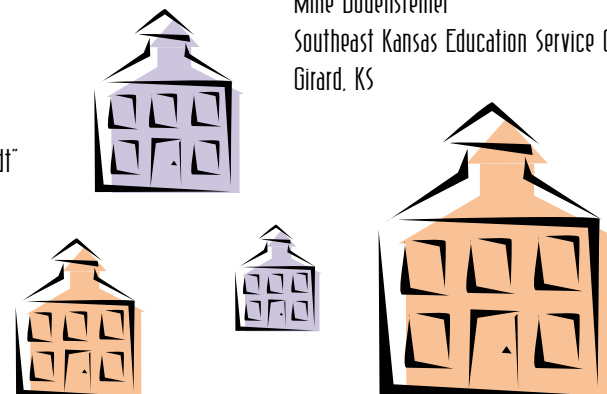
12:00-1:15 p.m.
Regency Ballroom
Lunch
Rural Education Awards

1:20-2:15 p.m.
Issues Seminars

Conference Room II
"School Reorganization Planning"
G. Kent Stewart
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Regi Wieland
Fort Hays Educational Development Center
Hays, KS

Conference Room IV & V
"Identifying, Evaluating and Assessing On-Line Courses and Programs"
Mike Bodensteiner
Southeast Kansas Education Service Center
Girard, KS



Regency Ballroom II
"What Do Students from Rural and Small Schools/Communities Say About Their Preparation for University Study"
Ray Kurtz
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Ron Lantaff
USD #430 - Horton
Horton, KS

2:15-2:30
Exhibits/Break

2:30-3:15 p.m.
Concurrent Sessions

Conference Room I
"Grant Writing for K-12 Schools"
Sue Maes
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Stan Ward
USD #383 - Manhattan
Manhattan, KS

Conference Room II
"The Success of All Day Everyday Kindergarten"
Jeanne Stroh
USD #320 - Wamego
Wamego, KS

Conference Room III
"Teacher/Student Success with Technology Mentors in Rural Schools"
Marilyn May
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

Conference Room IV
"Technical Education for Rural Kansas"
Ralph Beacham
Southeast Kansas Education Service Center
Olathe, KS

Conference Room V
"Local Assessments: Powerful Tools for Change"
Mike Dougherty
USD #444 - Little River
Little River, KS

Konza Room
"How to Manage Accelerated Math in a Rural Classroom"
Connie Sue Horton
Vichi Rosine
Doug Piper
USD #245 - Lebo
Lebo, KS

Scampi's
"Effective Evaluation: Analysis of the Teacher Episode-Learning 'What' to Evaluate"
Jerry D. Will
Emporia State University
Emporia, KS

Regency Ballroom II
"Internet Content for the Classroom" (Marco Polo)
Tweed Ross
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS

3:30-4:30 p.m.
Conference Room IV & V
State Department of Education Update

