**Conference Planner at a Glance**

**Time** **Session/Program/Presenter** **Room**

**Wednesday, October 21**

11:00 a.m. MO K-8 Executive Board Meeting - Mrs. Rayetta Self **Granada B**

12:00-12:45 p.m. "Implementing the Four-Day School Week" - Dr. Jon Turner **Granada A**

12:00-6:00 p.m. MARE School Board Training - Dr. Maggie Anderson **Escollo**

1:00-2:00 p.m. "Living with COVID: HR Problems & Solutions" - Hoernschemeyer/Wiens **Marbella A/B**

2:10-3:40 p.m. Board Refresher Training - Duane Martin, EdCounsel **Seachase**

2:10-2:50 p.m. **Small Group Sessions**

* "Introducing MOCAAT - A New Investment Option for Missouri Public Funds" **Granada A**
* "Evaluating Teachers in Remote Settings" **Granada B**
* "Prioritize & Digitize - The Future of Technology is NOW" **Granada C**
* "What's the Big IDEA?" **Valencia**

3:00-3:40 p.m. **Small Group Sessions**

* "Creating a Communications Plan for Rural Districts" **Granada A**
* "4 Day School Week & 5th Day RTI" **Granada B**
* "Snus, Orbs, Puff Bars, Juuls & More - The New Tobacco!" **Granada C**
* "Division of Energy - Loan Program" **Valencia**

3:45-4:30 p.m. "A Conversation with the Commissioner" - Dr. Margie Vandeven **Marbella A/B**

4:30 p.m. Exhibits Open **Campana Hall**

4:30-7:30 p.m. Reception with Exhibitors - Register for Door Prizes **Campana Hall**

**Thursday, October 22**

7:00-9:00 a.m. Breakfast with Exhibitors **Campana Hall**

8:00-4:30 p.m. MARE School Board Training **Escollo**

9:00-9:15 a.m. Vendor Prizes/Drawings for Exhibit Booth Cards **Campana Hall**

9:30-10:30 a.m. "DESE School Finance Update" - Dr. Kari Monsees  **Marbella A/B**

10:40-11:30 a.m. **Small Group Sessions**

* "Missouri Sunshine Law: Open Meetings & Records Act" - Casey Lawrence **Granada A**
* "Top Ten Things a New Superintendent Ought to Do... Really!" - MARE Board **Granada B**
* "Rural Perspective During the Last Eight Months" - Dr. Allen Pratt **Granada C**
* "The Art of Exemplary Board-Superintendent Relations" - Hinson/Nicely **Valencia**

**\*\*\* Conference Registration will be set up in the Lodge lobby to the left as you enter!**

**Conference Planner at a Glance (Continued)**

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**Thursday, October 22 Continued**

11:30-1:00 p.m. **Luncheon/Speakers/Awards** **Marbella A/B**

* Missouri Teacher of the Year - MIsty Grandel
* Recognition of Dr. Danny Humble (Former Region C Representative)
* Presentation by DHSS to MARE of "Friend of School Nursing Award"
* Outstanding Rural Education Awards – MARE & MO K-8

1:00-1:15 p.m. MO K-8 General Membership Meeting - Mrs. Rayetta Self **Granada A**

1:20-2:10 p.m. **Small Group Sessions**

* "Missouri Sunshine Law: Open Meetings & Records Act" - Casey Lawrence **Granada A**
* "Women Leading in Rural Schools" - Riss/Spangler/McMurtrey **Granada B**
* "Teacher Recruitment & Retention" - Dr. Paul Katnik **Granada C**
* "Staff & Student 1st Amendment Issues - From BLM to the Confederate Flag" - Fry **Valencia**

2:20-3:10 p.m. **Small Group Sessions**

* "Missouri Leadership Development System (MLDS) Update" - Dr. Jim Masters **Granada A**
* "PSRS/PEERS Presentation" - Steve Yoakum **Granada B**
* "School Transportation 101" - Debra Clink **Granada C**
* "New Title IX Regulations - What You Need to Know Now" - Michelle Basi **Valencia**

3:20-4:20 p.m. Legal Panel - Answers to "Hot Topic Questions" **Marbella A/B**

4:30-5:15 p.m. Small Schools Committee Meeting **Granada A**

4:30-6:00 p.m. MARE/MO K-8 Reception **Marbella A/B**

6:00-7:30 p.m. MARE Executive Board Meeting **Escollo**

**Friday, October 23**

7:00-8:00 a.m. Breakfast **Marbella A/B**

7:00-8:00 a.m. Mentoring Meeting - Kelly Hinshaw - MASA **Marbella A/B**

8:00-9:00 a.m. "COVID, Chaos & Seeing Around Corners" - Martin/Omohundro **Marbella A/B**

9:10-10:00 a.m. 2020 Legislative Session Update - Scott Kimble /Kay McMurtrey **Marbella A/B**

10:05-10:55 a.m. "Update from DESE" - Dr. Chris Neale **Marbella A/B**

11:00-11:30 a.m. MARE General Membership/Prizes/ Conference Adjournment **Marbella A/B**