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Enroll and Report Database is Now Online After Hale Library Fire

If you’ve been watching our Facebook page or the Community Opportunities emails, you know that the fire at Hale Library on campus in Manhattan affected access to the website, enrollment and reporting database. Fortunately, the database and website have all been restored, so this is your “all clear” to do any enrolling or reporting you had previously planned on. – Jan Steen, Kansas PRIDE Co-Coordinator, K-State Research and Extension jmsteen@ksu.edu

Availability: June 11-13

The K-State Research and Extension Community Vitality Team (Jan, Jaime, Nadine, Nancy, Trudy, and Bruce)

will be attending and presenting at the National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals in Cleveland, OH. YES! We are presenting your great work at a NATIONAL level and other states are going to witness the great work you do! If you need to contact the Kansas PRIDE office between June 11-13, so please get in touch with us at PRIDE@ksu.edu. – Jaime Menon, Kansas PRIDE Co-Coordinator, K-State Research and Extension, jmenon@ksu.edu

Webinar Series: Input Please

Jan and I are putting together a webinar series for educational opportunities for your communities. Please take a moment to fill out this short survey so that we can develop our programming:

https://kstate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8oYesSMfVC5Inb7

Thank you all, for all that you do! – Jaime Menon, Kansas PRIDE Co-Coordinator, K-State Research and Extension, jmenon@ksu.edu

Up for a Community Visit?

Would your PRIDE organization like to be brought up to speed on available opportunities? Have you had a leadership change and would like to make sure you’re on the right track? Let us know and we’ll work on scheduling a time to meet with you.
Week of PRIDE - Contest

Everyone loves a good contest, so we’re offering up a signed copy of this year’s Week of PRIDE proclamation, signed by Governor Colyer. To participate, take a picture of your Week of PRIDE Project with your community partner visible at the site. Your partner can be your local 4-H club, Masonic Lodge, Lions Club, church youth group, etc. – whatever group or groups you might work with to improve your community.

By June 30th, e-mail your pictures to us at PRIDE@ksu.edu. We’ll post them on Facebook. The community’s picture with the most likes will win the signed 2018 proclamation. Limit 1 picture submission per community, and you must report to enter. CLICK HERE to report. Visit the Week of PRIDE web page for a photo release form, should your photo have youth pictured: http://kansasprideprogram.k-state.edu/about/weekofpride.html – Jan Steen, Kansas PRIDE Co-Coordinator, K-State Research and Extension jmsteen@ksu.edu

Outside Funding Opportunities

Looking for funding? Click on the $ to view our Outside Funding and Other Useful Funding Resources Page.

K-State Research and Extension has Grant Writing Workshops. Contact PRIDE@ksu.edu or your local Extension Office, to find out if one will be provided near you in 2018.

Kansas Volunteer Commission Mini-Grants

The Kansas Volunteer Commission has announced their 2018 Mini-Grant Series. The Mini-Grant Series encourages organizations, big or small, to create special initiatives to engage more than just their core volunteers. This year organizations can apply for one or more of the following funding opportunities: 9-11 Day of Service and Remembrance, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service, Global Youth Service Day, and Volunteer Manager Support. More details of each grant opportunity are below. You can find more information as the grants become available on www.kanserve.org, or by contacting volunteer@ksde.org

9-11 National Day of Service and Remembrance
• Application opens 6/18/18
• Funds available for organizations to host volunteer projects and service activities honoring those who died and those who served because of what happened on 9/11 – Tuesday, September 11, 2018.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service
• Application opens 10/8/18
• Funds available for organizations to host volunteer projects and service activities on or around MLK Day of Service -- Monday, January 21, 2019.

Global Youth Service Day
• Application opens 11/5/18
• Funds available for student-led volunteer projects and service activities on or around Global Youth Service Day -- Friday, April 19, 2019.

Volunteer Manager Support
• Application opens 12/3/18
• Funds available to provide training to volunteers or to support professional development for volunteer managers between April 1, 2019 - September 30, 2019.

– Jan Steen, Kansas PRIDE Co-Coordinator, K-State Research and Extension jmsteen@ksu.edu

Events Calendar

Week of PRIDE Photo Contest Deadline – June 30, 2018

Quarterly Report Dates:

April 15th    July 15th
October 15th  January 15th

Opportunity Dates:

August 15, 2018 – Award Applications Due
February 15, 2019 – Award Applications Due

Facebook News

Don’t forget to like us on Facebook if you haven’t already. We post there often, and some of that information isn’t available in the newsletter – webinar announcements, community news, alerts. Examples of recent posts:

• Linn Valley Community PRIDE is having a 5k race this September.
• Lecompton Territorial Days is June 9.
• Dover Heritage Day is June 16.

Head over to http://www.facebook.com/KansasPRIDE/ for full details! – Jan Steen, Kansas PRIDE Co-Coordinator, K-State Research and Extension jmsteen@ksu.edu

Communities Currently Enrolled in the Kansas PRIDE Program

These communities have enrolled in the Kansas PRIDE Program this year. If you’re meeting as a local PRIDE group and don’t see your community name here, it’s not too late to enroll! Go to: http://kansasprideprogram.k-state.edu/enrollment-reporting/index.html

Click on the blue “Enroll” button to continue.