

# THE Councilor



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Area Council

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## President's Message

This is the time of year that many of your units are electing officers and recruiting committee chairs for next year. It is a time when you have the opportunity to create an innovative board that represents your school's diverse community.

Reach out to new members and those who have not been involved in past years. It is sometimes easier to fill positions with your circle of PTA friends, but in the end, this practice short-changes the students. You must think about the future of your organization and work to bring new volunteers up through the ranks to leadership positions.

Spring is the time for new beginnings. In this issue of the *Councilor* you will find informa-

tion on training opportunities being offered by Kansas PTA and SMAC. Be sure your newly elected president attends the SMAC Presidents' Information Course on April 16.

This is part one of the new president's training. The second part will be presented at the School of Instruction on May 7. It is not too late to register for the Kansas PTA Convention, April 25-27 in Olathe. A spring convention provides an excellent opportunity for newly elected officers and chairs to get new ideas and motivation for the next year. The State PTA is offering a wide variety of informative workshops as well as exciting and motivating speakers. If you have

not yet elected new officers, you may send in the registration(s) now and then send the names of those attending at a later date. If you have nominees, you may send in their names and if someone else is elected to that office, the name can be changed. New officers and chairs should also plan to attend SMAC's annual School of Instruction on May 7, at Shawnee Mission West. Please share the information in this issue with your officers and chairs. I hope you or a representative will be able to attend all of these excellent training events.

Thank you all for continuing to write and call our legislators concerning school finance. I know it seems

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that we are not making progress and now the State has its own budget crisis, but we must continue to let our lawmakers know that we care about our public schools. In a New York Times editorial, March 6, 2003, Bob Herbert wrote,

*Education is the food that nourishes the nation's soul. When public officials refuse to provide adequate school resources for the young, it's the same as parents refusing to feed their children. It's unconscionable. It's criminal.*

If you agree with this sentiment, as I do, it is imperative to make sure our legislators know how you feel. Thank you for all you do for children.

Kim Pflaum,  
SMAC President

## Kansas PTA Legislative Conference--A Success!

Once again, Shawnee Mission parents and patrons showed their continued enthusiasm, support and advocacy for public education at the Feb. 10 Kansas PTA Legislative Conference in Topeka. Attendance was in the neighborhood of 175 parents/patrons and 28 legislators. Shawnee Mission sent the largest delegation. Upon their return they have continued to work at each individual PTA unit to keep the lines of communication open between parents and Topeka.

The guest speakers: **Gail Vertz**, KS PTA President, **Maddie Breitmayer**, KS PTA 2<sup>nd</sup> VP, **Diane Gjerstad**, Lobbyist for the Wichita Public Schools, **Mark DeSetti**, Director of Political Action for Kansas NEA, **Mark Tallman**, Asst. Exec. Director for Advocacy for the KS Assoc. of School Boards, Senator **John Vratil**, and **Dale Dennis**, Deputy Commissioner of the KS Dept. of Ed. provided the delegation with very insightful information regarding funding of public education and the status of the ever changing budget crisis in Kansas.

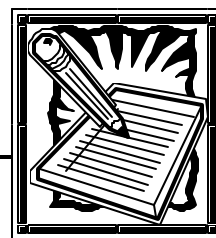
The luncheon was well attended and provided a relaxed opportunity for one-on-one conversations with legislators about funding public education. The conference concluded with a homework assignment for everyone:

1. **Now** is the time to contact your legislators.
2. **Now** is the time to thank those legislators that have been supportive.
3. **Now** is the time to thank our educators who have maintained exceptional educational performance under inadequately funded conditions.

Contact your individual PTA legislative liaison for conference details or legislative concerns. Several schools continue to have legislative forums for your benefit. There are many sources of excellent information and ways to contact your legislator. Following are some simple guidelines and contacts to get you started.

*The Councilor* is published monthly. The article deadline for the upcoming April issue is Wednesday, April 2. Send articles to Editor Janet Martz by e-mail at [jbmartz@juno.com](mailto:jbmartz@juno.com) or by mail to 5301 W. 65th Place, Prairie Village, KS 66202.

Contact Janet at 384-5306 or at the above email address with any comments or questions.



## Legislative Information (Cont.)

### Contacting Legislators

Contacting members of the legislature is easy by email. Do it often.

To contact Governor Sebelius:      governor@ink.org or 785-296-3232  
For members of the KS House:      lastname@house.state.ks.us  
For members of the KS Senate:      lastname@senate.state.ks.us  
For tracking legislation:           www.accesskansas.org/legislative

Following is a guideline for composing your email:

The Honorable \_\_\_\_\_  
Kansas Senate/ House of Representatives  
Room \_\_\_\_\_  
State Capital Building  
Topeka KS 66612

In your communication, consider these points in drafting your message or letter:

- Deal with a specific issue and deal with only one issue per letter
- State what you would like the legislator to do, and ask for a response
- Be brief and to the point
- Refer to a legislative issue by bill number if known
- Be factual and support your position with information
- Remain courteous, explain the local impact
- Be timely, don't wait and expect someone else to write
- Send a second letter thanking the legislator for favorable action (or in the alternative send a letter to the editor if the legislator acted unfavorably)

### Key Legislative Deadlines

March 29 is the last day to consider bills not in their house of origin, except those in the exempt committees.

April 1 is the 2003 Spring General Election. For candidates, sample ballot, voting options and more election information, go to [www.jocoelection.org](http://www.jocoelection.org).

April 12 is the date after which the Governor considers no bills, except those that have been vetoed.

The commitment and tenacity of the Shawnee Mission patrons is amazing. Our voice has been heard and continues to make a difference in Topeka. Thank you for making a difference.

Julie Rainen,  
SMAC Legislation

## School of Instruction



“Every year thousands of men and women become officers and chairmen of parent-teacher associations. On them depends the effectiveness of parent-teacher work. Will they provide the vigorous, informed, democratic leadership that results in successful PTA action for the welfare of children and youth? A School of Instruction is a meeting designed to instruct, inform, and inspire PTA leaders. It should be attended by all of the officers of each local unit and as many chairmen as possible.

A School of Instruction should:

1. Deepen and clarify the new leader’s concepts of the parent-teacher organization and the purpose it serves in our society.
2. Help them to become aware not only of their functions as leaders, but also of their responsibility to develop leadership among those with whom they work.
3. Increase self-confidence by helping them understand the specific job and how best to do it.
4. Give them a sure, fundamental knowledge of the PTA’s program in helping members (a) to realize what resources now exist in the school and community for the benefit of children and youth; and (b) to plan what action should be taken on the community’s unmet needs.
5. Help them to appreciate that the success of any PTA activity depends on the degree to which each member becomes informed, articulate, aroused, and concerned about the unmet needs of children.
6. Stimulate them to acquire the additional information and techniques that will improve their effectiveness as leaders.
7. Acquaint them with the resources to which they can turn for help.”

*These statements were taken from a School of Instruction booklet published by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers in 1957.*

It is remarkable that the goals stated forty-six years ago are still pertinent today! PTAs have been advocating on behalf of children for 106 years. Becoming involved in the PTA and actively working to promote the welfare of children and youth may be the most important job that we have! The School of Instruction provides a friendly, relaxed atmosphere in which PTA leaders from every school are given the information and training needed to carry on the work of the local PTA unit. We hope that your PTA is making plans for your newly elected officers and chairs to attend the SMAC PTA School of Instruction on May 7. Shawnee Mission Area Council PTA’s goal is to assist all of the local units in every way possible. We want the School of Instruction to be one of our finest contributions to the work of parents and teachers.

Candy Lafferty,  
School of Instruction Chair



## School of Instruction

### Local Unit Sharing Displays

I know that it is really, really early in the year to start thinking about your school's Sharing Display for the School of Instruction on May 7! Participation in the Display area has dwindled in recent years. I thought that it might be useful if everyone knew... *What are Sharing Displays?*

Each school in our District is invited to prepare an exhibit in whatever format you desire. It can be as simple or elaborate as you wish. Tables are available on the Bridge at Shawnee Mission West for these displays. Everyone attending the School of Instruction is able to browse through the displays to see just what the others schools are doing!

Some items that might be included in your display are: spiritwear items, school banners and other memorabilia, school directories and yearbooks, and display boards filled with pictures or newspaper clippings. Some schools prepare videos or Power Point presentations. This is your school's chance to shine, brag just a little, and show your school spirit. We hope that all of you will consider being a part of the Sharing Displays at this year's School of Instruction!

If you have questions, feel free to contact Candy Lafferty at [clafferty@aol.com](mailto:clafferty@aol.com) or 541-8747.

## Drug Abuse Prevention Program

Attention Drug Abuse Prevention Program Chairs and PTA Presidents: The Regional Prevention Center in Olathe is hosting the BASELINE Community Training on Wednesday, April 2 and Thursday, April 3. Registration is \$40 and includes continental breakfast and lunch for both days.

Yes, it is a commitment. However, as a professional or a community member, you are aware that substance abuse and addiction are significant problems in Kansas communities. This two-day workshop will help you work and live with addicted persons by exploring your beliefs and increasing your awareness of the impact of alcohol and other drugs on individuals, families and communities. Trained facilitators will guide you through Baseline's interactive exercises and help you: Understand persons with substance abuse addiction; Learn how substance abuse and addiction affect a person's life, his/her family and his/her community; Explore the dynamics of families impacted by substance abuse and addiction; Meet other professionals committed to strengthening positive, healthy communities.

Social workers will receive 12.5 CEU's and nurses will receive 12 contact hours. Send your name, address, daytime phone number and a non-refundable check for \$40 to: Regional Prevention Center, 1125 West Spruce, Olathe, Kansas 66061. Make the check payable to the Regional Prevention Center.

I attended this training last year and it was well worth the time. You will leave with new respect for those who work with drug addicted people and learn some strategies to pass on to our parents. Also, you will get lots of resource materials to bring back to your unit. If you have any questions, call the Regional Prevention Center at 913-715-7880.

Mary Ca Ralstin,  
D.A.P.P. Co-Chair

Shawnee Mission Education Foundation presents

# Celebrate Success! 2003

Tuesday, May 13

5:30 p.m., Village Presbyterian Church, 6641 Mission Road

This is a gala reception and program honoring individual Shawnee Mission students, teachers, teams and schools for outstanding state and national achievement and will recognize the third annual Patron award recipient, the former State Senator, Dick Bond. The speaker will be Ron Clark, Disney American Teacher of the Year. Join us for this inspiring event! Tickets are \$25/person or \$100/per patron ticket. Call 993-9360 for information.

## "Ecstasy": A Deadly Gamble for Today's Youth

As a parent, you may have heard about the "club" drug "ecstasy" being used by millions of today's kids. You may not know, however, just how dangerous the drug really is. National PTA offers the article "Ecstasy": A Deadly Gamble for Today's Youth" to discuss the inherent dangers of this potentially deadly drug.

Here are some startling facts about ecstasy that every parent should know:

- \* Ecstasy can cause muscle cramping, blurred vision, hypothermia, heat stroke, high blood pressure, and panic attacks in its users.
- \* Ecstasy lowers users' inhibitions while causing increased sexual feelings--which may cause users to make sexual decisions they might not ordinarily make.
- \* Recent findings suggest that ecstasy may cause long-term brain damage evident in its users years later.
- \* Ecstasy, once mostly used by kids at dance clubs and all-night parties, is now largely being used right in the home.

The article "Ecstasy": A Deadly Gamble for Today's Youth" appeared in the January/February 2003 edition of *Our Children*, National PTA's official magazine. See [http://www.pta.org/parentinvolvement/drugalcohol/da\\_oc\\_ecstasy.asp](http://www.pta.org/parentinvolvement/drugalcohol/da_oc_ecstasy.asp). Visit National PTA's online store to subscribe to "Our Children" magazine. at <http://www.pta.org/aboutpta/store/index.asp>.

## The Clothing Center Schedule 2003

Date	School	Officers	SMAC Chair	Officers/Chairs
	<b>8:30-11 a.m.</b>	<b>8:30-11 a.m.</b>	<b>8:30-11 a.m.</b>	<b>Evening 4:30-7:00 p.m.</b>
31-March		Lafferty		
7-Apr	Santa Fe Trail, Shawanoe	Kobylinski		
14-Apr				Zila, Lafferty
21-Apr	Somerset, South Park	Kremers	Miller	
28-Apr	Sunflower, Tomahawk	Lafferty		
5-May	Trailwood, West Antioch	Etherington	Talbott	
12-May				Blake, Lafferty
19-May	Westwood View	Sachs	Nowell	

The SMAC PTA Clothing Center is located in the lower level of the Indian Creek Technology Center, 4401 W. 103rd Street in Overland Park. . . . Just follow the signs. Shopping hours are: 9-11 a.m. on the 1st, 3rd, and 4th Mondays of the month and 5-7 p.m. on the 2nd Monday of the month. Each school is to send 3 workers to help sort clothing on its scheduled Monday date. Sorting hours are from 8:30-11 a.m. Area Council officers and chairs must trade or find substitutes if they are unable to work on their assigned date. If you have questions, call or email Candy Lafferty at 541-8747 or cllafferty@aol.com.

Below is a message to our Spanish speaking patrons:

### El Centro de Ropa

**El Centro de Ropa está abierto de 9 de la mañana hasta 11 de la mañana en el primer, tercer y cuarto lunes de cada mes. Estamos también abiertos de 5 de la tarde hasta 7 de la tarde el segundo lunes de cada mes.**

**Si usted tiene niños matriculados en una escuela de Shawnee Mission, ellos pueden recibir cinco pares de calcetines nuevos y 5 pares de calzones o calzoncillos nuevos durante el año de escuela. Usted necesita traer una nota de la escuela del niño para obtener la ropa interior y los calcetines nuevos.**



## *PTA Presidents*

After you have selected your PTA President for the 2003-2004 school year, please submit the following information as soon as possible.

School \_\_\_\_\_

President's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Fax# \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please send this information to: **Deb Zila**  
**6921 W 100<sup>th</sup> Terrace**  
**Overland Park, KS 66212**  
**913-642-5774**  
**E-Mail: zilagang@everestkc.net**

This information will be used to compile the new Presidents List for the President's Information Course scheduled for April 16, 2003. Please submit this same information to the Kansas PTA office at 715 SW 10<sup>th</sup> St., Topeka, KS 66612. Thank you!

## **Congratulations to our 2003-2004 SMAC Officers!**

The election of officers took place at the SMAC General Meeting held at the McEachen Administrative Center on Feb.19. The following leaders were elected:

President: Rae Ann Kobylinski  
VP Administrative Assistant: Terry Wintering  
VP Community Services: Elaine Hodgson  
VP Cultural Services: Carmen Sachs  
VP Educational Services: Amy Wheeler  
VP Public Relations: Joni Etherington  
Treasurer: Candy Lafferty  
Recording Secretary: Mary Jorgenson  
Corresponding Secretary: Debbie Kremers  
Members-at-Large: Nancy Huckaba  
Sammie Kudera  
Mary Ca Ralstin

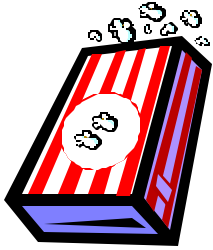
We thank these new officers for their service and commitment to the children in our district.

# **It's Not Too Late!** *Register for the* **Kansas PTA Convention**

**April 25-27**

**Holiday Inn  
Olathe, Kansas**

Convention information has been mailed to all PTA Presidents.  
Registration information is also available on the Kansas PTA Web Site  
[www.ptasonline.org/kspta](http://www.ptasonline.org/kspta) or by contacting the Kansas PTA Office  
by telephone at 785-234-KPTA. The advance registration deadline is April 1.



## Summer Film Series Update

This year SMAC is presenting three separate film series programs at three different movie theaters. It is hoped that all elementary schools will offer all three programs to their families. Each program is separate with separate tickets. Make sure it is understood that the tickets are unique to each theater. They can only be used at the theater printed on the ticket. Some families may want to purchase a ticket for each theater to get a greater variety of movie choices.

The tickets for the *spring/summer film series at the Top 2 Theater at 5909 Johnson Drive in Mission, KS is currently being offered at Shawnee Mission elementary schools*. Season tickets for 20 shows (rated G and PG) sell for \$10 and are good for children and adult admission. For each ticket sold, your PTA keeps \$2.25 and SMAC keeps \$2! Each ticket includes 20 punches that can be used in any combination for the film series. For example: 20 admissions to 1 show, 10 admissions to 2 shows, 1 admission to 20 shows, etc. The first 10 shows will be offered on Saturdays and Sundays, beginning March 29 and then changes to Tuesday/Wednesdays beginning June 3. This is the first of the three film series programs presented by SMAC this year. If you have not received your information or have questions on the spring/summer program, please call Roxann Quarnstrom, 248-0134.

The other two film series programs will offer movies (rated G and PG) on weekdays during the summer, beginning the week of June 3 at the Cinemark Theater and WestGlen 18 Theaters. The movie selections and flyers are currently being finalized. The tickets will be sold April 14 through May 20. The information will be sent to your elementary school chair during the first part of April. The tickets are \$6.50 for 10 shows, for both children and adult admission. The ticket punch cards can also be used in any combination of ways (ten admissions to one movie, 1 admission to 10 movies). For each ticket sold, your PTA keeps \$1.75 and SMAC gets \$1.00! This is the only fundraising activity that Area Council conducts during the year. It's a great deal for everyone involved. Any questions, call Roxann Quarnstrom, 248-0134 or email, [quarnde@aol.com](mailto:quarnde@aol.com).

## Dues Information for Membership Drive Planning

Many of our units are planning for next year's membership drive. Some have requested information about dues. If you are willing to share information about your dues for next year with other PTA units in SMAC, please send that information to me. I can be reached by phone at 381-1543 or by email at [jarroldrc@msn.com](mailto:jarroldrc@msn.com).

Cynthia Jarrold  
SMAC Membership Chair

## Honorary Life Memberships Awarded

In honor of National PTA's Founders Day, Shawnee Mission Area Council presented two Kansas PTA Honorary Life Membership Awards during the General Meeting on Feb. 19. Rae Ann Kobylinski, Vice President-Public Relations and Terry Wintering, Vice President-Educational Services were honored for their outstanding PTA service and commitment to all children in Shawnee Mission. Join us in congratulating Rae Ann and Terry for their years of dedication and service!

Another Honorary Life Membership will be awarded at the School of Instruction on May 7.

## Reflections Program Winners

The Shawnee Mission Area Council is pleased to announce this year's Reflections Program winners. The theme "Signs of Courage" gave students in grades pre-kindergarten to twelve the opportunity to express themselves in one or more of the four art media, Literature, Music Composition, Visual Arts and Photography. Thirty-five Shawnee Mission Schools participated in the program producing 1,305 entries. Each participating school forwarded the first place winners in each category and age group to the District/Council level for a total of 191 entries. Each age and art category was awarded a first place Award of Excellence and three Awards of Merit. Following is the list of winners:

### Literature

#### Primary Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Madeline Frankel	Sunflower Elementary
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Madeline Meininger	Dorothy Moody Elementary
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Emily Sneed	Briarwood Elementary
<b>4th Award of Merit</b>	Corinne Stratton	Brookwood Elementary

#### Intermediate Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Katie Cox	Briarwood Elementary
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Anders Newman	Brookwood Elementary
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Grant Clothier	Trailwood Elementary
<b>4th Award of Merit</b>	Kaylee Trost	Rising Star Elementary

#### Middle/Junior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Melissa McKittrick	Belinder Elementary
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Emma Dutton	Westridge MS
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Leah Pickett	Briarwood Elementary
<b>4th Award of Merit</b>	Joel Layton	Westridge MS

#### Senior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Kristin Pitts	Shawnee Mission NW
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Tony McAboy	Shawnee Mission East

### Visual Arts

#### Primary Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Mary Grace Diehl	Belinder Elementary
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Margaret Dickinson	Westwood View Elementary
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Sarah Langtry	Corinth Elementary
<b>4th Award of Merit</b>	Sophie Fields	Somerset Elementary

#### Intermediate Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Maggie Simmons	Belinder Elementary
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Baylee Birkmeyer	Mill Creek Elementary
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Ian Burrow	Brookridge Elementary
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Andrew Carlson	Santa Fe Trail Elementary
<b>4th Award of Merit</b>	Blaze Capper	John Diemer Elementary

#### Middle/Junior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Daniel Beattie	Trailridge MS
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Sam Stephens	Katherine Carpenter Elem.
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Taylor Newman	Mission Valley MS
<b>4th Award of Merit</b>	Emily Mullett	Corinth Elementary

#### Senior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Margaret Hoffman	Shawnee Mission South
<b>2nd Award of Merit</b>	Ankur Desai	Shawnee Mission NW
<b>3rd Award of Merit</b>	Mary Clark	Shawnee Mission NW
<b>4th Award of Merit</b>	Tyler Coverdale	Shawnee Mission North

## Reflections Program Winners

### Photography

#### Primary Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Natalie Stephens	Rising Star Elementary
2nd Award of Merit	Zachary Beckett	Mill Creek Elementary
3rd Award of Merit	Keith Monaghan	Trailwood Elementary
4th Award of Merit	Mary Grace Diehl	Belinder Elementary

#### Intermediate Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Noah Horton	Sunflower Elementary
2nd Award of Merit	Jordan Olson	Katherine Carpenter Elem.
3rd Award of Merit	Heidi Kaiser	Trailwood Elementary
4th Award of Merit	Jeffrey Martin	Merriam Elementary

#### Middle/Junior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Alex Hodges	Indian Hills MS
2nd Award of Merit	Andrew Dickinson	Westwood View Elementary
3rd Award of Merit	Carly Haflich	Brookwood MS
3rd Award of Merit	Corbin Brady	Trailridge MS
4th Award of Merit	Jordan Walker	Bluejacket-Flint Elementary

#### Senior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Stephanie Cooper	Shawnee Mission South
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### Music Composition

#### Primary Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Stefan Sink	Westwood View Elementary
2nd Award of Merit	Jennifer Lowe	Brookridge Elementary
3rd Award of Merit	Oliver L'Esperance	John Diemer Elementary
4th Award of Merit	Cicely Krebill	Highlands Elementary

#### Intermediate Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Elizabeth Rodgers	Briarwood Elementary
2nd Award of Merit	Megan Sullivan	Corinth Elementary
3rd Award of Merit	Abby Schleicher	Merriam Elementary
4th Award of Merit	Sarah Willetts	Westwood View Elementary

#### Middle/Junior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Noah Siegel	Hocker Grove MS
2nd Award of Merit	Jack Brugger	Brookwood Elementary
3rd Award of Merit	Sean Giddings	Trailridge MS
4th Award of Merit	Jon Goddard	Brookridge Elementary

#### Senior Division

<b>1st Place</b>	Jeremy Schwinger	Shawnee Mission South
2nd Award of Merit	Alex Ilten	Shawnee Mission South

The first place winners have advanced to the state level of the program. They will be honored at the Shawnee Mission School Board to be held on Monday, March 31 at 6:30 p.m. at Shawnee Mission Northwest. The Awards of Merit have been given to the respective unit chairs to hand to the students.

We congratulate all the talented young artists whose artistic interpretations raised the bar this year, and we thank them for having the courage to participate. Also, we want to thank the Reflections Chairs at every unit for their dedication to our children and for their commitment to the future of the arts in our schools. We encourage all units to consider participating next year. Thank you!

Carmen-Elena Sachs and Shirley Reeves, SMAC Reflections Program

## Dates To Remember

### MARCH

31 Mon. Board of Education Mtg.-Reflections  
Winners honored 6:30 p.m. S.M. Northwest

### APRIL

2 Wed. Executive Committee Meeting 9:30 a.m. McEachen

16 Wed. President's Information Course 9 a.m. McEachen

25-27 Fri.-Sun. Kansas PTA Spring Convention Holiday Inn, Olathe

30 Wed. Executive Session 9:30 a.m. McEachen

### MAY

7 Wed. School of Instruction 6 p.m. S.M. West H.S.

13 Tues. SMEF "Celebrate Success" 5:30 p.m. Village Presbyterian Church

14 Wed. Executive Training (2002-2003 Board) 9:30 a.m. McEachen



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