

The Kansas Association for Youth (**KAY**) is a character-building, leadership -training, service organization sponsored by the KSHSAA. The **KAY** program is a nationally acclaimed organization unique to Kansas, providing student leaders an opportunity to learn to assume their citizenship responsibility and to enrich their personalities through well-organized programs and projects. Programs educate, inspire and direct members into carefully planned service projects. These projects emphasize four areas of service – school, community, nation, and world.

All boys and girls in grades 7-12 whose schools are members of the KSHSAA may join the **KAY** club in their school. Membership allows these students to experience teamwork & sharpen leadership skills, in addition to building their confidence & self-esteem. In **KAY** students develop an attitude for life regarding leadership and service – an attitude of “we get to” rather than “we have to”.



School activities are an important part of the educational process and will be as good & as sound as those who administer and support them. This educational workshop is intended to assist sponsors in the important role they have of providing leadership and guidance in an activity for Kansas students that is educational, enjoyable and rewarding.

## COMMENTS

From past Sponsor Sessions

*“This was just what I needed – great ideas, motivation, and confidence in my duties”.*

*“Excellent Day - glad I made the time to attend”!*

*“First time to go – loved it”!*

*“KAY is a wonderful organization. I now better understand my role”.*

*“What a wonderful opportunity to meet sponsors from across the state and learn from one another”.*

*“I GET TO be a KAY sponsor”!*

*“I loved the atmosphere –positive people giving positive ideas”.*

*“This was great! I wish I could have gone to something like this my 1<sup>st</sup> year as a sponsor”.*

**Mark Your Calendar NOW!**

**MONDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 19, 2016**

**Make plans now to attend this exciting, motivating, & rewarding experience.**

## KAY STATEWIDE SPONSORS SESSION



# "LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION"!

**Monday,  
September 19, 2016**

(@ Rock Springs 4-H Ctr.)

*Sponsored by the Kansas State High School  
Activities Association*

The Kansas State High School Activities Association is pleased to offer this exciting activity, designed for **ALL SPONSORS** to discover the rewards of **SERVICE** in their lives. New, as well as veteran sponsors will benefit a great deal by attending. Session objectives include, but are not limited to:

**SKILLS** – A sponsor’s life is never dull. Through small group sessions sponsors will have the opportunity to share organizational tips, time management skills, and effective tips for multi-tasking and communication.

**EDUCATION** – Sponsors will have the opportunity to gain a better understanding about the KAY program—award & point system, leadership training experiences for students, tips for success with projects, etc.

**RECOGNITION** – Sponsors will be recognized for their dedication and service to the KAY program and understand that they have a tremendous opportunity to “make a difference” in the lives of others.

**VISION** – Sponsors will have the opportunity to offer suggestions for possible changes to the KAY program and gain a transparent understanding of the foundation and ideals of the KAY program.

**EXAMPLE** – Sponsors will understand the value of a positive example. Their enthusiasm and example will play a key role in the club’s success or it’s failure.

(See [www.kshsaa.org/KAY](http://www.kshsaa.org/KAY) for more info: registration form, directions, etc.).

# KAY STATEWIDE SPONSORS SESSION

Monday,  
September 19, 2016  
@ Rock Springs 4-H Ctr.  
south of Junction City, KS;  
Site of KLC (KAY Leadership Camp)

## TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

8:45-9:20 AM – Check-in, mix, refreshments  
9:30-10:15 – Opening General Session  
10:25-10:55 – Break-out Session 1  
11:00-11:30 – Break-out Session 2  
11:40-12:00 PM-Group Sharing Session  
12:15-12:55 – Lunch  
1:10 -1:40 – Break-out Session 3  
1:45-2:10 – Break-out Session 4  
2:15-2:30 – Closing General Session



Don't miss this exciting opportunity to  
add some sparkle and excitement to  
your KAY program!

► **REGISTRATION/FEE** ◀  
**\$50 PER SPONSOR**  
(Fee includes refreshments,  
delicious lunch, meeting materials, etc.)

Early Bird Special  
**\$40 PER SPONSOR**  
(for the first 40 sponsors to register)

Complete registration form & send with fee  
(Make check payable to KSHSAA)

**March 15** – All schools/sponsors will receive a registration form & brochure.

**August 1** – All schools/sponsors will be mailed another registration form, detailed schedule / agenda, directions, etc.

**September 9** – Registration deadline.  
Your cooperation is appreciated.

► **TRANSPORTATION** ◀  
It is highly recommended that sponsors car-pool to this session. Not only will this cut costs, but it will provide an excellent opportunity to network. Directions to Rock Springs 4-H Center will be mailed in August & are located @ [www.kshsaa.org](http://www.kshsaa.org) (KAY).

► **LODGING** ◀  
Those desiring lodging on Sunday evening, check out [www.junctioncity.org](http://www.junctioncity.org) (click on Geary County CVB).

**QUESTIONS?**  
Contact Cheryl Gleason,  
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# KAY STATEWIDE SPONSORS SESSION



## REGISTRATION FORM

### “LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION!”

**YES! SIGN ME (US) UP FOR THE KAY SPONSORS SESSION!**  
Monday, September 19, 2016 @ Rock Springs 4-H Ctr.

NAME 1. \_\_\_\_\_

NAME 2. \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE 1. (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE 2. (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR E-MAIL 1. \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR E-MAIL 2. \_\_\_\_\_

#### REGISTRATION FEE (per sponsor):

- ~~\$40 enclosed (Early Bird Special – 1<sup>st</sup> 40 to register)~~
- \$50 enclosed** (KSHSAA will notify when 40 registered sponsors reached)
- Check enclosed** (payable to KSHSAA)       **Check to follow**

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE SEPTEMBER 9**

**PLEASE MAIL, FAX or SCAN/EMAIL TO THE KSHSAA:**  
**Attention: Cheryl Gleason**  
**PO Box 495, Topeka, KS 66601-0495**  
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