SUNDAY, JULY 24

Time TBD

“Teach Ag Classic” Golf Scramble Tourney (4-person)

Deerlake Golf Course
Sponsored by MSU & NWMSU & Seitz Fundraising – Richard Roller & David Wells

MONDAY, JULY 25

9:00 a.m. - Noon

Pesticide Certification Training

Darr Agricultural Center - Room 130E
(Pre-registration required - Cost $15)

9:30 a.m.

Missouri ACTE Board of Directors Meeting

University Plaza - Illinois Room

9:30 a.m.

CDE Committee Meeting

Darr Agricultural Center - Room 130D

12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

MVATA Planning Session

Darr Agricultural Center - Room 118
Only Current MVATA President, President-Elect, Past President, Secretary, Secretary-Elect & Committee Chairs

MONDAY, JULY 25 (CONTINUED)

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

Darr Agricultural Center

MVATA Auditing Committee – Room 108
ACT Committee – Room 115
CDE Committee – Room 130D (continues)
Curriculum and Resources Committee – Room 116
MVATA Legislative Committee – Room 130B
MVATA Adult Education Committee – Room 130C
Professional Development Committee – Room 130E
State Degree Committee – Room 130A

1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Missouri ACTE Conference Registration

EXPO Center - Hall A & B - 635 St. Louis Street

1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Exhibits Open

EXPO Center - Hall A & B - 635 St. Louis Street

4:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

MVATA Executive Committee Meeting (Current & Incoming MVATA Officers)

Darr Agricultural Center - Room 130D

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Monday, July 25 (Continued)

4:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

1st Year Teachers (Protégés) & Mentors / 2nd Year Teachers (Protégés Only)
Dinner & Seminars – Required Session
Darr Agricultural Center, Missouri State University
First Year Protégés /Mentors - Room 130 A/B
Second Year Protégés Only - Room 130 E/F
(Beginning Teacher “Directory Photos” will be taken.)

5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.
Exe. Committee, 1st Year Teachers & Mentors / 2nd Year Teachers Dinner
Darr Agricultural Center, Missouri State University

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Resolutions Committee
Darr Agricultural Center - Room 114

Tuesday, July 26

7:30 a.m.
All Missouri ACTE Committee Meetings
University Plaza Convention Center - Arizona Room

8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Exhibits Open
EXPO Center - Hall A & B - 635 St. Louis Street

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Missouri ACTE Conference Registration
EXPO Center Hall A & B - 635 St. Louis Street

8:45 a.m.
New Professional Reception
University Plaza Convention Center - Arizona Room

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m
Committee Meetings

ACT Committee (if necessary)
Holiday Inn Express & Suites

Tuesday, July 26 (Continued)

10:00 a.m.
Missouri ACTE Opening General Session
EXPO Center - Hall C – 635 St. Louis Street
Welcome; Awards; President-Elect Speech
Speaker: Andrew McCrea – “Moving from Ordinary to Extraordinary - Finding the ‘Extra’ that Makes the Difference”

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Dine-Around Town
Area restaurants, located within walking distance of the Expo, will be open to serve our members. Many of the restaurants will be extending discounts and a few are opening only for our members, so they will require reservations. For a map of the restaurants, go to: http://j.mp/1yKalEM.

1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Missouri ACTE General Session
Course times, speakers, locations, and descriptions are listed at the end of this agenda.
**MVATA - “WORKING TO GROW LEADERS, BUILD COMMUNITIES & STRENGTHEN AGRICULTURE”**

Location: Hillcrest High School, 3319 North Grant, Springfield

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**TUESDAY, JULY 26 (CONT.)**

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**MVATA Membership Committee**

Location: Student Center

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**First General Session – Agricultural Education**

Location: Auditorium

Professional Dress Requested

No Food or Drink Allowed in Auditorium

**MVATA Meeting**: Jeff Voris, Agriculture Instructor – Halfway and MVATA President

**Invocation**: Jonathan Hoer, Agriculture Instructor – Montgomery Co. and MVATA President Elect

**Necrology Service**: Randy Stockstill, Rolla - Chairperson of the Teacher Welfare and Service Awards Committee

**Financial Report & Presentation of Budget**: Pam Proffitt-Rowland, MVATA Treasurer

**Presentation of Ag Teacher’s Creed to New Teachers**: Heather Johnson, Agriculture Instructor – Salem and MVATA Secretary

**Teacher of Teacher Awards**: Jeff Voris, Agriculture Instructor – Halfway and MVATA President

**30 Minute Awards**: Jeff Voris, Agriculture Instructor – Halfway and MVATA President

**Committee Reports**:

- **Teacher Education Update**: College of the Ozarks
- **Northwest Missouri State University**
- **Missouri State University**
- **Southeast Missouri State University**
- **University of Missouri**
- **UCM – Warrensburg**
- **MACTA Representative**

**Director’s Report**: Leon Busdieker, Director - Agricultural Education, DESE

**Other Business**

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**TUESDAY, JULY 26 (CONT.)**

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Cont.)

**First General Session – Agricultural Education (Cont.)**

**Break**

Location: Student Center

Sponsored by College of Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources, University of Missouri

**District Meetings**

Location: Hillcrest High School

Northeast – Cafeteria
Northwest – Choir Room
Central – East Gym
South Central – Library B
Southwest – Auditorium
Southeast – Library A

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

**Newly Elected Executive Committee**

Location: Library

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**University of Missouri – Ag Education Sponsored Social**

Springfield Brewing Co., 301 S. Market, Springfield

7:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

**All MVATA Committees – As Needed**

(All Committee Chairpersons should contact members)

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MVATA (AGRICULTURE) DIVISION AGENDA (CONT.)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

“Working to Grow Leaders, Build Communities & Strengthen Agriculture”
Location: Hillcrest High School

7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Coffee Break
Location: Student Center
Sponsored by Department of Agriculture, Missouri State University

7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Teacher Directory Photo Retakes
Location: Student Center

8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Missouri ACTE Late Registration
Location: Student Center

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.
National FFA Report
Larry Gossen, Natl. FFA LPS Specialist

8:30 a.m.
Introductions & Workshop Announcements
State Professional Development Specialist

8:40 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Carousel Workshops (Pick 3 to attend)
Session 1: 8:40 a.m. to 9:20 a.m.
Session 2 9:30 a.m. to 10:10 a.m.
Session 3 10:20 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

11:15 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
MVATA Awards Luncheon & Awards Presentations
Location: Cafeteria/Auditorium
(Professional Dress Requested)
Sponsored by LC Fundraising – Lloyd Camp

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Break
Location: Student Center
Sponsored by Northwest Missouri State University – Ag Education

THURSDAY, JULY 28

All MVATA events will be held at Hillcrest High School, unless otherwise noted.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27 (CONT.)

2:00 p.m.
Pictures of Award Recipients
Location: Student Center

2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Post-Secondary Education Institutions Mtg.
Location: Library

3:30 p.m.
House of Delegates Meeting
University Plaza Hotel - John Q Room

4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Teacher Welfare & Service Awards Committee Meeting
Shrine Mosque

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Agricultural Education Division Social
Shrine Mosque
All MVATA members and their families are welcome to attend this social sponsored by State Technical College of Missouri & Seitz Fundraising.

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THURSDAY, JULY 28 (CONT.)

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Second General Session – Agricultural Education

Location: Auditorium
Professional Dress Requested
No Food or Drink Allowed in Auditorium
Chairperson: Jeff Voris, MVATA President
Keynote Speaker: Trent Loos, recognized as the “Voice of Rural America!”
Missouri Department of Agriculture, Agri-Missouri Products Committee Reports
Other Business
Announcements

THURSDAY, JULY 28 (CONT.)

10:30 a.m. - 12 Noon
STAR Team Meeting
Location: Library A

10:30 a.m. - 12 Noon
Finalize State Officer Handbook Committee Meeting
Location: Library B

12:00 p.m.
Missouri ACTE Board of Directors Meeting
University Plaza - John Q Room
Lunch served at 11:30 a.m.

MISSOURI ACTE GENERAL SESSIONS
TUESDAY, JULY 26

1:30 p.m. - 2:10 p.m.
Google for Beginners - The Basics of GAFE
EXPO Center - Hall C – 635 St. Louis Street
Presenters: Kelly Blankenship, Ash Grove High School and Darci Friberg Fair Grove High School
This interactive workshop will focus on the basic functionality and use of Google Apps For Education. Attendees will learn to navigate Google tools like Gmail, calendar, and Drive. This workshop will also help teachers create a class within Google Classroom that will help them get the year started.

"Making Mountains out of Molehills - The Art of Moving Small Words to Lofty Heights"
University Plaza Convention Center - Nebraska Room
Presenter: Andrew McCrea
This workshop is about how educators can improve their own communication skills and how they can help instruct students in improved speaking.

2:40 p.m. - 3:20 p.m.
Google Intermediate - Using Google Apps and Extensions in the CTE Classroom
EXPO Center - Hall C – 635 St. Louis Street
Presenter: Darci Friberg, Fair Grove Schools
This workshop will showcase educational Google apps and extensions to create the ultimate student-centered learning environment for the CTE classroom. This workshop is designed for classrooms of all types, including teachers with limited access to technology. Attendees will receive a resource list of apps and extensions to try in their classroom.

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**TUESDAY, JULY 26 (CONT.)**

**GENERAL SESSIONS (CONT.)**

2:40 p.m. - 3:20 p.m. (Cont.)

"Who am I? Who are You?"

*University Plaza Convention Center - Nebraska Room*

Presenter: Andrew McCrea

This workshop explores personal leadership traits and how those traits influence how we deal with change, and how we work with/instruct others.

**Problem-Based Learning**

*University Plaza Convention Center - Arizona Room*

Presenter: Marty Sugerik

This session provides a process for design, implementation, and assessment of authentic projects that target problem-solving in our workforce. Projects do not exist in a vacuum and therefore require overt modeling, teaching, and assessment of academic, technical, and employability (College and Career Ready) skills and standards. Participants will see exemplars from around the country that have been strategically designed and customized to meet specific needs of career pathway courses.

**It's a Web 2.0 World - Engage, Interact, Learn, Publish!**

*University Plaza Convention Center - Illinois Room*

Presenter: Gina McLachlan

How do students learn today? How do they interact with information and each other? What skills do today's students need in order to be successful tomorrow? What tools and environments do students have at their disposal? How can educators tap those tools and environments to provide opportunities for students to demonstrate what they know and can do in the target language? Come explore a variety of technologies that enable world language learners to experience the interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational modes of communication!

This workshop will feature interactive websites that allow teachers and students to organize resources, easily find new materials, create a professional learning community, and become a publisher of content - all with a few clicks and a little imagination! Find out how Web 2.0 technologies can enhance your classroom! What makes a Web 2.0 website different from a Web 1.0 website is the ability of the website visitor to create new, personalized, customized content. There are a myriad of websites, some targeted specifically to teachers and students, others not, that provide tremendous opportunity to enrich teaching and learning while connecting with others. This session will provide an overview of several Web 2.0 websites and services that have been used successfully in world language classrooms, and those uses and strategies will be shared while demonstrating the ease with which the content can be created.

**TUESDAY, JULY 26 (CONT.)**

**GENERAL SESSIONS (CONT.)**

3:50 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Google Advanced - Grading Millennial Learners**

*EXPO Center - Hall C – 635 St. Louis Street*

Presenters: Kristi Hodson, Carthage High School and Darci Friberg, Fair Grove High School

Using Google Apps for Education (GAFE) and Google add-ons, teachers will learn how to create, post, and grade electronic assignments and tests. In addition to saving time, there are many benefits of using Google apps to assess millennial learners: instant feedback for learners, tools for peer review, assessment data computed automatically, prepared sub-plans, tools to facilitate a flipped classroom, and preparing students for post-secondary jobs. Participants should be teachers who are already using Google Classroom; this is not a workshop for beginning users of Google or Google Classroom.

**How Do You Spell FFA and Other Musings From A Retired Career Tech Educator**

*University Plaza Convention Center - Nebraska Room*

Speaker: John Rummel, Realtor, United Country Stockton Lake Properties

A light-hearted, inspirational, and serious look at our roles as teachers in general and Career Tech teachers specifically as told by John Rummel. John is a retired Agriculture Education teacher with 27 years teaching experience. He says it will be well worth the price of admission to attend his workshop!

**Using Bell Ringers in the CTE Classroom**

*University Plaza Convention Center - Illinois Room*

Presenters: Dr. Michelle Conrad, Associate Professor, Central MO State University, Warrensburg; and Bing Boettner, Health Science Technology Instructor, Northwest Technical School, Maryville

Join Dr. Conrad and Bing Boettner as they share their collaborative work on the use of bell ringers in the CTE classroom. Graphic organizers, puzzles, sustained silent reading, and newspapers/technical magazines are just a few of the tactics attendees will learn about during this session.

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