

IMPROVING
STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

BY CHANGING ADULT BEHAVIORS

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Hyatt Regency | Wichita

REGISTER NOW

School board members play a vital role in shaping ***student success***.

We are thrilled to invite Kansas school board members to the second annual Kansas School Board Resource Center conference!

Join us as we explore innovative approaches, evidence-based practices, and the latest research in education. By reevaluating and adjusting our adult behaviors, we can unlock the true potential of our students and guide them toward remarkable academic achievements.

KEY OBJECTIVES

1

Equip school board members with practical tools and strategies to effectively address the diverse needs of students.

2

Promote a paradigm shift in understanding the critical link between adult behaviors and student outcomes.

3

Foster a collaborative environment to share best practices and experiences among Kansas educational leaders.

LIMITED ACCESS! FREE CONSULTATION WITH AJ CRABILL (RESERVATION REQUIRED)

A unique opportunity will be available during the first breakout session for one superintendent and two board members to meet with AJ for a FREE private consultation. Ask questions and pick his brain on ways to improve your student outcomes in your district! This opportunity requires a reservation. Please contact ward.cassidy@ksbrc.org to reserve this meeting.

SESSION TOPICS



CLARIFY PRIORITIES & ALIGN RESOURCES TO IMPROVE STUDENT OUTCOMES



AJ CRABILL

The author of *Great on Their Behalf* will discuss why most school boards fail at improving student outcomes and introduce ideas from his new book and how to overcome those obstacles.

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION #1: APPLYING AJ'S CONCEPTS TO YOUR BOARD WORK

Facilitators: AJ Crabill, Cory Brewer, Tracy Frederick, Dave Trabert, Ward Cassidy

This small group discussion is designed to have board members discuss topics/questions/concepts based on AJ Crabill's presentation and apply it to their own board work.

BREAKOUT SESSION TOPICS

PRIVATE CONVERSATION WITH AJ CRABILL (RESERVATION REQUIRED)

Private consultation with Superintendent and three board members. Contact Ward Cassidy at ward.cassidy@ksbrc.org to secure this private conversation.

BREAKOUT TABLE 1 LESSONS LEARNED: EMPOWERING SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS TO IMPROVE STUDENT OUTCOMES

Facilitators: Ward Cassidy, Mike O'Neal, and school board members Brad Berk and Mike Cleveland.

BREAKOUT TABLE 2 PRACTICAL LESSONS IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE AS A SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

Facilitators: Cory Brewer, and school board members Kristen Workman, Amy Cawvey, and Lindsay Zimmerman.

BREAKOUT TABLE 3 BOND ELECTION: STUDENT OUTCOMES AND COMMUNITY FOCUSED STRATEGIC MASTER PLANNING PROCESS

Facilitators: Superintendents Dr. Troy Pitsch and Jim Howard, Dave Trabert, and Tracy Frederick.

ENHANCING EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS



CORY BREWER

Join Cory Brewer, Education Counsel at the Wisconsin Institute for Law & Liberty (WILL), as she explores three crucial aspects of educational success: engaging families and the community, addressing student behavior effectively, and empowering school boards to shape educational outcomes.

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION #2: APPLYING CORY'S CONCEPTS TO YOUR BOARD WORK

Facilitators: Cory Brewer, AJ Crabill, Ward Cassidy, Dave Trabert, Mike O'Neal, Tracy Frederick

This small group discussion is designed to have board members apply Cory's concepts to your board work.

SCHOOL BOARD SUCCESS STORIES AND SOLUTIONS

Engage with fellow school board members in small group discussions to share best practices and brainstorm solutions to common challenges. This session is designed to inspire and collaborate for the betterment of our schools.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT UPDATE



DAVE TRABERT

CEO of Kansas Policy Institute will share a student achievement update and explore the challenge ahead.

TRANSLATING POLICY INTO PRACTICE



REP. MIKE O'NEAL

Kansas Representative Mike O'Neal will provide a 2024 legislative update.