

August 23 2010



sat | aug 28 | 2-5PM no registration required
 thur | feb 3 | 6-9PM registration required
 At the library in Marvin Auditorium

Saturday, August 28
 2:00-5:00 pm No Registration Required
 Candidate School is an opportunity for local citizens considering running for city council or local school board to gain a working knowledge of the local political process. This is not intended to provide an exhaustive education of all relevant issues and campaign methods. It is designed to assist in a candidate's decision making process, and learn first-hand from people with experience in the process. Persons attending Candidate School are not endorsed by any of the organizations involved in presenting the workshop. The first session does not require registration, potential candidates are encouraged to come learn and ask questions.

For information call 785-233-1365

What to expect at this session:

- Filing the appropriate paperwork and financial records
- Candidate election information
- Election time frame and laws governing candidates
- Getting your message out
- Why run? What's the commitment?
- Roles and responsibilities of council members
- How to raise funds



Check back early 2011! After you've decided to run there is a more detailed Candidate school offered.

Thursday, February 3

6:00-9:00 pm
 Marvin Auditorium **Registration Required**
 For information or to register call 785-233-1365

What to expect at this session:

- Public service expectations
- Working with the public & constituents
- What makes an effective public official?
- Open meetings rules and Roberts Rules of Order
- Understanding ordinances and resolutions
- Working together and consensus building



Candidate School is underwritten by the [Bartlett & West](#) so there is no cost to attend.

These programs are coordinated by [Community Resources Council](#), the [Greater Topeka Chamber of Commerce](#), [League of Women Voters](#), and Topeka and Shawnee County Public Library.



The Bruce Whaley Spirit Ride

Visit Website
www.KVBC.com
 or call

785-379-0534 for
 more information

The Bruce Whaley Spirit Ride is in its fourteenth year. The ride is continued by his family, friends and the Kaw Valley Bike Club in memory of Bruce Whaley. The money that is raised from this ride will be donated to The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society for patient financial aid in our area. Come early to participate in the silent auction. Stay late for the pizza and raffle prizes!

- **When:** Saturday, September 18, 2010
- **Where:** Lake Shawnee Shelter House #2 (west side of Lake Shawnee)
- **Registration:** 8:00am
- **Mass Start:** 8:30am
- **Options:** 6.5 mile Family Fun, 25 miles, 50 miles



What's Fresh at the Farmers' Market?

Peppers, peaches, tomatoes, watermelon, okra, cantaloupe, summer squash, eggplant, cucumbers, sweet corn, basil, flowers, whole wheat breads, milk, honey, & much more!*

Special Guest at the Wednesday Market

Sleep Jean's Confections

Chocolates Made Fresh from the Cacao Bean!

Market Hours and Locations:

Capitol Midweek Market

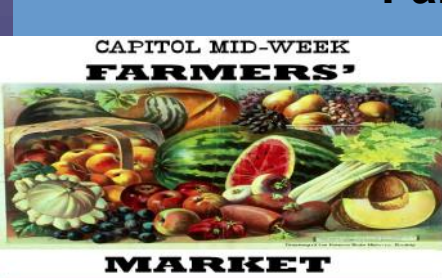
Every Wednesday, 8:30am-12:30pm

10th avenue between Jackson and Harrison
 North Side of 10th Avenue-Capitol Grounds
 Through October 13

Topeka & Shawnee County Public Library Farmers' Market

Every Monday, 7:30am-11:30am

Topeka & Shawnee County Public Library
 Parking Lot—10th & Garfield
 Through October 4



Top City Farmers' Market

Every Thursday, 5:00pm-8pm

8th and Kansas Avenue- Southwest corner
 Through September 30



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For 85 years, the Community Resources Council (CRC) has served the Topeka and Shawnee County community as a whole through advocacy, collaboration and leadership. CRC is a catalyst in promoting community coalition building.

In today's economy, CRC believes coalition building is more important than ever.

When there is more to do with fewer resources, non-profits, businesses and government entities that join forces take resources further, enhance more programs and aid more people.

Community Resources Council is establishing an annual Awards of Excellence recognizing coalition. This year's Honorary Chair is Anita Wolgast and Kansas Governor Mark Parkinson has been asked to speak. The CRC Awards of Excellence will be Monday, October 25, 2010, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. at the Ramada Inn Hotel and Convention Center. Tables of 10 are \$300 and tickets are \$30/piece.

Reservations may be made at our web site crcnet.org

Four awards will be presented: To an individual who has been instrumental in initiating and/or sustaining a coalition; a non-profit who furthers its mission through either building and/or sustaining a coalition; a government agency which has made the community stronger through a coalition; and, a business who is a leader in community coalition building. The community will be the nominators, the selectors and the presenters.

As a Topeka/Shawnee Community member, CRC encourages you to nominate a person, non-profit, government and/or businesses for the prestigious award. You may nominate more than one but each entity must be on an individual form.

Nominations may be by e-mail and/or regular mail. All nominations must be sent and/or post marked no later than Sept. 8, 2010 by 5 p.m. Judging will be done by an independent panel in Kansas City.

Please if you have any questions let me know crcexec@crcnet.org or 785-233-1365

or 785-969-4463. Thank you again and we look forward to seeing you at the luncheon.



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