

# AGENDA

## TACA 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Education Conference

### “Effective Leadership”

*A Core Competency Tool for Improving Your Court's Performance*

#### Tuesday, October 11, 2005

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Registration	Texas Learning Center Foyer
3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Welcome <i>Color Guard - American Legion Color Guards</i> <i>Mayor Pro Tem - Charlie Bird</i>	Texas Learning Center
3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>PLENARY : Celebrating Leaders</b> <i>Nancy Baird</i>	Texas Learning Center
5:30 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.	New Members/First Time Attendees Reception	

#### Wednesday, October 12, 2005

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>PLENARY: Leadership – How And Where Do I Fit?</b> <i>Judge Barbara Walther &amp; Judge Laura Weiser</i>	Texas Learning Center
9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Break	
9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	<b>Workshops Round I (3 Workshops)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Caseflow Management – Juvenile <span style="float: right;">Parkwest E</span> <i>Judge Cynthia Wheless &amp; Angel Marksberry</i></li> <li>• Caseflow Management – Criminal (District) <span style="float: right;">Parkwest F</span> <i>Judge Belinda Hill &amp; Anita Gunter</i></li> <li>• Court Security Safety – TECH3 (Repeat) <span style="float: right;">Texas Learning Center</span> <i>Tim Quintana</i></li> </ul>	
10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Legislative Updates <i>Carl Reynolds &amp; Marshall Shelsy</i>	Texas Learning Center
11:45 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Luncheon <i>Presentation of PDP Certificates &amp; Introduction of Candidates</i>	Parkwest C-F
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	<b>Workshops Round II (3 Workshops)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Caseflow Management – Family <span style="float: right;">Parkwest E</span> <i>Justice Ann McClure &amp; Connie Odom</i></li> <li>• Child/Adult Protective Services <span style="float: right;">Trinity Ballroom 1</span> <i>Judge Hal Gaither</i></li> <li>• Court Security Safety – TECH3 (Repeat) <span style="float: right;">Texas Learning Center</span> <i>Tim Quintana</i></li> </ul>	
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Break	
2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	<b>Workshops Round III (3 Workshops)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Caseflow Management – Criminal (County) <span style="float: right;">Parkwest E</span> <i>Judge Daryl Coffey &amp; Randy Walker</i></li> <li>• Indigent Defense – Improving Effectiveness &amp; Funding Strategy <span style="float: right;">Parkwest C/D</span> <i>Jim Bethke</i></li> <li>• Mediation <span style="float: right;">Parkwest F</span> <i>Ken Burdin</i></li> </ul>	

**State Fair Night (First Bus Departs at 4:00 p.m.)**

## Thursday, October 13, 2005

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	<b>PLENARY : Motivational</b> <i>Ken Johnson</i>	Texas Learning Center
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Break	
10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	<b>Workshops Round IV (3 Workshops)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Caseflow Management – Civil (District &amp; County) <i>Judge David Evans &amp; John Warren</i></li><li>• Rural Association for Court Administration - RACA <i>Martin Allen</i></li><li>• Effective Leadership Practices <i>Jim Dodson</i></li></ul>	Parkwest E Parkwest F Parkwest C/D
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Luncheon <i>Introduction of Board/ Committees &amp; Presentation of Awards</i>	Texas Learning Center
1:00 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	<b>PLENARY – Dealing with Attitudes &amp; Change</b> <i>Jim Dodson</i>	Texas Learning Center
2:50 p.m. – 3:05 p.m.	Break	
3:05 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	<b>Workshops Round V (3 Workshops)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Caseflow Management – Probate <i>Judge Steve King &amp; Mark Sullivan</i></li><li>• Future Planning Focus Group <i>Ed Wells &amp; Bob Wessels</i></li><li>• Effective Leadership Practices <i>Jim Dodson</i></li></ul>	Parkwest E Parkwest F Parkwest C/D
4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	<b>TACA Business Meeting</b>	Texas Learning Center

## Night on Your Own!

## Friday, October 14, 2005

9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	<b>PLENARY: Focus on the Future: TACA and Improving Your Court's Performance</b> <i>Ed Wells &amp; Bob Wessels</i>	Texas Learning Center
10:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Leading the Humor Impaired</b> <i>Dr. Stuart Robertshaw</i>	Texas Learning Center