

84th KMPA Convention & Trade Show April 26-27, 2024
Four Points by Sheraton, 530 Richards Dr., Manhattan, KS 785 539-5311
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\$112+tax convention rate guaranteed til April 12

Times Subject to Change

Thursday, April 25

- 1 pm Golf Stag Hill Golf Course 4441 Ft Riley Blvd 785 538-1041
Sign up at kmpa@nckn.com or call Kelly Cool, 785 538-2364 or Brad Heidebrecht, 316 831-1526
- 6:00 pm KMPA Board Meeting and Scholarship Interviews—Four Points by Sheraton

Friday, April 26

- 8:15 am-4:00pm Midwest Processed/Cured Meat Workshop —KSU Weber Hall
- 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Trade Show Exhibitor set up Regency Ballroom A
- 2:00 – 5:30p.m. Convention Registration Open Hotel South Pre-Convence area
- 4:30 –5:30 p.m. Cured Product Show Entry Hotel South Pre-Convence Zach Krehbiel coordinator
- 5:00-6:00 p.m. Buffet/Social Ballroom II Sponsored by **KMPA**
- 6:00-8:00 p.m. Trade Show open Regency Ballroom A exhibitor drawings throughout evening
Scholarship /Sponsorship Fund Raisers: Silent Auction—Dart Throw Raffle - Endless Beer Cup
- 8:30 p.m. Video Trivia by “Brews Bros” / Prizes by **KMPA** & Suppliers Ballroom II
- 9:45-?? p.m. Hospitality ALL WELCOME Conference Room II beverages sponsored by **Walton’s Inc.**

Saturday, April 27:

All **PROGRAMS** and **MEETINGS** will be held in Regency Ballroom II

- 7:30—8:30 a.m. Cured Product Show Entry Hotel South Pre-Convence, Zach Krehbiel coordinator
- 7:30—10 a.m. Convention Registration Open Hotel South Pre-Convence area
- 8:00a.m. Coffee/Iced Tea/Soda/Sweets Ballroom II— Sponsored by **POLY-CLIP/PRECIPAK**
- 8:15 a.m. Annual Business Meeting Ballroom II President Zach Krehbiel presiding
- 8:30 a.m. Introductions: Cured Product Show judges, Dr. Liz Boyle
New Supplier Exhibitors
- 8:45 a.m. PROGRAM “**AAMP 2024 Update**” Abbey Davidson, AAMP Outreach Specialist
- 9:00 a.m. Cured Product Show judging starts Conference Rm IV-V
- 9:10 a.m. PROGRAM “**EPA Update**” Arthur Fink, KSU Pollution Prevention Specialist
- 9:30 a.m. PROGRAM “**ACE Scholarship Program**”, AJ Kuhle, Director ACE, Kansas
- 9:45 a.m. Exhibitor’s Meeting Regency Ballroom A Brad Heidebrecht presiding
- 10:00 a.m. Trade Show Open Regency Ballroom A exhibitor drawings continue
- 11:45 a.m. Trade Show Closes Exhibitors clean up by 1 p.m.
- LUNCH ON YOUR OWN**
- 1:00-1:20 p.m. Cured Product Show entrants view & discuss with judges Conference Rms IV-V
- 1:20-1:35 p.m. Cured Product Show public viewing Conference Rms IV-V
- 1:45-2:00 p.m. Cured Product Show distribution of products to Suppliers Conference Rms IV-V
- 2:00 p.m. PROGRAM “**Processed Meat Product Evaluation**” Dr. Liz Boyle, 2-3 judges
- 2:30 p.m. PROGRAM “**Understanding Appendix A & B**”, Dr. Jessie Vipham & Mason Prester, KSU
“Break Time” Sponsored by **POLYCLIP/PRECIPAK**
- 3:10 p.m. PROGRAM “**Fermented Sausage Production**” Dr. Jonathan Campbell, Penn State University
- 3:45 p.m. PROGRAM “**Plant Tour & Pricing Tips**” Walke Processing, Claremore, OK
- 4:45p.m. Adjournment
- 5:30—6:30 p.m. Social Time Regency Ballroom A - Sponsored by **ULTRASOURCE & KMPA**
- 6:40 p.m. Annual Banquet and Award Presentations Regency Ballroom A
Prime Rib/Pork Loin sponsored by **HANDTMANN**
Cured Product Show Winners — Awards sponsored by **REISER**
Prize Drawings: 1st- \$500 toward KMPA or AAMP Convention, 2nd—\$100, 3rd-\$50
Live Auction/Silent Auction
- 9:15 p.m. President’s Celebratory Reception ALL WELCOME Conference Room II, beverages by **Walton’s**
- Sunday, April 28** 9:00 a.m. KMPA Board of Directors Meeting—Four Points by Sheraton