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KENTUCKY ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
EMPLOYEES

# KACDE NEWS & VIEWS

## KACDE PREPARES FOR BUSINESS LUNCHEON IN LEXINGTON

Installation of 2007 KACDE Officers



KACDE is busy getting prepared for this year's business luncheon in Lexington at the KACD Convention.

This year we will be electing new officers for President, Secretary, and Reporter. We will elect Area Representatives for Area 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8.

If you would like to run for one of these offices or you know someone who would like to, please send the nominees name to Cindy King, Nominating Committee Chair in Scott County by email.

We are excited to meet Maxine Rudder, KY PRIDE Representative. Ms. Rudder will be speaking at the luncheon.

If you have not sent in your registration form for the luncheon, do

so as soon as possible, so food arrangements can be made.

Years of Service" and "Kentucky Shine Award" Winners will be recognized at during this session. We will also be acknowledging new employees for this fiscal year.

Special mention will be to given Conservation Districts that have sponsored KACDE's Annual stand-alone Convention.

The 2008-2009 Budget and Plan of Work will be presented to the membership for a vote.

We are thrilled to be able to show you some of this year's accomplishments and enlighten you on some of our future projects. We hope to see you and your board members there.

Drive safely and see you soon. Keep Shining.! Linda Smith

## KACDE Membership Drive

Remember to send in your dues for 2008-2009. All dues that are paid before the KACDE Business Luncheon on Monday, July 17th will be eligible to win a basket made by Martha Newby filled with Kentucky made items. The drawing will be held at the

KACD Convention and the winner will be announced before the completion of the convention.

(Pictured)

Kevin Hileman, of Wolfe County was last year's Membership drawing winner. Kevin received a Gardening basket cascading with numerous gardening items.



## Raffle Tickets Available for GPS



**Garmin Street  
Pilot c330 GPS Navigator**

Raffle tickets for the GPS are \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00. Tickets will be available to purchase at the booth in Lexington. If you are not attending the Convention and would like to purchase tickets email me at [Linda.smith@ky.nacdnet.net](mailto:Linda.smith@ky.nacdnet.net).



**Remember to  
sign - up for the  
District Employee  
Luncheon on your  
KACD  
Registration form**

## Merchandise available for Sale

A new item KACDE will have available to purchase this year - a Friendship Blanket. These blankets will be made by members of KACDE.

Pictured to the left is a sample of one of these blankets. There will be several different scene available. These blankets will sale for \$25.00 each.

If you would like to place an order for a special theme, place your order at the KACDE booth in Lexington at the KACD Convention



Other items available will be jewelry, flip-flops, cookbooks and magnetic name tags

## SECDEA Handmade Queen size Quilt Raffle Tickets Available

Raffle tickets for the hand-made SECDEA Conservation Quilt are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. Tickets can be purchased at the KACDE booth or contact your Area Rep.

The Blue in this quilt represents the sky and water

The Brown represents the soil

The Green represents the trees and the grass

The Red and Yellow represents the flowers

And the Cream colored blocks represents the highways and byways.



Conservation Quilt was hand-made/quilted by Ed Young (85 yrs. young) of Boyd County

**Winning ticket will be drawn at the mid-year SENACD Meeting in Biloxi, Mississippi.**

## In Loving Memory

Sue Edmondson

2008



Stephanie Young, Linda Smith, James Lacy, Sue Edmonson, and



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natural resources through education  
and encourage professionalism of  
all conservation district employees*

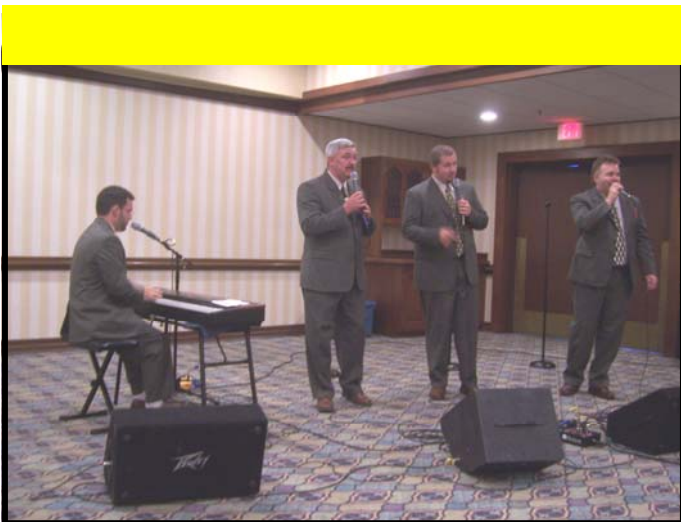
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Sue Edmondson, District Administrative Secretary in Owen County went to receive her heavenly reward in June 2008. She was KACDE President from 2000-2002 and served on the SECDEA Governing board. She also received the "KY Shine Award" two consecutive years (2007 & 2008).

We will be taking donations at the KACDE business luncheon. All proceeds will be donated to the Susan B Kohlman Breast Cancer Foundation in honor of Sue Edmondson.

## KACDE will sponsor KACD Stewardship Program again this year.

2007 Stewardship Program in Louisville



## Workshop Program will have a few changes in Schedule at KACDE Annual Convention

Due to a conflict in Pat Stipes' schedule, the AG Tourism workshop will not be on this year's program. Lela Ison will be doing a session on NRCS Office Operations and Procedures. Registration forms for this year's Convention will be posted on the KACDE website. Forms will also be sent out by email in the near future.

Congratulations to  
Model High School,  
Richmond  
This year's  
State Envirothon Winners

*Remember to send in  
your dues for  
2008-2009  
Fiscal year  
7/1/08 - 6/30/09*