



Newsletter

June 2014

President's Message

By Justin Pittman
KPHA President

I can't begin to tell you how excited I am to serve as your 2014-15 President of KPHA! Working alongside the Kentucky Public Health Workforce is not only rewarding, but it leaves one with a sense of pride and confidence in our abilities to protect our citizens.

I want to thank everyone involved for their attendance and participation in making the 2014 Annual Conference a grand success! The Program Committee, the Office staff, as well as our outgoing President Mr. Brandon Hurley all played valuable roles in accomplishing yet another quality conference that makes me proud to be a member of KPHA. The upcoming year will yet again be faced with challenges for Public Health and KPHA is no exception. However with the Board and Membership's support, we can accomplish change and adapt to our environment.

If you haven't signed up for the 11th Annual Dudley Conner Golf Scramble yet, what are you waiting for?! Nowhere else can you find a golf scramble with over 100 Public Health Professionals all

striving for scholarship monies for students in need. Nowhere else can you get access to lunch, door prizes and golf at the fabulous Maywood Country Club for such a reduced price! If you can't play (and if you played with me, you certainly know I CAN'T!), then please consider sponsoring a hole or supplying door prizes to assist with the event. Your donations are completely tax exempt and go straight to the organization's scholarship funds. You can register for the scramble at www.kphaky.org or contact the office at 502-875-2255. I look forward to seeing everyone on June 30 in Bardstown.

Additionally, the KPHA Board meeting/retreat will be held on July 1 at the Hampton Inn in Bardstown. After the Board meeting, we will be discussing the 2015 Conference direction with our President-Elect, Ms. Crissy Rowland. The 2015 Conference will be held at the BRAND NEW Owensboro Convention Center in Owensboro, KY April 14-16, 2015. Look for details to come!

Thank you again for the opportunity to serve as your President, and if I can ever be of service please email me at jus-



Justin Pittman
KPHA President

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2014 KPHA Annual Conference Awards

By Justin Pittman

KPHA Newsletter Chair

KPHA wishes sincere congratulations to all of the 2014 award winners and thanks them for their contributions and dedication to public health!

STUDENT CHAPTER AWARDS

1st Place Western Kentucky University
2nd Place University of Kentucky

THE ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT STAFF AWARD

Outstanding Contributions in the field of Administrative Support for Public Health
Carol Huckelby

THE PEGGY S. KIDD NUTRITION AWARD

To Honor a Nutritionist for Outstanding Professional Contributions and Service in Public Health

Brandi Gilley



THE KPHA GROUP AWARD

To Honor a Designated Group or Organization that has Collectively Contributed to Public Health Program Development in Kentucky

The HANDS Central Office Staff

THE VIRGINIA DODD RICE AWARD

To Honor a person who has provided Exceptional Home Health Services in KY primarily through Public Health Settings

Allison Napier

THE SARA C. STICE AWARD

To Honor an Individual who has made an Outstanding Contribution in the field of Health Education in Kentucky

Grace Lartey



THE WILLIAM "BILL" PATTON ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE AWARD

To Honor a Person Demonstrating Exceptional Performance, Outstanding Achievements and Meritorious Service in Environmental Services

Dr. Emmanuel Iyiegboniwe

THE HELEN B FRASER AWARD

To Honor an Individual who has made an Exceptional Contribution to the Health and Well-being of Mothers and Children in Kentucky

Allison Adams

THE RUSSELL E. TEAGUE AWARD

To Honor and Recognize Exceptional and Meritorious Achievement in Public Health

April Harris

THE OUTSTANDING PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE AWARD

The Outstanding Public Health Nurse who has demonstrated Extraordinary Skills in Public Health Nursing

Deborah Ann Jones

THE ELBERT "AL" AUSTIN, JR. CAREER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

To Honor a Person who remains Humble among Peers yet Towers above in Achievements

Rosie Miklavcic

THE PAUL MASON MEMORIAL AWARD

To Honor a Kentuckian who has made a Significant Contribution to benefit our most Vulnerable Population

Representative Julie Raque Adams

THE KPHA PRESIDENT'S AWARD

To honor a person who has demonstrated Exemplary Leadership, Support, and Dedication to KPHA

Dr. Calixto "Carlos" Hernandez



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KPHA Awards (continued)

COMMISSIONER'S AWARDS

ADVANCING THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT AWARD

Louisville Metro Public Health and Wellness
Woodford County Health Department
Pennyriple District Health Department
Lake Cumberland District Health Department
Montgomery County Health Department
Barren River District Health Department
Pike County Health Department

IMPROVEMENT AWARD "JOB WELL DONE"

Bourbon County Health Department
Lake Cumberland District Health Department



INNOVATION AWARD

Cumberland Valley District Health Department
Louisville Metro Public Health and Wellness

QUALITY IMPROVEMENT AWARD

Lexington-Fayette County Health Department
Christian County Health Department
Barren River District Health Department
Madison County Health Department
Green River District Health Department
Bullitt County Health Department

PUBLIC HEALTH AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE AWARD

Floyd County Health Department
Hopkins County Health Department

PARTNERSHIP AND COMMUNITY INTEGRATION AWARD

Barren River District Health Department
Clark County Health Department



OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO EPIDEMIOLOGY AWARD

Barren River District Health Department
Northern Kentucky Independent District Health Department

MERITORIOUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Northern Kentucky Independent District Health Department
Three Rivers District Health Department
Barren River District Health Department



OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO PUBLIC HEALTH AWARD

Dennis Chaney, Director, Barren River District Health Department
Dr. Lynne Saddler, Director, Northern Kentucky Independent District Health Department
Paula Alexander, Director, Franklin County Health Department
Dudley Conner, Retired Director, Kentucky Health Department Association





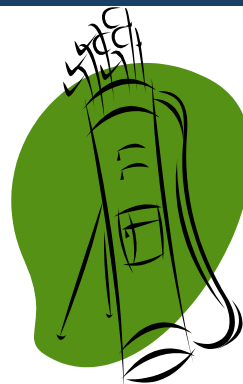
Dudley Conner Golf Scramble Brochure

Kentucky Public Health Association
11th Annual Dudley Conner Golf Scramble

Sponsor Form

(or complete online at www.kpha-ky.org)

PLACE
STAMP
HERE



Organization

Name

Contact Name

Email Address:

Phone:

Sponsorship Type: (check one or more)

- Hole Sponsor \$250
- Refreshment Cart Sponsor \$1,000
- Luncheon Sponsor \$1,500
- Public Health Message Hole Sign Sponsor (group of six) \$1,000
- Friend of Public Health \$50

Name to be posted on sign:

Sponsor forms need to be received by
Friday, June 13, 2014; mail to:

KPHA Golf Scramble
P.O. Box 4647
Frankfort, KY 40601-4647

**YOU ARE INVITED TO
THE 11TH ANNUAL
KENTUCKY PUBLIC
HEALTH ASSOCIATION
DUDLEY CONNER GOLF
SCRAMBLE**

**MONDAY, JUNE 30, 2014
LUNCH—11:30 (EDT)
TEE TIME—1:00 PM (EDT)**

**BARDSTOWN COUNTRY CLUB AT
MAYWOOD
130 MAYWOOD AVENUE
BARDSTOWN, KY 40004**

**PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE KPHA
SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS FOR COLLEGE
STUDENTS ENTERING CAREERS IN
PUBLIC HEALTH AND OTHER
RELATED DISCIPLINES.**



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Frankfort, KY 40604

Dudley Conner Golf Scramble Brochure



The 11th Annual Kentucky Public Health Association (KPHA) Dudley Conner Golf Scramble will be held at the Bardstown Country Club at Maywood on Monday, June 30, 2014 in historic Bardstown, Kentucky. We are deeply saddened by the recent loss in May of Dudley Conner, the namesake of this tournament.

You are cordially invited to participate as a player, sponsor or prize donor. Please find registration and sponsorship information on the KPHA website at: www.kpha-ky.org. Proceeds will benefit our scholarship funds for college students entering the health fields. Your participation will help educate promising students as well as add excitement and enjoyment to this golf outing.

A sponsorship or prize donation will gain you exposure to the largest public health organization in Kentucky. There are nearly 700 members comprised of public health professionals, doctors, nurses, business people, educators and elected government officials. Approximately 150-200 have attended the golf event in past years, including many public health officials, business leaders, and local health department directors. As a sponsor, the name of your company, organization, or your name will be posted on a sign at the hole that you sponsor, on the refreshment cart, or in the luncheon area.

Suggested prize donations include golf supplies, golf apparel, something from your company, gift certificates or cash. Any prize, large or small, will be appreciated!

KPHA 11th Annual Dudley Conner Golf Scramble

Date: Monday, June 30, 2014

Lunch: 11:30 a.m.

Tee Time: Shotgun Start at 1:00 p.m. (EDT)

Cost: \$75 per person—includes greens fee, cart, lunch, refreshments and prizes.

Awards: 1st and 2nd place gross and net winners!

Prizes: Hole in One (Grand Prize), longest drive, longest putt, closest to the hole, door prizes and casino hole contest. Only casino contest entrants eligible for casino hole prizes.

Mulligans and Skirts: Sold at the Scramble for \$5 each. Limit two per player. (Cannot be used for hole in one contest.)

Registration: Team slots are limited. Registration must be completed online at: www.kpha-ky.org or mailed with your check or money order by Friday, June 13, 2014, to: KPHA Golf Scramble, P.O. Box 4647, Frankfort, KY 40604-4647.

More Information: Visit www.kpha-ky.org or contact the KPHA office at: 502-875-2255.

Golf Committee Chair: Drew Beckett



Individual Registration Form

(Complete for each individual or register online at: www.kpha-ky.org, under "Golf Scramble.")

Individual Name _____
Email Address _____
Handicap or Average 18-Hole Score _____

Individual Name _____
Email Address _____
Handicap or Average 18-Hole Score _____

Individual Name _____
Email Address _____
Handicap or Average 18-Hole Score _____

Individual Name _____
Email Address _____
Handicap or Average 18-Hole Score _____

Amount enclosed at \$75/individual: \$ _____

KPHA is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Your contribution is tax deductible as allowed by law. Federal ID 61-0721147.

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11th Annual KPHA Dudley Conner Golf Scramble

By Drew Beckett
 KPHA Vice President and
Steve Bing
 KPHA Executive Director

As we hope you are aware, the 2014 Golf Outing is coming up on June 30 in Bardstown at Maywood Golf Course. This is the 11th annual event which brings KPHA members and sponsors together to enjoy a day of festivities and support scholarships for deserving, qualified students to pursue studies in public health. This is a very important event for KPHA and future leaders of public health in Kentucky as well as increasing visibility for public health currently. This year, we mourn the loss of our namesake, Mr. Dudley Conner, but carry on the tradition of the golf scramble in his honor.



We are moving forward under new leadership with more new committee members such as Matt Rhodes from Jefferson County, Randy Gooch, and other new participants for the golf event. We also retain help from some former leaders like Bruce Lane and Ed Cecil.

We hope your health department will recruit one foursome from your area, perhaps even your board members or people you know in your service area. We also hope you could recruit one hole sponsor from your area, again perhaps with the help of your board members,

friends, or vendor relationships. Your help would broaden the base of involvement in the event and allow us to make more impact across the Commonwealth in supporting this worthwhile cause. Perhaps you might even have contacts who would invite local legislators as their guests to give us a greater opportunity to acquaint those people with our public health mission, further network with them and build the event to serve a specific purpose of gaining support for the local health departments while continuing our worthwhile scholarship activities.

We hope you will take this request very seriously as being short- and long-term substantively beneficial for your health department. The key is reaching out to people who you already see, appreciate your services, play golf and would also support the scholarship effort.

Please contact Drew Beckett at AndrewB.Beckett@ky.gov or call the KPHA office at 502-875-2255 for more information. However, golf is \$75 per person or \$300 per foursome. Donor levels range from \$250 to \$1500. Gifts of any sort to serve as prizes are truly appreciated. Suggested prize donations include golf supplies, golf apparel, something from your company, gift certificates or cash. Any prize, large or small, will be appreciated! If you are not a golfer, but would like to volunteer to help, we would LOVE to have you!

Additionally, we have set up a KPHA Member sponsor-



ship in honor of Dudley. Therefore we are collecting funds to sponsor a hole and post a sign at the tee box during the event in his memory. If you would like to contribute to the KPHA Member sponsorship, please send your donation to the KPHA office and note for "Dudley's Green Fees". Remember, all proceeds go to the KPHA scholarships and your donations are tax exempt.

We need your help and hope you will make a sincere effort to improve in this KPHA event. Thank you in advance for your consideration. We look forward to a favorable response and a meaningful, positive outcome. We hope to see you on the green!



KPHA Leadership

By Judy Mattingly

KPHA Newsletter Chair

The KPHA Annual Conference ends with the KPHA business meeting and election results.

The 2014-2015 Officers are:

President: Justin Pittman

President Elect: Crissy Rowland

Vice President: Drew Beckett

Secretary: April Harris

Treasurer: Lisa Pollock

Past President: Brandon Hurley

The current KPHA Board of Directors is composed of:

Janie Cambron

Judy Mattingly

Jim Thaxton

Andrea Brown

Angela Carman

TJ Sugg

Shawn Crabtree

Brenda Haydon

Joy Hoskins

Anita Black

Georgia Heise

Eva Stone

The current KPHA Committee & Section

Chairs are:

Administration: Allison Adams

Administrative Support: Sherry Hall

Boards of Health: Buddy Gallenstein

Community Health Planning & Preparedness:
Andrea Brown

Environmental: Don Jacobs/Wayne Biddle

Epidemiology: TJ Sugg

Health Education: Tracy Aaron/Chad Lynch

Home Health & Home Visiting: Shawna
Thomerson/Amber Green

Nutrition: Brandi Gilley

Public Health Nursing: Tammie Bertram

School Health: Eva Stone

WKU Student Pres.: Michael Smith

UK Student Pres.: Robin Thompson

UL Student Pres.: Christina Hickey

EKU Student Pres.: Corina Singleton

Advertisements: Mark Hensley

APHA Delegate: Tina McCormick

Audit: Roger Trent

Awards: April Harris

Constitution and By-Laws: **VACANT**

Continuing Education: VivEllen Chessner

Convention: **VACANT**

DPH: **VACANT**

Exhibits: **VACANT**

Golf: Drew Beckett

Legislation: **VACANT**

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Newsletter: Judy Mattingly

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Registration: Margie Bucklew/Becki Casey

Scholarships: Jim Thaxton/Kayla Bebout

SHA Delegate: **VACANT**

Silent Auction: Brittany Noe

Social Arrangements/Hospitality: Margi
Conn/Sandy Glover

Student Chapters: Gretchen Macy

TRAIN Conference Planner: Angela Woos-
ley

Please feel free to contact any KPHA leadership member with questions, concerns or suggestions. KPHA encourages all members to actively participate in your professional association. The newly revised KPHA By-Laws are also available at www.kpha-ky.org.

2014 KPHA Annual Conference Recap

By Judy Mattingly

KPHA Newsletter Chair



A total of 359 attendees, approximately 50 exhibitors and over 100 speakers participated in the 66th Annual KPHA 2014 Conference in

Louisville, Kentucky. A huge thanks is owed to Justin Pittman, who served as the 2013 KPHA President Elect. The entire conference planning committee is also thanked, without them the KPHA Annual Conference wouldn't be possible!

Crissy Rowland is the current KPHA President Elect and Conference Chair. Planning has already begun for the 2015 conference com-

plete with a new venue.

As a valued KPHA member please do not hesitate to contact Crissy.Rowland@barrenriverhealth.org with suggestions, comments or concerns about the annual KPHA conference.

Save the date for the 67th Annual KPHA 2015 Conference: April 14-16, 2015 at the Owensboro Convention Center in Owensboro, Kentucky. Be sure to like KPHA on Facebook at www.facebook.com/KYPublicHealthAssociation, where 2014 conference photographs can be found.



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The Kentucky Public Health Association, Inc. was organized in 1949 as a nonprofit, independent, voluntary organization. KPHA is in the capable position of confronting critical issues relating to legislation at the local, regional, and state level.

Our Mission: To promote healthy communities through education, leadership, and commitment to excellence.

Web: www.kpha-ky.org



Save the Date: 2015 KPHA Conference



2014 Conference Save the Date!

April 14-16, 2015

**Owensboro Convention Center
Owensboro, Kentucky**



For more information: www.kpha-ky.org