

Vice-President Report

By Faye Spencer

The State Educational Committee met in Salina late in February to judge the FCE Accomplishment, County Council Project, and Community Service Reports. There were over 107 reports sent by the 5 areas. The State EPC members judged the best of each area's reports. Those who wrote the reports are doing a wonderful job. The quality of the accomplishment, county council and community service reports made the evaluation at a state level challenging,

Thank you to the all who contributed to the presentation of lessons, gathered statistics, volunteered, provided community service, and wrote the reports, sharing the accomplishments and mission of FCE.

The 2019 State EPC members are Judy Fullmer, Linda Leonard and Linda Hess. With the completion of the judging, they now turn their work to writing 2020 lessons. Thank you to the members and units who took the time to do the evaluation of the 2018 lessons. There were 48 surveys returned. The information gathered will guide the selection of lessons from either KSU Extension Service, or lessons written by National and/or Kansas FCE. We greatly appreciate the continued support by KSU Extension Service.

The ranking of 2018 lessons are:

KSU: 1st Alzheimer's 101
2nd Healthy Cooking Styles
3rd Tap to Togetherness

FCE: 1st tie Human Trafficking
1st tie Make Your Day a Little Smoother
2nd Character Counts! "Citizenship"
3rd Kids in the Kitchen
4th Group Process ... Putting the Pieces Together

The survey made also for interesting reading of the comments. Members conveyed that the BEST lessons were those that the presenter did their own research, made it current, had visual aids, had the audience engaged with the materials, or were food related. The least favorite lessons were those that made the members feel like they were at story-time, lessons were read to them. Some great suggestions included: Thyroid or other physical conditions, community involvement, lessons pertaining to what's going on in the world, study of different countries/

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RESERVATIONS !!!**

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Conference**

**Marriott St. Louis Airport
Hotel**

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St. Louis, Missouri

Keynote Speakers
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