

## Real Voices Real Choices: August 28-30, 2022 Schedule

### Sunday, August 28

11:00	<b>Registration Begins</b> <i>Hotel Lobby</i>						
11:00	<b>Pre-Conference Activities</b> ***Lunch is <b>NOT</b> Included - the following are optional activities***						
	<b>Games</b> A variety of games to entertain attendees that arrive early <i>Paradise B</i>	<b>Movie</b> Enjoy a family-friendly feature while you wait for the conference to kick off <i>Paradise C</i>			<b>First Time Attendee Orientation</b> For those who have never attended the conference, this will be a short presentation of what to expect <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>		
2:00 – 2:30	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
2:30 – 3:30	<b>RVRC Committee Conference Kickoff</b> RVRC Panel <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
3:30 – 3:50	<b>Break</b>						
	<b>DD</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>General</b>	<b>SUD</b>	<b>Family/Youth</b>	<b>CERTIFIED PEER TRACK</b>	
3:50 – 4:50	<b>Overcoming Adversity</b> Derrick Owens <i>Paradise A</i>	<b>Light at the End of the Tunnel</b> Natasha Ickes-Saman <i>Paradise B</i>	<b>Interactive Guardianship Trivia</b> Danielle Boggs <i>Paradise C</i>	<b>Harm Reduction</b> David Stoecker <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>	<b>Segregated Education and the School to Prison Pipeline</b> Jeffrey Johnson <i>Nautical Wheeler</i>	<b>Let's Talk About DEI: Diversity, Equality &amp; Inclusion</b> Toni Jordan <i>Parasol I</i> *CEU*	<b>Collaboration is the Key</b> Mark McDonald <i>Parasol II</i> *CEU*
5:00	<b>Boxed Dinners Available to Pick Up</b> <i>Windgate Hall</i>						
<b>OPTIONAL MEETINGS</b>							
5:30	<b>12 Step Meeting</b> <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>		<b>Caregiver Support Group</b> <i>Parasol I</i>			<b>Certified Peer Specialist Meeting</b> <i>Parasol II</i>	
<b>EVENING ENTERTAINMENT</b>							
7:00	<b>Movie Night</b> <i>Paradise C</i>				<b>Bingo Night</b> <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>		
<b>Monday, August 29</b>							
7:30 – 8:30	<b>Breakfast Buffet &amp; Visit Exhibits</b> <i>Windgate Hall</i>						

8:30 – 8:45	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
8:45 – 9:00	<b>Station MD Presentation</b> <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
9:00 – 9:45	<b>Department of Mental Health Update</b> Val Huhn and DMH Senior Management Team Members <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
9:45 – 10:00	<b>Break</b>						
	<b>DD</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>General</b>	<b>SUD</b>	<b>Family/Youth</b>	<b>Certified Peer Track</b>	
10:00 – 11:00	<b>Self-Advocacy Through Self-Determination</b> Lorie Perdieu <i>Paradise A</i>	<b>Medication Empowerment</b> Karen Patton <i>Paradise B</i>	<b>Creating Comics for Coping</b> Dr. Jennifer McIntyre <i>Paradise C</i>	<b>Poetry for Personal Power: Story Circle</b> Matthew Spezia <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>	<b>Bullying, What Can a Parent Do?</b> Barb Scheidegger <i>Nautical Wheeler</i>	<b>Self-Care and Wellness in Peer Support</b> Christina Lee <i>Parasol I</i> *CEU*	<b>Harm Reduction - Peer Connection</b> Ken Vick <i>Parasol II</i> *CEU*
11:00 – 12:00	<b>You Don't Need Arms – Keynote Address</b> Chet McDoniel <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
12:00 – 1:00	<b>Lunch &amp; Visit Exhibits</b> <i>Windgate Hall</i>						
1:00 – 1:45	<b>Not My Child – Documentary Screening</b> <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
	<b>DD</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>General</b>	<b>SUD</b>	<b>Family/Youth</b>	<b>Certified Peer Track</b>	
1:45 – 2:45	<b>Takes Two to Make a Mango</b> Stephen Hibner <i>Paradise A</i>	<b>Recovery Movement Research Priorities</b> Julianna Sellers <i>Paradise B</i>	<b>Basic Interviewing Skills</b> Charles McIntyre <i>Paradise C</i>	<b>Recovery-Oriented Systems of Care: Saving Lives, Reclaiming Futures</b> Shawn Billings <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>	<b>MPACT-Missouri Parents Act</b> Clara Magoon <i>Nautical Wheeler</i>	<b>Sensory Inclusion for Peer Specialists</b> Cris Edwards <i>Parasol I</i> *CEU*	<b>Boundaries and the Certified Peer Specialist</b> Sarah Earll <i>Parasol II</i> *CEU*
2:45 – 3:00	<b>Break</b>						
	<b>DD</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>General</b>	<b>SUD</b>	<b>Family/Youth</b>	<b>Certified Peer Track</b>	
3:00 – 4:00	<b>Nothing About Me Without Me: What This Really Means</b> Jody Michael <i>Paradise A</i>	<b>My Mental Health First Aid Journey</b> Anita Russell <i>Paradise B</i>	<b>Workplace Personalities: “Oh, what to do?”</b> Kathy Butler <i>Paradise C</i>	<b>Language Matters</b> Robert Riley <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>	<b>Pearls of Excellence</b> Joe Templin <i>Nautical Wheeler</i>	<b>Peer Documentation</b> Jenna Strickland <i>Parasol I</i> *CEU*	<b>Peer Support through a Trauma Sensitive Lens</b> Mirna Herrera <i>Parasol II</i> *CEU*

4:00 – 4:15	Break						
	<b>DD</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>General</b>	<b>SUD</b>	<b>Family/Youth</b>	<b>Certified Peer Track</b>	
4:15 – 5:15	<b>Charting My LifeCourse as a SARTAC Fellow</b> Susan Parker and Kyla Mundwiller <i>Paradise A</i>	<b>Self-Care</b> John Cornelius <i>Paradise B</i>	<b>Swimming with Your Sharks</b> JC/Scott Dollar <i>Paradise C</i>	<b>The Struggle Epidemic</b> James Marshall <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>	<b>We All Need Somebody to Lean on: Professional and Natural Supports</b> MOFamilies4Families <i>Nautical Wheeler</i>	<b>Grief and Recovery</b> Mark McDonald <i>Parasol I</i> *CEU*	<b>Superpowers!</b> Toni Jordan <i>Parasol II</i> *CEU*
5:15	Dinner On your Own						
5:15	Hamburger OR Hotdog Dinner (OPTIONAL) <i>Paradise A</i> \$11.00 – 1 hamburger OR 2 hotdogs, chips, and a drink						
	OPTIONAL MEETINGS:						
5:30	<b>12 Step Meeting</b> <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>			<b>LGBTQ+ Group</b> <i>Parasol II</i>			
6:00 – 9:00	Karaoke <i>Paradise A</i>						
<b>Tuesday, August 30</b>							
7:30	Breakfast Buffet & Visit Exhibits <i>Windgate Hall</i>						
8:30 – 8:40	Welcome <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						
8:40 – 8:55	Break						
	<b>DD</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>General</b>	<b>SUD</b>	<b>Family/Youth</b>		
8:55 – 9:55	<b>Learn More About People First of Missouri and Their Priorities</b> David Forbes <i>Paradise A</i>	<b>The Benefits of Mental Health Peer Group</b> Tom Sweeny <i>Paradise B</i>	<b>What's UP 2022</b> Robin Fry <i>Paradise C</i>	<b>Flying High: The Roots, Reasons, Results and Recovery from Addictions</b> Pastor Alfred Long <i>Windgate 62 &amp; 63</i>	<b>Providing Peer Based Recovery Support Services for Pregnant and Parenting Families</b> Mirna Herrera <i>Nautical Wheeler</i> *CEU*		
9:55 – 10:10	Break						
10:10 – 11:10	Conference Closing - Final Prize Drawing <i>Paradise A &amp; B</i>						

