**DISTRICT CONFERENCE SCHEDULE**

**Friday, October 29**

12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Arkansas Rm Rotary Leadership Institute

3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Pre-Event Area Registration

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Sedgwick Rm All-District Leadership Meeting with Chairs/AGs/Exec. Team

5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Salon E/F **FELLOWSHIP – THE FUN PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

Welcome Reception and Opening Session

Cash Bar, appetizers, entertainment, costumes (optional)

Introductions and Welcome Remarks from Special Guests

7:30 p.m. - ??? Dinner on your own, socialization

**Saturday, October 30**

Morning hours Breakfast on your own

*NOTE: if you are in the hotel, breakfast is included with your room. If you want to have breakfast at the hotel, but not staying there, the cost is $15.95. We will have coffee available in the morning.*

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Salon E/F **VISION – THE VITAL PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

Welcome, morning keynote

Introduction by: DGN Gloria Homeier

PDG Jacqueline Howard, RI President Representative

**Rotary International** **President Shekhar’s Message**

9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Arkansas Rm Rotary Leadership Institute

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Salon A/D **SERVICE – THE MISSION PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

General Session Discussion 1

Outreach, Inc – Isaac McNary

Shelter Box – Marshall Stanton

International Rescue Committee - ???

ICT SOS - ???

10:00 a.m. – 10:20 a.m. Break – Connection - Networking

10:20 a.m. – 11:20 a.m. **THE TRIO – THE CRITICAL PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

Breakout Session: (topic: Sharing Strategies)

Salon D Membership – PDG David Yoder and Clay Center rep?

Salon A/B/C Public Image – Lisa Perez Miller and

Sedgwick Rm Foundation – Donna Meier Pfeifer and

11:20 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Break – Connection - Networking

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Salon A/D **EMPOWERMENT – THE IMPACT PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

General Session Discussion 2

(topic: Human and Labor Trafficking)

District Coordinator – DGN Gloria Homeier

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Salon E/F **FUNDING – THE MEANS PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

Lunch – Chicken Parmigiana

*sit at assigned tables by matching your # and # on table*

Recognition of Healthcare Heroes

Afternoon keynote

Introduction by: DGE Ivanhoe Love

Suzi Howe, Rotary International Director

RI Foundation and International Service

1:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Arkansas Rm Rotary Leadership Institute

1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Salon E/F **DIRECTION – THE STRATEGY PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

General Session Discussion 3

(topic: RI Action Plan)

PDG Andrea Krauss

1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Break – Connection - Networking

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Salon E/F **INTERACTION – THE SHARING PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

Roundtable Round Robin

(topics: communicating & working within your area, benefits of working beyond the club, supporting each other)

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. Break – Connection - Networking

2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Salon A/D **IMPLEMENTATION – THE SERVING PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

Service Project 1 – Head-to-Toe Hygiene Project

3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. Discussion with AGs and Reps from Clubs

3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Break – Connection - Networking

4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Salon A/D **FUTURE – THE ANTICIPATION PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

General Session Discussion 4

District Business Meeting

(topic: Future of Rotary/D5680/Your club)

DG Fred Heismeyer, DGE Ivanhoe Love, DGN Gloria Homeier and New Generations Chair Kelle Thompson

4:45 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Prepare for Dinner

5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Salon E/F **ENERGY – THE HEART AND SOUL PIECE OF THE PUZZLE**

Reception (starts at 5:30 p.m.)

Dinner – KC strip steak (starts at 6:15 p.m.)

Recognition of deceased Rotarians – PDG Kurt Harper

District Awards–IPDG Dana Brewer and Special Award–PDG Geri Appel

Evening keynote

Introduction by: Joyce Heismeyer

Valerie Hope

Auction – Gloria Homeier

Thank you comments – DG Fred Heismeyer