



2024 SUMMER CONFERENCE

Sioux Falls, SD
June 4-6, 2024

On the campus of Southeast
Technical College

Daily Schedule

Tuesday-June 4th, 2024

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Walk-in/Day of Registration

1:00 PM-1:15 PM

Welcome/Announcements/Information

(President Travis Johns & Sioux Falls Mayor Paul TenHaken)

1:15 PM - 2:15 PM

**Dynamic Defense: Taxonomy of Special Event
Protective Action**

(Mr. Kevin Cornelius-National Center for Spectator Sports Safety and Security)

2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Juvenile related Law/Case Updates

(Lincoln County State's Attorney Office)

3:45 PM - 5:00 PM

South Dakota School Safety Programs/Updates

(Mr. Brett Garland-Director)

Daily Schedule

Wednesday-June 5th, 2024

8:00 AM - 8:10 AM

Welcome/Announcements/Information

(Sioux Falls School District Superintendent-Dr. Jane Stavem)

8:10 AM - 12:00 PM

Enhancing School Safety Using a Threat Assessment Model

(United States Secret Service National Threat Assessment Center)

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Lunch (on your own/cafe on site as well)

1:00 PM-2:00 PM

Understanding the School Side of Search & Seizure

(Attorney Robert Freeman, Jr.)

2:15 PM-3:15 PM

Youth Vaping Prevention

(South Dakota Department of Health)

3:30 PM- 5:00 PM

Enough Abuse: Strategies for Your School & Community

(Children's Home Society of South Dakota)

(Teri Beeson, M.S.A.)

Daily Schedule

Thursday-June 6th, 2024

8:00 AM - 8:30 AM

SDASRO Business Meeting
(all are encouraged to attend)

8:30 AM - 8:40 AM

Welcome/Announcements

8:40 AM - 9:40 AM

**Sexting/Phone Investigations/Social Media/Search
Warrants/Digital Evidence**
(DCI Special Agent Jackson Brown)

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

**S.A.D.D. Shifting Gears Presentation on
Marijuana and Driving**
(Ms. Felicity DeBacco-SADD State Coordinator)

11:00-12:00

Project Awareness
(Carroll Institute of Sioux Falls)

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

CONFERENCE FEE: \$125.00
(DAY OF CONFERENCE \$150.00)

ONE-DAY NON-LAW ENFORCEMENT: \$50.00
(Wednesday)

REGISTRATION INCLUDES MEMBERSHIP INTO THE ASSOCIATION

REGISTER ONLINE!

Scan the QR Code for Eventbrite link



Or follow the link:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2024-south-dakota-association-of-school-resource-officers-summer-conference-registration-820193800737>

Paper registration available if online not an option
See the form and deals in the next page



2024 Conference Registration
School Law/School Safety Conference
June 4-6, 2024
Southeast Technical College (The HUB)
2320 N Career Avenue
Sioux Falls, SD 57107

Last Name _____ First _____

SRO _____ D.A.R.E. _____ School Administrator _____ Teacher _____
Other (Please Specify) _____

Agency or District

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ E-Mail Address _____

Registration Fee \$125.00 in advance, \$150.00 at the door
Educator 1-Day (Wednesday) is \$50.00

Make checks payable to: SDASRO
Mail completed form and payment to: Deputy Travis Johns
Lincoln County Sheriff's Office
128 North Main Street
Canton, SD 57013

LOCATION INFORMATION

Southeast Technical College

The Hub building

2001 N Career Avenue - Sioux Falls, SD



LODGING INFORMATION

***A block of rooms is reserved at the brand-new
Comfort Inn and Suites-Sanford Sports Complex
located at 3900 North Hercules Avenue
Sioux Falls, SD.***

Rate: \$107.00

Must Reserve by May 3, 2024

***Scan QR Code to reserve online or call
605-271-5558***



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Detailed Speaker Info

1:15 PM to 2:15 PM-June 4th, 2024

**Dynamic Defense: Taxonomy of Special Event Protective Actions
Brought by: The National Center for Spectator Sports Safety and
Security (NCS4)**



Mr. Kevin R. Cornelius



Kevin is the technical and managing director for Centurion Shield LLC, enhancing value, safety, and security to the lives of others on a global basis. Prior to joining Centurion Shield in 2018, he held positions of increasing responsibility in both the government and private sectors. Kevin was a member of the United States Senior Executive Service as the Special Agent in Charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Southern District of Ohio, the Critical Incident Response Group's Tactical Section Chief, and Commander of the FBI's elite Hostage Rescue Team.

After 30 years of government service, Kevin became the global head of security of a critical infrastructure Fortune 500 company. Before joining the FBI in 1991,

Kevin served as a commissioned officer in the U.S. Army, Military Police Corps. Kevin earned his BS and MS degrees at Eastern Kentucky University where he was a distinguished military graduate and accepted a regular Army Commission. While assigned to the FBI Academy in Quantico, VA as an Adjunct Professor with the University of Virginia (UVA), he received his Masters of Education from UVA. Kevin is a member of the National Executive Institute Associates (NEIA), and the FBI's National Academy Associates (FBINAA). Kevin and his wife Cathy are passionately devoted in sewing their talents in fertile environments and enjoying their relationships with family and friends.

Detailed Speaker Info

2:30 PM to 3:30 PM-June 4th, 2024

Juvenile related Law/Case updates



*Lincoln County
State's Attorney's
Office*

The State's Attorney has the exclusive and statutory responsibility for prosecuting violations of the criminal laws of the State of South Dakota, as well as many other regulatory laws of the state and county including traffic regulations.

While the principal responsibility of the office is the prosecution of adult and juvenile crime, the office has the duty of protecting children who may be living in abusive or neglectful homes.

Additionally, the office is responsible for providing legal advice and representation to the Board of Commissioners for the county and other elected and appointed department heads and staff.

Detailed Speaker Info

3:45 PM to 5:00 PM-June 4th, 2024

SD School Safety Center

Updates/Programs/Assistance



Mr. Brett Garland

The South Dakota School Safety Center, under the direction of the Department of Public Safety, Office of Homeland Security, was created to promote a safe learning environment for South Dakota Schools. The Center serves as the core for information, training, technical support, and resources on school safety for school faculty and staff, students, parents/guardians, law enforcement, and mental health professionals.

The South Dakota School Safety Center will apply a holistic approach to school safety, utilizing partnerships with educators, administrators, counselors, mental health professionals, and law enforcement. The Center will provide South Dakota K-12 schools with school assessments, trainings, best practices models, guidance, and technical assistance to all those who work with children.

Detailed Speaker Info

8:10 AM to 12:00 PM-June 5th, 2024

Develop and Enhance Violence Protection Programs using a Behavioral Threat Assessment Model



U.S. Secret Service National Threat Assessment Center

For over 20 years, the U.S. Secret Service National Threat Assessment Center (NTAC) has conducted research on the thinking and behaviors of those who commit acts of targeted school violence in an effort to prevent future tragedies. Key findings from this research indicate that establishing multidisciplinary threat assessment teams and encouraging school communities to report concerning behaviors are critical steps in the prevention of targeted violence.

This presentation will highlight past incidents as well as relevant findings and recommendations from NTAC's latest research on targeted school violence and interrupted school plots in the United States. It will also focus on how communities can use a multidisciplinary approach to identify, assess, and intervene with students exhibiting concerning or threatening behaviors as early as possible.

This event is intended for law enforcement, school personnel, and other public safety professionals. This is NOT active shooter response training.

Detailed Speaker Info

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM-June 5th, 2024

Understanding the School Side of Search and Seizure



**CHURCHILL, MANOLIS, FREEMAN,
KLUDT, SHELTON & BURNS
ATTORNEYS AT LAW**

Attorney Robert Freeman, Jr.

This course will dive into the topic of school related search and seizure. When can/should schools conduct searches, when should SRO's be involved in search and seizure, case laws pertaining to school searches.

**Mr. Freeman was born Fredericksburg, Virginia September 14, 1944
Admitted to bar in 1974 in North Dakota and South Dakota**

Education:

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Huron College (B.S. 1970)

University of North Dakota (J.D. 1974)

Member, National Moot Court Team

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State Bar of North Dakota

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U.S. Court of Appeals 8th Circuit

U.S. Court of Claims

U.S. Tax Court

Supreme Court of the United States

Detailed Speaker Info

2:15 PM to 3:15 PM-June 5th, 2024

Youth Vaping Prevention



The South Dakota Department of Health (SD DOH) strives to promote, protect, and improve the health of every South Dakotan with information, licensing, and more.

The SD Department of Health will be presenting on youth vaping prevention.

Detailed Speaker Info

3:30 PM to 5:00 PM-June 5th, 2024

Enough Abuse: Strategies for Your School & Community



Teri Beeson, M.S.A.



Enough Abuse is a citizen education and community mobilization initiative working to prevent child sexual abuse in our homes, schools, youth organizations and communities across the U.S. and globally. The program provides adults and communities with the knowledge and skills they need to put an end to the silence, and eventually, the epidemic of child sexual abuse.

The Enough Abuse Campaign offers educational information to parents, youth, professionals and other concerned adults to prevent people from victimizing children today and to prevent children from developing abusive behaviors in the future.

This curriculum is divided into three major sections:

Part I: Understanding Child Sexual Abuse as a Public Health Problem

Part II: Conditions that Support Child Sexual Abuse

Part III: Preventing Child Sexual Abuse

in this session, you will:

- Define child abuse as a public health problem
- Recognize signs and conditions that support child sexual abuse
- Recognize potential grooming behaviors in adults
- Learn strategies for preventing child sexual abuse
- Learn how to respond to disclosures and report child sexual abuse

Established in 1893, Children's Home Society of South Dakota is the state's oldest human service nonprofit organization. Serving as South Dakota's primary orphanage and adoption agency for more than 70 years, thousands of children were rescued, cared for, and provided permanent families.

Detailed Speaker Info

8:40 AM to 9:40 AM-June 6th, 2024
Sexting/Social Media/Digital Evidence/Search
Warrants/Phone Investigation



DCI Special Agent Jackson Brown

Jackson Brown is a Special Agent with the South Dakota Division of Criminal Investigation with approximately 13 years of Law Enforcement experience. SA Brown spent approximately 3 years on patrol, 5 years as a drug investigator and almost 5 years being assigned to the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force and Digital Evidence Examiner. SA Brown's focus is on Child Sexual Exploitation investigations and digital evidence examinations. SA Brown will be presenting on juvenile sexting, juvenile's and social media, phone investigations, digital evidence handling, and search warrant templates and examples.

Detailed Speaker Info

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM-June 6th, 2024

S.A.D.D. Shifting Gears Presentation on Marijuana and Driving



Ms. Felicity DeBacco S.A.D.D. State Coordinator

Felicity DeBacco, M.Ed., is a seasoned professional with a strong dedication to advancing the mission of SADD National, where she serves as a coordinator overseeing operations across multiple states, including South Dakota. With extensive experience in SADD and a notable background in highway safety advocacy, she is committed to developing effective training programs and fostering youth leadership within communities.

Her career has been marked by impactful roles, including her tenure as the director of the Pennsylvanians Against Underage Drinking coalition at the PA Liquor Control Board. She has also made significant contributions to special highway safety enforcement projects at the Lancaster County District Attorney's office. Earlier in her career, she played a pivotal role in the Lancaster County Impaired Driving Program as a Parole Officer. She is a graduate of both Penn State University and Millersville University.

Shifting Gears: The Blunt Truth About Marijuana & Driving is a program designed to educate our next new generation of young drivers on the risks of marijuana-impaired driving. The program combines instructor-led discussion and interactive features. It specifically addresses secondary school health standards and will:

- Explain the effects of marijuana on the developing teenage brain*
- Provide evidence-based information addressing preconceived ideas about marijuana and driving*
- Explain the physical and cognitive processes affected by marijuana use*
- Stress the importance of planning ahead for safe transportation and avoiding driving impaired or riding with someone who is impaired*
- Demonstrate a driver's susceptibility to this impairment and potential severe consequences that can occur related to driving*

This session is intended to give the SRO information on how to present this course to their students in their districts and to work with S.A.D.D. Chapters in their areas.

Detailed Speaker Info

11:00 AM to 12:00 AM-June 6th, 2024

"Project Awareness"



In 1971, a foundation was created by a group of concerned individuals from Sioux Falls. The Community Committee on Alcohol Abuse or CCAA would later become Carroll Institute. CCAA began as a clearing house of information on Alcohol Abuse and a first point for referral to help for those in need. The Arch transitional living facility was open later that year to help with those needing further support for their recovery.

For more than four decades, Project Awareness has focused on preventing the disease of chemical addiction. Working with schools and communities throughout the Sioux Empire, our Project Awareness Counselors are specially trained in reaching out to young people as expert resources in this most pervasive adolescent challenge. Whether in school assemblies, community programs, in classrooms or meeting with students individually, Project Awareness presents all their efforts with a shared dignity of hope.

In our school-based programs, we explore the pitfalls of early use and abuse of drugs and alcohol. Many students are susceptible to peer-pressure, neglect, abuse and other negative influences and Project Awareness prevention programs help to equip student with accurate information and strategies to overcome. Through Life Skills training, we help students to make better choices.

SPECIAL GUESTS



Sioux Falls Mayor Paul TenHaken

Paul TenHaken began his second term as Mayor of Sioux Falls in May 2022. Since first taking office in May 2018, Mayor TenHaken has amassed a list of accomplishments for the city by putting people first and taking strategic steps to ensure the continued success of South Dakota's largest city.

Through his One Sioux Falls framework, Mayor TenHaken's focus is on safety, housing, workforce, and engaging people across Sioux Falls, which has been named one of the best run cities in the country for 2021. The city has achieved accolades for fiscal responsibility and its lowest debt per capita in over a decade. Under his leadership, Sioux Falls has expanded its status as an urban center, including record public and private sector investments planned for downtown. In 2021 Sioux Falls achieved a record building year of more than \$1.1 billion in permit valuations, demonstrating the strength of the city's development and long-term trajectory.

Mayor TenHaken has demonstrated his commitment to public safety through projects that include opening The Link, a behavioral health and addiction triage center, and securing funding for a public safety campus and Metro 911 dispatch center, which broke ground in fall 2021. His focus on improving lives and opportunities in the area and investing in the future generation has resulted in initiatives like the Sioux 52 Mentoring Initiative and the Mayor's Youth Council. He started the Mayor's Fitness Challenge in April 2020 at the onset of the pandemic to encourage residents to move and be active, and this annual challenge has since motivated thousands of residents to prioritize physical fitness and wellness.

Mayor TenHaken was selected for the Bloomberg Harvard City Leadership Initiative with a focus on innovation and chairs the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) Intergovernmental Advisory Committee. Acknowledged as a dedicated public servant, a successful entrepreneur, and an avid athlete, Mayor TenHaken's proudest accomplishment is his family—wife, Jill, and their three children.

SPECIAL GUESTS



Sioux Falls School District Superintendent

Dr. Jane Stavem

Dr. Jane Stavem joined the Sioux Falls School District in 2020. In her 35 years in education, she has served as a classroom teacher, Director of Curriculum and Instruction, Assistant Superintendent, and Superintendent. Married with two adult children and a native of Nebraska, Dr. Stavem has worked in a variety of states, mostly Minnesota and Nebraska, with both large and small school districts. She actively participates in service clubs, non-profit boards, Chamber activities, and loves to attend Fine Arts and Athletic events featuring the talents of Sioux Falls School District students.

MEET THE BOARD:



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