

## November 2009 KSC Board meeting in Wichita

District D along with the help of District C planned a wonderful weekend at Heartspring in Wichita for the November Kansas State Council Board Meeting. Thank you District D & C for ordering the wonderful weather and the great weekend.

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### Fall Board Meeting in Wichita



The Executive Board met for supper on Friday evening at the North Rock Suites followed by the business portion of the evening.



Saturday morning started the weekend off with individual committee meetings followed by, chapter presidents, and committee chair and district chair meetings. Members who were not scheduled to attend meetings were provided with a "Happy Hour" hosted by the Membership Committee. Teams participated in



choosing a song title to act out. Of course, some sweets were provided by the teams. Suzi and her committee provided a fun activity. *Left: Pat thanks Delgene and Barb for a wonderful weekend at Heartspring. Right: Diney and Cindy man the Easter Seal table.*



Following lunch, members returned to Heartspring for the afternoon activities. Dr. Gary Singleton, Heartspring CEO, Leigh Horsley, Director of Development and Lindsay Salomon, Director of School Therapy and Applied Technology provided updated happenings at Heartspring. Corey Landreth, a parent of



one of the Heartspring students shared his story on the accomplishments his son has achieved at Heartspring. The highlight of the afternoon was the performance by The Choral Sensations. *Left: Charlotte gives her Circle of Life report and tells us a story about the "little red wagon."* *Right: Pat thanks Marsha for all her hard work for Heartspring and the successful weekend.*



Saturday evening following dinner on our own, members returned to Heartspring for the Fashion Show provided by C.J. Banks and Christopher Banks, hosted by Marsha Barnes, 2nd VP. What a great job Clara Ginn and Denise Masterson did as emcees for the evening. Modeling the clothing for the



evening were our own Kansas ESA Sisters. They also provided a preview of the executive board members night time attire. Did the executive board really sleep in those? Thank you, Marsha for an enjoyable and entertaining evening. *Left: Marsha hosts the C.J. Banks Fashion show. Right: The Lamplighters stop for a picture. Many Lamplighters are still very active on the board and support the activities of the Kansas State Council. Below: Our ESA models show off the wonderful fashions of C.J. Banks. If you wanted to purchase any of the clothing they were available at a discount.*





On Sunday morning, President Pat Josey presided over the November State Council Meeting attended by 62 board members and guests. First time State Council attendees, pledges and guests were introduced and welcomed. Officers and Committee chairs provided updated reports. Details on the officer and



committee reports can be found elsewhere in this edition of the News & Views. *Left: Rita and Karen presented Joy with her scrapbook from 2008-2009. Right: Pat leads the Council meeting Sunday Morning.*



Following the council meeting, members met to start planning for the upcoming 2011 IC Convention to be held in Overland Park. The Kansas State Council is gearing up to host the International convention and committee assignments are being made. The convention will be held



at the Sheraton Hotel in Overland Park in July. Coleen will chair the event and we will need a lot of Kansas hands to help host the event. *Left: The IC convention campaign meeting was held following the Council meeting along with a light lunch. Right: Coleen leads the meeting and tells us all how much she is counting on us to help host all of ESA in Kansas.*