

Kansas Master Teacher Award

EMPORIA STATE UNIVERSITY...



2006 Master Teacher Schedule March 29, 2006

10:00 a.m.

Tour of the National Teachers Hall of Fame

1320 C of E Drive, Emporia, KS

11:00 a.m.

"Memories of Yesteryear" - One Room Schoolhouse

12:00 noon

President's Luncheon - President's home, 1522 Highland

Hosts: President Kay and Dr. Ken Schallenkamp

2:30-3:45 p.m.

Seminar - Educators: Building Bridges Through Collaboration

Jones Conference Center, Room 330, Visser Hall

E.S.U. Coordinators: Dr. Sue Peterson, Education

Dr. Darla Mallein, Social Sciences

5:15-6:00 p.m.

Social - Kanza Room, Memorial Union

Opportunity to meet the Master Teachers and view the portfolios

6:30 p.m.

Master Teacher Award Dinner - Webb Lecture Hall, Memorial Union

Toastmistress: Sue Givens, Administrator Pratt School District Special Music: Emporia State University String Ensemble

Bank of America Master Teacher Award

Emporia State University established the Kansas Master Teacher awards in 1954. The awards are presented annually to teachers who have served the profession long and well and who also typify the outstanding qualities of earnest and conscientious teachers.

The university's Administrative Council originally developed the Kansas Master Teacher Award program in the early 1950s. Dr. Everett Rich, former chair of the English department, was the driving force behind the program.

The program was first discussed in 1952. Because of the illness and subsequent death of President David L. MacFarlane in 1953, nothing was done to establish the program until the following year. In 1954, with the support of Dr. Don Davis, the chair of the division of education, and the approval of the new president, John E. King, the first awards were made.

In the early days of the program, numerous faculty members and others connected with the college were involved in establishing policies and procedures. Dr. Davis added "Kansas" to the name. Rich suggested "distinguished," but that word was changed to "master." Ray Cremer, business manager, promoted a monetary award for the recipients, but Dr. King believed that watches were more appropriate, so watches were awarded. C.O. Wright, executive secretary of the Kansas State Teachers Association, suggested that local teacher associations or similar educational groups make the nominations. Dr. Rich coordinated publicity for the awards across the state.

The Kansas Master Teacher Award program expresses appreciation for the generosity of Bank of America. Since 1980, this Emporia bank has pledged over \$100,000 to permanently

endow the Kansas Master Teacher Awards. Bank of America and its senior officer, Carol Patterson, are committed to assisting Emporia State University in its efforts to excel. Each year, local teacher associations and school faculties nominate candidates for the awards. In February, a committee representing educational organizations from across Kansas selects the winners.

The 2006 selection committee included Janet Stramel, Kansas – NEA; Laura Kaiser, Kansas Congress of Parents; Wayne Engle, Kansas Association of School Boards; Joanne Jenks, Kansas – American Association of University Women; Iris Van Meter, Kansas State Board of Education; Troy Peters, Kansas Association for Colleges of Teacher Education; Jill Jones, Kappa Delta Pi (student representative); Trish Weidert, Former Master Teacher; Connie Neneman, Dodge City, and Larry Wayland, Overland Park, recipients of the 2005 Master Teacher Endowed Chair.

A committee of Emporia State University faculty and administrators coordinates local arrangements. The committee includes: Roy Mann, Tes Mehring, Sarah Stump, Sue Peterson, Lucie Eusey, Leo Pauls, Carol Patterson (Bank of America representative), Boyce Baumgardner, and Lori Mann, chairperson.

Information concerning the Kansas Master Teacher Award program is available on The Teachers College web site. Go to www.emporia.edu/teach and click on Kansas Master Teacher.

The William A. Black Kansas Master Teacher Endowed Chair



In 1984, the Black family of Broken Bow, Oklahoma established an endowed chair for Kansas Master Teachers. Each year, this permanently endowed fund provides a stipend for two Kansas Master Teachers to spend part of a semester at Emporia State University.

The master teachers selected teach classes and work with students who plan careers in education. The endowed chair provides a valuable experience for Emporia State students and a meaningful opportunity for the master teachers.

The William A. Black Kansas Master Teacher Endowed Chair was established by Marea Belfield Black to honor the Black family's lifelong dedication to public education. The endowed chair is named for her husband, Dr. William Albert Black.

The late Dr. Black (pictured above) was born November 25, 1897, in Green County, Missouri. He received his bachelor's degree in 1926 and his master's degree in 1934 from Emporia State University. He received his PhD in philosophy, education, and psychology from the University of Colorado. Black was nationally known for establishing junior colleges and for his work in school finance and curricula.

During his career, he served as president of the Pueblo (CO) Junior College, director of junior colleges and curriculum for the state of Washington, and as the head of the department of education and philosophy at Pittsburg State University. In 1962, while at Pittsburg State, he received the Kansas Master Teacher Award.

Black married Marea Belfield on November 7, 1920. The Black's son, William Vincent Black, was born March 31, 1922, and the family moved to Broken Bow, Oklahoma on March 1, 1973. Dr. Black died on October 12, 1983. Emporia State University is deeply grateful to the Black family for this generous contribution.



Jo Ellen Dambro Lowther South Intermediate School Emporia

believe that knowledge is power...Knowledge, or education, has the potential to shape a learner's future, and can affect the way a child views the world. It can help mold his character, empowering the child to determine his course in life," said Jo Ellen Dambro, a fifth grade teacher of 20 years.

To help keep the course of her students' lives on track, one of Mrs. Dambro's achievements is the development and implementation of "Preparing for the Drug Free Years," a parenting class about establishing family guidelines and policies about alcohol and drug use. "Jo Ellen realized the importance of keeping kids drug free and training parents," a colleague said. "She was instrumental in keeping this class going, and enlisting the support of the principal, teachers, and parents."



Karla Ewing Southwest Elementary School Pratt

It is my goal that I truly come into each of (my students') lives and in some small way leave a footprint on their hearts," said Mrs. Karla Ewing, a fourth grade teacher with nearly 40 years teaching experience. "I take from each one of my students something that will leave their footprints on my heart to make me a teacher better able to understand and educate the students that will follow in their footsteps."

Among Mrs. Ewing's numerous efforts to blend classroom experiences with the world beyond it, was functioning as a key member of the team that developed the Outdoor Wildlife Learning Site (OWLS), a laboratory where students can observe the Kansas wildlife habitat.

"Without question she has been one of the most positive influences in my daughter's life," writes a parent. "It is her genuine concern for students that sets her apart from your average teacher."



Elaine Bertels Fasulo
Meadow Lane Elementary School
Olathe

Mrs. Elaine "Lanie" Bertels Fasulo is known for "her leadership, her vision beyond the walls of her school building, and always focusing on the greater good for students as well as fellow educators."

Serving as a professional speech pathologist for nearly 25 years, "her technical knowledge is exceptional, as is her ability to translate that knowledge into sound therapeutic practice and strategies," writes a colleague.

Serving children with language/literacy deficits - including autism, the ability to relate to her students is her priority. "That connection with my students has always challenged me to find answers to impossible questions, energized me with the commitment to continue in this every-changing field, and has given me the overwhelming satisfaction of knowing that I have made a difference in the lives of many young students."



Sherry Hutchcraft Northwest Elementary School Dodge City

According to education research, building on a person's prior knowledge of a topic is the number one factor in learning new things about the topic. Sherry Hutchcraft believes the topic she most needs to study is the people in her classroom. "I must become a researcher and spend time getting to know my students, not only academically so that I know where to begin instruction, but...personally as well."

As a second grade teacher in Dodge City, Mrs. Hutchcraft determined one way to understand her students was to study Spanish; she now teaches in a dual-language classroom and has a 100% attendance rate at her parent/teacher conferences. Her energy and enthusiasm as a teacher has earned her honors, including a \$25,000 grant to encourage a partnership between her school and the county health department to promote health care for children.

"If I am energized, motivated, and excited about teaching...it will spill over to my students and great things can be accomplished."



Vicki O'Neal Lincoln Elementary School Baxter Springs

any of my students will never journey far from here. I seek ways to provide them with learning experiences any student from a large town or affluent school would have," said Mrs. Vicki O'Neal.

Since 1972 Mrs. O'Neal has traveled great distances to incorporate the larger world into her second grade classroom. From South America to study the rain forest, to Japan to learn the culture, to going to The Johnson Space Center in Texas, she returns from each experience to share what she's learned with her classroom and her school. Be it creating a rainforest in the library, or dropping off materials about a Space Camp scholarship to a former student of hers, she is admired for her dedication.

A former student writes, "She encourages students to try their best, to never give up, and to follow their dreams."



Bob Peterson Butler County Community College El Dorado

Mr. Peterson equates his role as teacher as being as important as the role of the invisible rabbit in the play "Harvey."

"As a teacher, I genuinely feel it is my responsibility never to impose my values onto the student, but to extract from the student her/his own sensibilities so that he/she may form an informed, individual viewpoint. I feel that if an observer sees me in one of my students I have not been successful as a teacher. I feel I'm only successful when an observer sees the student as unique, open, one of a kind."

As the lead instructor of theatre at Butler County Community College since 1981, he has won three awards from the Kennedy Center and numerous awards for teaching, playwriting, performance, and direction from local, state and national organizations.



Marilyn K. Vaughan Cottonwood Point Elementary School Leawood

Yaughansville" is the world students experience and colleagues witness as part of Mrs. Marilyn K. Vaughan's classroom. A former student teacher of hers said, "I witnessed the great way of speaking and teaching about learning that Marilyn gives her students. She fosters an environment in which it is okay to be different and have different abilities."

Mrs. Vaughn believes student learning is a journey allowing "the student to travel from what they know now to what they need to know in the future. My role as an educator is to build a bridge that will allow this journey to take place."

With over 35 years of teaching experience, she has taught first grade for the last 15 years. In 2001 she became a National Board Certified Teacher and is highly involved with mentoring national board candidates in Kansas and nationwide.

2006 Master Teacher Nominees

Gerry Bukaty, Lawrence
Molly Burton, Abilene
Tonya Cogan, El Dorado
Mary Collins, Morris County
Janice Crowley, Wichita Collegiate

Jo Ellen Dambro, Emporia Kimberly Dhority, North Lyon County Janet Dixon, Auburn Washburn Jeffery Eastman, Bluestem Michael Elder, Pittsburg

Karla Ewing, Pratt
Elaine Bertels Fasulo, Olathe
Lori Franklin, Olathe
Cindy Garwick, Manhattan-Ogden
Lisa Hall, Salina

Kimberly Hett, Andover
Sherry Hutchcraft, Dodge City
Shawn Kovacik, Blue Valley
Vicki O'Neal, Baxter Springs
Bob Peterson, Butler County Community College

April Renollet, Leavenworth

Lisa Renz, Hays

Julie Stadlander, Geary County

Cheryl Theis, Barber County North

Kris Trimmer, Winfield

Marilyn Vaughan, Leawood Christina Watt-Smith, Frontenac

Past Master Teachers

1954

Laura M. Beichley, Ulysses Harry H. Brown, Peabody Lucy Headrick, Winfield Ira Laidig, Oberlin Edith Ellen Means, Princeton Violet Randolph, Archison Grace E. Srewart, Salina

1955

Redicia Engholm, Topeka Edna Mason Golladay, Wichita Gaye Iden, Arkansas City Gussie Mootz, Dodge City Elsie Olson, Marysville M. F. Stark, Hiawatha Dr. John Twenre, Lawrence, KU

1956

Florence K. Belding, Iola
Dr. Jane M. Carroll, Pittsburg, PSU
Clifford H. Dresher, McPherson
John E. Humphreys, Ashland
Mamie D. Mellinger, Emporia
Katie Puls, Attica
Audrey Smith, Goodland

1957

Teresa McDonald Coffey, Axtell Dr. Maud Ellsworth, Lawrence, KU Una Funk, Council Grove Mildted P. Parker, Hutchinson Dr. Clyde U. Phillips, Hays, FHSU Ruth Flory Sexton, Howard Katherine A. Tucker, Topeka

1958

Mildred Cunniniham, Parsons Myrrl Houck, El Dorado Julian A. Johnson, Buhler Edward D. Kroesch, Hoisington Dt. Minnie M. Miller, Emporia, ESU Elsie N. Parrish, Concordia Maude Thompson, Marion

1959

Henrietta Couttwright, Arkansas City Nettie May Davis, Winchester Paul R. Dick, Oakley Ethlyn Hamlin, Fort Scott Robert H. Pool, Larned D. Rurh Thompson, Sterling Jane Townsend, Girard

1960

Eula Bridger, Kansas City Mary Louise Gritten, Bird City Lena Carl, Holcomb Owen E. Hodgson, Salina Opal Jayne Kennedy, Lawrence Pauline Shockley, Wellington Blanch Smith, Pittsburg *C. O. Wright, Topeka, KSTA

1961

Reba Anderson, Hurchinson George D. Caldwell, Iola Lydia Haag, Dodge City Larry Ling, Liberal Dorothy McPherson, Coffeyville Jane E. Roether, Junction City Ruth Socolofsky, Manhattan

Dr. William A. Black, Pittsburg, PSU Eunice McGill, Sterling College Nellie McGuinn, Kansas City Owen R. McNeil, Peabody Ella C. Shearer, Beloit Marie Therkelsen, Independence William D. Wolfe, Lawrence

1963

May Gruver, Augusta Alta Hendrickson, Oakley Walter M. Ostenberg, Salina Pearl Peterie, Kinsley Phebe Scott, Derby Martha Steele, Goodland Charles E. Srrange, Wichita

1964

Dan Foster, LaCtosse Mary Hunholz, Manhattan Erdman Johnson, Turner Loma Mack, Madison Bernadine Sitts, Garden City Lillie Elizabeth Studt, Glasco Dewey E. Wolgast, Marysville *Ruth Stout Wrighr, Topeka

1965

Rebecca Bloodworth, Kansas City Bryce H. Glecker, Dodge City Mabel Lacey, Gorham Hazel Lee Simmons, Lawrence Floyd C. Smith, Iola Dorothy Vaughn, Neodesha Ethel Yanris, Howard

1966

Eva M. Chalfanr, El Dorado Louis A. Coppoc, Belpre Helen Glaser, Coffeyville Evelyn Harper, Atchison Maurice Little, Goodland Ione Ramey, Olathe Wesley E. Simpson, Salina

1967

Dr. J. W. Breukelman, Emporia, ESU Lois Hogue, Pratt Dr. Perva M. Hughes, Pittsburg, PSU Winifred Jennings, Shawnee Jean Jones, Topeka Florence Millet, Iola Cecil E. Smith, Pittsburg *Adel F. Throckmorton, Wichita, State Supt.

1968

Arley A. Bryant, Concordia Lottie Carver, Mulvane Alice Ham, Hutchinson Hazel Millet, Emporia Irma Minden, Paola Gladys Peterson, Lindsbotg Doris Stith, Bonner Springs

1969

Kelso Deer, Hoisington Marguerite Hackney, Iola Joe W. Ostenberg, McPherson Theodore Palmquist, Turner Maxine Sebelius, Northern Valley Joy Wigginton, El Dorado Lonnie Wood, Independence *Dt. Alex Daughtry, Emporia, ESU

Ralph Dennis, Olathe John England, Pittsburg Gladys Kaump, Dodge City Thomas Kelley, Hutchinson Lois Patton, Great Bend Albert Riedel, Hays Mary Ellen Sissman, Eureka

1971

Dr. Kenneth Anderson, Lawrence, KU Earl Bevan, Pittsburg Helen Case, El Dorado Carl Clinesmith, Fort Scott Herman Grundy, Kansas City Betty Jackson, Colby Margaret Jagger, Minneapolis *F. L. Schlagle, Kansas City

1972

Joseph L. Bournonville, Pirtsburg Robert Burnert, Colby Gerald Goacher, Topeka Carl A. James, Emporia Catherine Johannsen, Kansas City Dr. Margaret Parker, Pittsbutg, PSU Leona Velen, Manhattan *F. Royd Herr, Topeka, State Dept. of Education

1973

Mildred Barber, Concordia
Dr. Elton W. Cline, Pittsburg, PSU
Marie Hieger, El Dorado
Anna Hurty, Hutchinson
Rachel Leist, Forr Scott
Allen L. Unruh, Ottawa
Marjorie Vieux, Atwood

1974

Wanda Franzen, Emporia Arlene Garrett, Hugoton Ruben Grose, Hutchinson Louis Hayward, Eureka Clyde Johnson, Leavenworth Esther Overman, Columbus Norris Sayre, Ensign

1975

Vernon Hastert, Ulysses J. Paul Jewell, Kansas City Betty Dutton, Alta Vista Iram Teichgraeber, Chapman Marion Klema, Salina Ernest Nelson, Pittsburg Rozella Swisher, Kansas City

1976

Charlotte Doyle, Manhattan Harry Harr, Emporia Glennis Lindsey, Hurchinson Frances Raines, Winfield Dr. Richard Roahen, Emporia, ESU Darlene Theno, Basehor Eleanor White, Dodge City *Dr. James A. McCain, Manhattan, President, KSU

1977

Jean Curl, Kansas City
Fred Deyoe, Dodge City
Joan Hanna, Winfield
Shirley Longfellow, El Dorado
Martha McReynolds, Burlington
Gene Russell, Galena
Dan Tewell, Pittsburg
*Dr. William Edwards, Emporia, ESU

Dennis L. Ary, Topeka Erma Lang Dow, Eureka Harold Hardy, Pittsburg Dr. Robert R. Noble, Pittsburg, PSU Milton Senti, Pratt Patricia J. Teel, Columbus Eugene Wiltfong, Norton *Dr. A. Truman Hayes, Emporia, ESU

1979

Gerald E. Barkley, Galena Wendell Hodges, Anthony Eleanor Kee, Coffeyville Clifton McWaid, Kansas City Loren E. Riblett Sr., Wamego Cynthia Schrader, Alta Vista William Warner, Manhattan *Dr. Everett Rich, Emporia, ESU

1980

Harold Balzer, Buhler Raymond Goering, Salina Lucille Luckey, Dodge City Mary Remington, Pittsburg Patricia Samuelson Bonds, Emporia James R. Smith, Olathe Paul Willis, Topeka

1981

Mary Chase, Andover Mary Lou Davis, Dodge City Marguerite Flick, Winfield Don Miller, Fort Scott Deloris Jean Osger, Eureka Chester Peckover, Buhler Byron Smith, Anthony

1982

Dorothy Arensman, Dodge City Frances Kohrs, Fort Scott Bill Saunders, Garden City Marjory Pease Sharp, Pittsburg Patricia Tippin, Manhattan Kenneth Trickle, Jr., Salina Elizabeth Voorhees, Emporia

1983

Catherine Ann Brown, Emporia Elaine Fowler Bryant, Pittsburg Betty Holderread, Newton Lois McLure, Kingman Barry L. Schartz, Kingman Sally Shipley, Kansas City, Mo. Doris Velen, Manhatran

1984

Robert Coffman, Chase Frances Lou Disney, Grear Bend Stephen R. Germes, Dodge City Thomas Hedges, Pittsburg Don L. Mason, Kingman Dortie McCrossen, Ottawa

- Joan Spiker, Manhattan *Dr. John Visser, Emporia President, ESU

1985

Bob Anderson, Manhattan Ken Carorhers, Wellington Thomas Fowler, Emporia Charlotte McDonald, Olathe · Lana Scrimsher Oleen, Manhattan Barbara Shinkle, Pratt Sharon Willis, McPherson *Dr. John E. King, Carbondale, IL, President, ESU

Jill Burk, Manhattan Richard G. Dawson, Kansas City Frank B. Evans, Dodge City Dr. Jim Gill, Stilwell Harry Heckethorn, McPherson Sally Six Hersh, Lawrence Helen Owens, Derby *Dr. Fred Markowitz, Emporía, ESU

1987

Roger D. Brannan, Manhattan Jackie Engel, McPherson Dr. Nick Henry, Pirtsburg, PSU Dr. Eloise Beth Lynch, Salina • Marie Peterson, Oakley • Joyce Rucker, Pratt Dr. Sandra J. Terril, Salina • Dr. John Webb, Emporia, ESU

1988

 Carol S. Adams, Manhattan Donald G. Buhler, Pratt Robert Hottman, Anthony Carolyn Clevenger Kuhn, Emporia Michael S. Rush, Osawatomie Bonnie Weingart, Fort Riley Martha Zaktzewski, Hays

1989

Tanya Channell, Hays
Max Ferguson, Medicine Lodge
Lois Schweirzer Gray, Pratt
Catolyn Koch, Emporia
Ada Ligia R. Paquette, Junction City

Mary Anne Trickle, Salina

Gary Wilkerson, Derby

*Dr. Darrell Wood, Emporia, ESU

1990

Dr. Thomas Christie, Lawrence
Gretchen Davis, Overland Park
Dr. E. Sutton Flynt, Pittsburg, PSU
James Gardner, El Dorado
Ralph E. Mock, Council Grove
Allen K. Scheer, Westmoreland
Beverliann Wolf, Derby

1991

Deena L. Horst, Salina Kenneth R. Kennedy, Pratt Sherryl L. Longhofer, Topeka • Susan F. McKinney, Emporia Kenneth R. Stith, Dodge City • Valarie S. Tims, Pittsburg Helen A. Wagner, El Dorado

1992

Beth Bergsten, Junction City Ernest L. Brown, Wakeeney • Irma Jean Fallon, Manhattan Diane Low, Lawrence Ethel Marie Peterson, Dodge City Alana Kay Sewell, Pratt • Joyce Ann Sinn, Fort Scott

1993

Mickey L. Bogart, Manhattan Carol J. Brandert, Salina Mary Alice Gordon, Lawrence Kathy Ann Ramsour, Dodge City • William M. Scott, Wakeeney Alice M. Shaffer, Overland Park • Glenda S. Watkins, Paola *Dr. Daryl Berry, Emporia, ESU

Norma Bynum West, Dwight

· Diane Prell, Derby

Myron E. Schwinn, Manhattan

· Connie I. Viebrock, Olathe Karhryn E. Taylor, Emporia Anne Nettleron, Salina Garold Robert Billionis, Fort Scott *Dr. Robert Glennen, Emporia President, ESU

1995

Cathy Colborn, Medicine Lodge Joseph P. Glotzbach, Council Grove John B. Harclerode, Emporia Diana E. Harris, Pratt

- · Patrick R. Lamb, Manhattan
- . Tom Schwartz, Abilene Jo Ann Schuerre, Wichita

1996

Doyle D. Barnes, Manhattan Margaret Coggins, Lawrence Catherine Ecroyd, Ottawa

- Jacquelyn Faye Fiest, Dodge City
- · Millie P. Moye, Salina Janice Reutter, Medicine Lodge Nancy Robohn, Emporia

1997

Lisa Artman Bierau, Manhatran JoLene Rae Bloom, Seneca

- · Parricia Gnau, Blue Valley Mike Harvey, Pratt Darla J. Mallein, Emporia Renira Ubel, Ottawa
- · Randall I. Watner, Olathe
- *Dr. Jack D. Skillett, Emporia, ESU

1998

Brian "Chip" Anderson, Lawrence Janeen Brown, Wakeeney Candy Birch, Olathe Elizaberh Cronemeyer, Tonganoxie Floyd "Stan" Standridge, Salina Shirley Stein, Ulysses Carol Strickland, Emporia

1999

· Michelle DiLisio, Chanure Mary Machin Hemphill, Manhattan · Judy Humburg, Andover Mary Porrerfield, Goodland Linda Maxine Stelzer, Pratt

Phillip Theis, El Dorado Curt C. Vainar, Hays

*Dr. Andy Tompkins, Topeka

2000

Kay Parks Bushman Haas, Ottawa Tracy Io Kerth, Overland Park Michael R. Schainost, Osawatomie Roberta (Robbie) Thomas, Andover Robert James Tindel, Pittsburg Deborah B. Wertin, Overland Park Goldie Wood, Dodge City

2001

· Carhy Esquibel, Dodge City Jeanne Evans, El Dorado

· Betty Lavery, Stilwell Leona Madden, Hays Margaret McClatchey, Overland Park Rosemary A. Riordan, Lenexa Jane Sak, Overland Park *Jerry Long, Assoc. Dean, ESU

Bev Berrolone, Blue Valley Barbara Fowler, Emporia

· Sue Givens, Pratt

Chrisrine Herald, Manhatran

Dee A. Moxley, Andover

Jan Prather, El Dorado

· Alexander Specht, Osawatomie

2003

· Tina Buck, Medicine Lodge Matt Copeland, Topeka Connie Ferree, Emporia · Connie Healey, Stilwell

Pamela, Kilgariff, Pratt Barbara Tims, Pittsburg

Carol Woydziak, Dodge City

2004

Mary Elizabeth Baker, Andover Luana Bitter, Pratt Patricia Grzenda, Lawrence Nicki Hancock, Olathe

- · Greg Mittman, Valley Center
- · Devra Parker, Medicine Lodge
- · Patricia Weidert, Emporia

2005

Mary Van Dyke, Atchinson Ken Garwick, Manhattan

- · Connie Neneman, Dodge City Sandy Hardesty, Topeka Kathryn L. Reschke, Olathe Kimberly Thomas, Wichita
- · Larry Wayland, Overland Park
- * Special Award
- · Black Endowed Chair Recipient



