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A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

BY PATSY KUTCHAR

Greeting from Larimer County!!

As the end of the year is fast approaching, your CFSC board members are busy planning a great conference in Breckenridge in June!! The agenda for the 2010 conference is taking shape and an ACSES email will be going out shortly to solicit your ideas for sessions that you are all interested in attending. Watch for the email and please let us know your thoughts as this is your conference. The newly appointed Child Support Commissioner, Vicki Turetsky has been invited to attend and deliver the keynote address sharing her vision on the future of the IV-D program. Watch for future editions of the In-Basket to read more about the upcoming conference. The CFSC board voted to not hold a conference in 2011. This will be the first time in our 36 year history to not host a training conference. Our decision was based on the economic challenges each of our offices are facing. We plan to return to Breckenridge in June, 2012. Your input is always welcome and appreciated and I hope you will share your thoughts with us.

Have a great day!!

Dee Price-Sanders
President

Patsy Kutchar
President-Elect

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2009 Award Winners

Message from Awards Committee



Congratulations to the Award Winners for 2009, CSFC Conference.

NOMINATED AWARDS

Excalibur Award:	Latesha Moore --- El Paso County
Excellence in Service:	Ashley Hahn-Severance --- Jefferson
Meritorious Achievement:	Ralph Proffitt -- Jefferson
Outstanding Attorney:	Meghan Loft --- Arapahoe County

OUTSTANDING COUNTY

Small:	Gunnison
Medium:	Montrose
Large:	Larimer

LUMP SUM

Small:	Terry Peckham -- Pitkin
Medium:	Joan McCollum -- La Plata
Large:	El Paso County

With the economy, Child Support Programs have had a tough year. It seems our job has become more inventive to try to meet our goals while at the same time serving the public. For this we should still remember those that have stood out in going that little extra mile or coming up with new ideas on how to get past these rough times. Lets get those thinking caps on and keep an eye out for a person you feel should be recognized for the hard work they do, and nominate them for the following possible awards.

Excalibur, Excellence in Service, Meritorious Achievement, and Outstanding Attorney.

Thank you all for continuing to try to get those child support payments in for the children, during this difficult time.

Lupe Abeyta
2009-2010 Awards Co-Chair

2010 CFSC THEME CONTEST!!!

This years Conference Theme is “Every Kid’s A Star”!!

And the colors are Royal Blue and Black with Silver and Gold Accents. We are going for an Academy Award’s type theme. Get your creative minds busy to come up with a logo for the 2010 CFSC Conference and win \$50.00!!!! Please be sure to have your entry must be camera ready!

PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR WINNING IDEA BY NOVEMBER 20, 2009 to Patsy Kutchar, at pkutchar@larimer.org, or any member of the CFSC.

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rofessional Growth Sessions

The CFSC Board is working hard at getting those training sessions to be the most valuable for the work you do. As Professional Growth co-chair, Kayleen Edwards and I would like to hear from you on what ideas you have on any training sessions. Even if you would like to see one that you have attended in the past and found valuable. We would love to hear from all you CSE workers. Your suggestions are very much appreciated!! Thank you for your support and most of all, the hard work you do!

Send your suggestions to:

Lupe Abeyta, labeyta@bouldercounty.org
Kayleen Edwards, edwardkn@larimer

Save the Date:

- Colorado Family Support Conference
- June 7th, 8th, and 9th, 2010
- Beaver Run Resort in Breckenridge, Colorado



Last Chance to Submit Charity Nominations

Do you have a charity in mind that you would like to have considered for this year’s CFSC conference?

Please have your recommendations submitted by 11-20-2009 for Colorado non-profit organizations that benefit children and families.

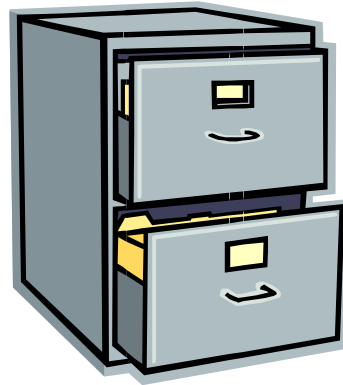
Please submit your ideas by 11-20-09 to either
your regional representative or to Betsy at betsy.peschiera@state.co.us



GOING GREEN!!!

This year we would like to try something “green” with our name badges from the past. If you have any spare name badges just taking up space in your office, give them to any CFSC committee member so that we can recycle them at the 2010 conference. Thank you!!!

Our Historian, Jim Butler, and his committee members are busy getting all of the very important information that has been accumulated over the past few decades, up to the 21st century way of doing business. They will be scanning all of the documents, pictures, etc., so that we do not lose any of the great moments from past CFSC Conferences. Special thanks to a past CFSC member for storing this stuff away in her "cellar" for so long!!



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COLORADO FAMILY SUPPORT COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT

The Colorado Family Support Council is a non-profit corporation whose purpose is to update and train individuals and agencies on the laws and procedures related to child support establishment and enforcement.