



**When Strong Student Activities are Established, Achievement Follows!**

## TASC High School Annual Conference

**April 14-16, 2019 • Arlington, Texas**

- Register now for strong programming for High School StuCo members
- Register now to access special sessions for advisors
- Register now to hear two outstanding keynotes: [Kevin Atlas](#) and [Carlos Ojeda](#).
- Register now to give your council the leadership edge. **[REGISTER NOW!](#)**
- Participate in the [Service Project](#) at the HS Annual Conference.
- Review [program](#) for the conference in advance.
- [Activities at the Convention Center & Sheraton on Day One](#) (Sunday)
- [Party at the Park](#) on Day Two (Monday)

*Don't miss this highlight of the year!*



**Congratulations to Lisa Gilbert, Ed Irons, MS, the US Region 8 nominee for the Middle Level Student Council Advisor of the Year.**



**Congratulations to Lianna Gantz, Keller Central HS, the US Region 8 nominee for the High School Advisor of the Year.**



### Upcoming Dates and Deadlines:

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| Now         | <a href="#">Review resumes and platforms for candidates for state office</a> . Both the student and the advisor sit on the state board and make decisions for this association. You need strong, knowledgeable advisors and students. |
| Now         | <a href="#">Register for a Summer Leadership Workshop</a> – the best thing you can do for your council  |
| June 9 - 11 | State Steering Committee Retreat in New Braunfels. District President students and advisors, District Coordinators, and TASC Board members will be sent information soon.   |

# To-Do List for April:

- Update your profile on the TASC website.
  - Log in and go to the “Member Center”
  - Click on “My Profile” under the name badge. Select “edit” and make any needed changes.
  - Click on “organization” (your school). Select “edit” and make any needed updates AND upload your constitution.
- New advisor for the coming year?
  - Go to “[Join or Update](#)” today. Select Advisor Change/Addition form
  - New primary or co-advisors can add themselves.

## News You Can Use

Share this newsletter with your students. (Hint, it's posted on the TASC website.)

- Check out a fundraiser with [Cash4shooz](#).
- Share this competition with students. They can tackle real-world issues and compete to win scholarships and prizes. You can [ask for a challenge kit](#) for your school.
- [My Name My Story](#) is an organization that develops changemakers based on the belief that stories inspire empathy, and empathy drives change. We deliver curriculum to middle and high school students to teach them 21st Century skills of empathy, teamwork, and innovation in order to create the next generation of changemakers. One of our goals is to teach your students not only how to co-exist together, but to co-create and collaborate together.

## [2018-2019 CALENDAR OF AWARENESS DAYS](#)

Interactive Calendars with writing prompts, bulletin board ideas, and more:

- [www.theteacherscorner.net/calendars/May](http://www.theteacherscorner.net/calendars/May)
- [www.brownielocks.com](http://www.brownielocks.com)



May 2019  
WWW.WIKI-CALENDAR.COM

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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|        |        |         | 1         | 2        | 3      | 4        |
|        | 5      | 6       | 7         | 8        | 9      | 10       |
| 11     | 12     | 13      | 14        | 15       | 16     | 17       |
| 18     | 19     | 20      | 21        | 22       | 23     | 24       |
| 25     | 26     | 27      | 28        | 29       | 30     | 31       |

Public Holidays: 27: Memorial Day



## 2018 – 2019 TASC State Theme and Service Project

- The TASC state theme for 2018 – 2019 is Resolve to Rise.
- The TASC state service project for 2018 – 2019 is [Resolve to Rise – Change Lives](#) and centers on mental wellness. [See the State Officer video](#) about the project here.
- It does not take a huge project to contribute to the TASC State Service Project regarding mental wellness. Small, consistent, intentional projects designed to promote connection and caring can be powerful.
- Take a Look at the “[Hi, How Are You Day](#)” Project. Take the time to talk with someone you know. Just say, “Hi, how are you?”



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Are your members following the [TASC Facebook](#) page? There are frequent postings of scholarship opportunities as well as ideas for great activities. Find information here first!



**TASC is on Instagram:** All you have to do is click on the Instagram App. Then you click on the star icon at the bottom.

- Check out TASC on Snapchat.
- Share this newsletter with your students. (Hint, it's posted on the TASC website.)
- There is a brand-new link to Resources for Middle Level advisors, thanks to Lisa Gilbert, Ed Irons MS.
- **Your TASC Board of Directors:** You can find names and email links to members of the TASC Board of Directors under the [About Us Tab](#) on the website. Please contact any one of them with concerns, suggestions, or items you want to see on a Board meeting agenda.
- **Press Releases:** You can find sample press releases under the [Resources Tab](#) on the TASC website. Share the good news about your council's achievements.
- Are you making use of the **TASC Advisors Resource Guide**? It is available under the [Resource tab/Advisors](#).
- Explore **TASC Virtual Workshops** under Events on the Website. We post all handouts and materials from conferences.
- Anyone can donate to the [TASC Scholarship Fund](#) in memory or in honor of an individual. (Under About Us/Donate).



## We're SO excited! Join us at Annual Conference!



**TASC: Building a better world - one student, one council, one school at a time**  
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