

2026-2027 Tentative Events Calendar

Executive Council Meetings:

- August 17, 2026 – KRTA Office
- December 7, 2026 -KRTA Office
- April 19, 2027 – Holiday Inn East, Louisville, KY
- June 7, 2027 – KRTA Office

Health & Insurance Committee Meeting:

- October 12, 2026 – KRTA Office

Legislative Committee Meetings:

- July 13, 2026 – KRTA Office
- November 16, 2026 – KRTA Office

Membership & Pre-Retirement Committee Meeting:

- July 20, 2026 – KRTA Office

KRTA Convention:

- April 19 & 20, 2027 – Holiday Inn East, Louisville, KY

District Presidents' Meetings:

- July 27, 2026 – KRTA Office
- April 19, 2027 – KRTA Convention

2026-27 Membership Campaign: Final membership report printed on MLK Day, January 18, 2027

Retired Teachers Appreciation Week- October 18-24, 2026

KRTA Local and District Recognition Forms:

- March 15, 2027 – Due to the KRTA Office

Volunteer Hours:

- March 15, 2027 – (Jan 1-Dec 31) – Report hours on Local Recognition Form

School Supply Drive/ Feed KY Program: Application for \$50 matching grant will be mailed to local presidents

- March 15, 2027 – Report the number of bags of school supplies contributed on the Local Recognition Form
- March 15, 2027 – Report the number of food items contributed on the Local Recognition Form

Frank R Hatfield Volunteer of the Year Award:

- February 3, 2027 - Local Presidents submit candidates to District Presidents
- March 15, 2027 - District Presidents submit candidates to the KRTA State Office
- April 20, 2027 - State Award Winner Announced

KRTA/AARP Grandparent Essay Contest :

- School Winner Dec 15, 2026
- County Winner Jan 31, 2027
- District Winner March 1, 2027
- State Winner announced at 2027 State Convention

2026-27 KRTA NEWS – Print Dates:

- July 2026 Issue – Submission Deadline: May 17, 2026
- November 2026 Issue – Submission Deadline: September 15, 2026
- March 2027 Issue – Submission Deadline: January 24, 2027

2026-2027 KRTA NEWS EXPRESS (Electronic Newsletter) – Release Dates:

- September 2026
- May 2027

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July

July 13, 2026 - Legislative Meeting: KRTA Office

July 20, 2026 - Membership Meeting: KRTA Office

July 27, 2026 - District Presidents Meeting: KRTA Office

August

August 15 – Kentucky Teacher Hall of Fame Deadline

August 17, 2026 - Executive Council Meeting: KRTA Office

September

October

October 12, 2026 - Health & Insurance Committee Meeting: KRTA Office

October 18-24, 2026 - Retired Teachers Appreciation Week

November

November 16, 2026 - Legislative Committee Meeting: KRTA Office

December

December 7, 2026 - Executive Council Meeting: KRTA Office

December 15, 2026 - School Winners for Grandparents Essay due

January

January 18, 2027 - 2026-27 Membership Campaign: Final membership report printed on MLK Day 2027

January 31, 2027 - County Winners for Grandparents Essay due

February

February 3, 2027 - Local Presidents submit candidates to District Presidents for the Frank R. Hatfield Volunteer of the Year award.

March

March 1, 2027 - District Winner for Grandparents Essay due

March 15, 2027 - Local Recognition forms due to the state office; District Presidents submit candidates for the Frank R. Hatfield Volunteer of the Year award to the state office

April

April 19-20, 2027 - KRTA Convention: Holiday Inn East, Louisville

April 19, 2027 - Executive Council/District Presidents Joint Meeting: Holiday Inn East, Louisville

Grandparents Essay Winner and Frank R. Hatfield Volunteer of the Year Award announced at Convention

June

June 7, 2027 - Executive Council Meeting- KRTA Office