

Tentative MKN Conference Agenda

Monday, March 30, 2026

12:30 pm – 6:00 pm Pre-Conference Workshop: Upward Bound Program Design

Tuesday, March 31, 2026

8:00 am - 4:00 pm Conference Registration

9:00 am - 1:00 pm New Professionals Workshop

9:00 am - 1:00 pm Pre-Conference Workshops: Upward Bound Program Design & GEAR
UP Best Practices

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Lunch for Pre-Conference & New Professionals Workshop attendees

1:30 pm - 2:30 pm Opening Plenary

2:45 pm - 3:45 pm Concurrent Sessions

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm State Meetings

5:15 pm – 6:45 pm Dinner on Your Own

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Funtivity:

Wednesday, April 1, 2026

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Conference Registration

8:15 am - 9:30 am Breakfast Plenary: Recognition of Professionals Retiring, New Programs &
Outstanding Awards

9:45 am - 10:45 pm Concurrent Sessions

11:00 am - 12:00 pm Concurrent Sessions

12:00 pm - 1:45 pm Lunch on Your Own

2:00 pm- 3:00 pm Program Roundtables

3:15 pm - 4:45 pm General Assembly Meeting

5:45 pm - 6:45 pm President's Reception

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Chapter Banquet: Recognition of MKN Achiever's & Announcement of
Scholarship Recipients

Thursday, April 2, 2026

8:30 am - 11:00 am

Breakfast/Closing Plenary: Address by EOA President, Updates from
COE, Raffle/Fundraiser