**American Council of the Blind of Ohio**

**Harvest the Dream**

**October 21-23, 2016**

**Schedule of Events**

**Kalahari Resort Sandusky, Ohio**

**FRIDAY, October 21, 2016**

1:00 - 6:00 p.m. Registration

1:00 - 5:00 p.m. Visit the many vendors in the exhibit area

2:30 – 3:30 p.m. Introduction to Audible Cues, Jared Witt, introduced by Katie Frederick

Learn about the audible signage in the hotel and convention center.

3:45 - 4:45 p.m. Update from Aaron Sheppard PHD. Vanda Pharmaceuticals, introduced by Irwin Hott

5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Dinner on your own

7:00 – 7:25 Shopping Tour with Convention Vendors: Brief presentation by each vendor, introduced by Theresa Carroll & Leah Noble

7:30 p.m. Opening Session

Brief Welcome by Vicky Prahin, ACBO President

7:35 – 8:30 p.m. Dr. Anthony Easley, Keynote Speaker, Introduced by Vicky Prahin

8:30 – 8:45 p.m. Break

8:45– 11:00 p.m. ACBO Jeopardy

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**SATURDAY, October 22, 2016**

Designated officer: Karen Spry, ACBO secretary

7:15 - 8:15 a.m. Registration

7:15 - 8:15 a.m. Breakfast (be sure to bring your meal ticket.)

7:35 a.m. What’s New At OOD – Bob Nicholson, Assistant Deputy Director, introduced by Rob Rogers

8:15 - 8:20 a.m. Break

8:20 - 10:00 a.m. General Business Meeting

If you are a current member, be sure you have a dot on your name tag during the meeting so you can vote.

10:00 - 10:15 a.m. Break

10:15 - 11:15 a.m. Session One: Two Concurrent Workshops:

A. Everything BARD – Will Reed, introduced by Jenna McCartney

B. Low Tech – Mike Pitroff Functional Training Services and Susanna Meles Cleveland Sight Center, introduced by Mary Ann Donelan

11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Visit the Exhibit Area, open from 11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., and again from 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

12:00 - 1:30 p.m. Lunch Karen Spry

Presentation of 2016 ACB-Ohio Scholarships: Karen Spry

2:15 - 3:15 p.m. Session Two: Two Concurrent Workshops:

A. Engaging The Audience: The Art of Public Speaking – Tom Dimit, introduced by Theresa Carroll

B. Apps For Reading Print – Katie Frederick and Ethan Holliger Sight Center of Northwest Ohio, introduced by Brant Adams

3:15 - 4:00 p.m. Visit the Exhibits

4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Session Three: Two Concurrent Workshops:

A. Adjusting to Vision Loss – Beth Levine, introduced by Lita Wesley

B. Recreational Opportunities, -- Jill Noble, ACBO 2nd vice-president; **Desmond Kennedy,** Recreation Specialist; and Rob Rogers, ACBO 1st vice-president, Introduced by Terry Olandese

6:00 - 6:30 p.m. Auction Preview

6:00 - 6:30 p.m. Cash Bar

6:30 - 9:00 p.m. Banquet

Welcome by Vicky Prahin, ACBO president

Invocation: Chris Schumacher, ACBO treasurer

Speaker: John Polk, APH Talking Book Narrator, introduced by Ann Pimley

Presentation of 2016 ACBO Awards, Lori Woodall

9:00 - 11:30 p.m. Auction

Auctioneer: Terry Olandese

Cash bar available

**SUNDAY, October 23, 2016**

Designated officer: Jill Noble, 2nd vice president

7:30 - 8:00 a.m. Nondenominational Christian Service, Lori Woodall,

8:15 - 9:15 a.m. Breakfast

Remembering Members Who have passed away in the last year & honoring veterans who are present, Lori Woodall

9:15 - 9:30 a.m. Break

9:30 - 10:15 a.m. Two Concurrent Sessions

1. Women at Risk: Linda Leuderman, introduced by Lori Woodall
2. Gusto 3 & Android Accessibility– Terry Olandese & Brant Adams, introduced by Sue Wesley

10:30 – 11:30 a.m. ACBO Post-convention Board Meeting