



# 2021 TENTATIVE JMI AGENDA

SEPTEMBER 13-17, 2021 / GALVESTON, TEXAS

## Monday, September 13

7:00am **Registration for Participants**

*Foyer*

8:30am **Welcome and Orientation**

*Grand Ballroom*

### **TJA Business Meeting & Awards**

9:30am-12:00pm **Key Note Session**  
Damon West

*Grand Ballroom*

12:00pm-1:30pm Lunch (On Your Own)

1:30pm-4:00pm **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

**I De-Escalation**  
Jason Davis & Marco Hinojos

*Galleon I*

**II Officer Wellness/Self-Care**  
Abby Belangeri and Frances Dembowski

*Galleon II*

**III The Basics of High Five**  
Mark Warren

*Galleon III*

**IV Report Writing**  
Rich Conley

*Yacht*

4:00pm-6:00pm **Welcome Reception - Exhibits Open**

*Exhibit Hall B*

## Tuesday, September 14

7:30am–3:00pm **Exhibit Showroom Open**

*Exhibit Hall B*

8:00am–9:30am **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

**I Bail Bond Issues in Counties With a Bail Bond Board**

Robert Davis and Thomas Keress

*Galleon I & II*

**II High School Education in Jails**

Kim Anderson

*Galleon III*

**III Interacting with the Deaf**

Paul Singleton

*Yacht*

**IV Professionalism and Ethics**

Ray Scifres

*Grand Ballroom A*

**V How to Fail**

Mark Warren

*Grand Ballroom B*

9:00am–4:30pm Blood Drive

*Schooner*

9:30am–10:00am Break - Visit with Exhibitors

*Exhibit Hall B*

10:00am–11:30am **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

**I Bail Bond Issues in Counties Without a Bail Bond Board**

Robert Davis and Thomas Keress

*Galleon I & II*

**II Inmate Programs - An Innovative Perspective**

Rhea Nixon

*Galleon III*

**III Destination Retirement**

Richard Ashcraft

*Yacht*

**IV CJIS**

Jeff McIlhane

*Grand Ballroom A*

**V Raising the Bar**

Lynn Beard, Richard Gutierrez, Derry Minor

*Grand Ballroom B*

11:30am–1:00pm Lunch (On Your Own)

1:00pm–2:30pm **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (repeat from 8:00am–9:30am)

2:30pm–3:00pm Break - Visit with Exhibitors

*Exhibit Hall B*

3:00pm–4:30pm **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (repeat from 10:00am–11:30am)



## Wednesday, September 15

7:00am–10:30am Exhibit Showroom Open

*Exhibit Hall B*

8:00am–9:30am **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

**I Use of Force and Duty to Intervene**

Texas Association of Counties- Darren Jackson, Kenny Lemons, Carmen Napp, Terry Pickering, and David Whitis

*Galleon I & II*

**II TCOLE Simplified**

Lynn Beard, Richard Gutierrez, Derry Minor

*Galleon III*

**III Medicated Assisted Treatment**

Dariel Newman

*Yacht*

**IV Legislative Update and the Sunset Bill**

Texas Commission on Jail Standards

*Grand Ballroom A*

**V Prison Gangs and STG's**

Reuben Gonzales

*Grand Ballroom B*

9:30am–10:00am Break - Visit with Exhibitors

*Exhibit Hall B*

10:00am–11:30 am **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (continued)

11:30am–1:00pm Lunch (On Your Own)

1:00pm–4:00pm **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (repeat from 8:00am-11:30am)

## Thursday, September 16

7:00am–8:00am Prayer Breakfast

8:00am Jail Administrator's Photo

8:15am Sheriff's Photo

8:30am–11:30am **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

**I Preventing Suicide Among Our Own: Removing the "Suck It Up" and "Just Deal With It" Culture of Toughness**

Michelle Tanner

*Galleon I & II*

**II Issues in Small Jails**

Mike Starkey, Jason Jouett, Sueanne Johnson and Thomas Keress

*Galleon III*



## Thursday, September 16 *continued*

8:30am–11:30am **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

**III Gang Trends**

John Fernandez and Allen Roush

*Grand Ballroom A*

**IV Disturbing Trends in Drugs and Alcohol Abuse**

Tamara Spencer

*Grand Ballroom B*

11:30am–1:00pm Lunch (On Your Own)

1:00pm–4:00pm **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (Repeated from 9:00am)

7:00pm–Midnight Dinner and Entertainment

*Grand Ballroom*

## Friday, September 17

8:30am–11:30am **CLOSING SESSION**  
**Hot Topics**

Texas Commission on Jail Standards —  
Brandon Wood, Wendy Wisneski, Michael Gravitt,  
Jason Jouett, Jennifer Shumake, Byron Shelton

*Grand Ballroom  
at the  
San Luis Resort*