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Kids In The Middle Welcomes New Members to Board of Directors

Nonprofit Agency appoints six new members for 2019

ST. LOUIS (Feb. 14, 2019) - Kids In The Middle (KITM), a nonprofit agency providing counseling services for children and families “in the middle” of divorce, announces the appointment of six new members for its Board of Directors for 2019.

Joining the Board of Directors are Nikki Crawford, Mike Grisham, Stephanie Jones, Mike Klevens, Melissa Skrivan, and Chuck Vogel.

Nikki Crawford is a wealth management advisor with Northwestern Mutual. Her practice focuses on helping individuals, families and business owners achieve their financial goals through comprehensive financial planning. As a Certified Financial Planner (CFP) and Chartered Life Underwriter (CLU), she advises her clients on retirement planning, investment allocation, risk management strategies, and employee benefits. Nikki was named an exceptional volunteer as part of Northwestern Mutual’s Community Service Award program. She served as a co-Chair of United Way’s Young Leadership Society for three years. In 2012, she was named one of the St. Louis Business Journal’s 30 Under 30 as a fast-rising executive in the community. Most recently, she served as co-chair for the 2016 and 2017 Kids In The Middle Gala and continues to serve on the gala planning committee.

Mike Grisham is the President & CEO of Shawnee Communications, an internet and telephone service provider for Southern and Central Illinois. With the assistance of a strong team, Mike has accomplished several landmark projects including the ShawneeLink and building a fiber to the home network. Also, Shawnee Communications has acquired additional companies, diversified its portfolio, modernized its network and greatly improved the customer experience. Mike has been a long-time supporter of Kids In The Middle. His family has a strong connection to the mission and look forward to furthering the impact of the Agency.

Stephanie Jones is a Founding Partner of Raza & Jones, LLC, a St. Louis-based firm specializing in domestic relations cases. Stephanie speaks and frequently writes, especially those topics relating to electronic evidence and technology. She is a contributing author to the Missouri Bar CLE Deskbook for practitioners entitled *Missouri Family Law*, and co-authored the chapter entitled “Characterization and Division of Property in Divorce.” Stephanie is a graduate of the St. Louis University School of Law.

Michael Klevens, MD, MBA, FACHE is the Network Medical Director for Emergency Medicine for St. Luke's Hospitals. He earned his medical degree from Hahnemann University Medical College of Pennsylvania and completed his residency at Temple University Hospital. Dr. Klevens also holds an MBA from Webster University

as well as Fellow credentials from the American College of Healthcare Executives, the American Academy of Emergency Medicine and the American College of Emergency Medicine.

Melissa Skrivan works for the American Parkinson Disease Association – Greater St. Louis Chapter as Director of Development where she leads fundraising initiatives to support patient services, education and research. Before this position, she worked with The Foundation for Barnes-Jewish Hospital leading the direct mail marketing program. In 2018, Melissa served as co-chair for the 12th Annual Swirl, Sip & Savor Tasting Event hosted by the KITM Young Professionals Committee. She has been involved with the Agency’s Young Professionals Committee for the past two years and is also a member of the Friends of the St. Charles City-County Library.

Chuck Vogel is the President of Snelling Staffing – St. Louis. Chuck received a Bachelor of Science in Finance from Murray State University. After college, Chuck lived in Nashville, TN for four years where he worked for Dollar General in various finance roles. At the end of 2004, he relocated back to his native city of St. Louis where he worked for Save-A-Lot food stores for five years, moving on to VP of Finance for Fusion, a St. Louis experiential marketing firm. After three years in marketing, Chuck served as the Chief Financial Officer for the Joseph C. Sansone Company. In 2017, Chuck and his wife Anna were presented with the opportunity to purchase a franchised location of Snelling Staffing Services. Chuck and Anna have been involved with Kids In The Middle since 2016, both serving as co-chairs for the 2019 Annual Kids In The Middle Gala.

About Kids In The Middle

Kids In The Middle (KITM) helps children and families transition to a new way of life before, during and after separation and divorce, for the sake of creating healthier futures for all involved. Founded in 1977, KITM is a nationally accredited non-profit agency that provides comprehensive and confidential counseling, education and support services focused on the entire family. KITM is a proud member of the United Way of Greater St. Louis and receives funds from the St. Louis County Children’s Service Fund. KITM is located at 2650 S. Hanley Rd. in St. Louis, Mo. For more information, visit www.kidsinthemiddle.org.

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