

Parenting Gifted Children Conference XXVI

October 3, 2009

The Frances A. Karnes Center for Gifted Studies in The University of Southern Mississippi College of Education and Psychology will conduct the 26th Annual Parenting Gifted Children Conference. The conference is offered to help parents and other concerned adults better understand the unique intellectual, academic and social-emotional needs of the gifted and talented. All sessions are open to anyone who attends. Please note that this day has been designed for adults, and that provisions have not been made for children.

Keynote Speaker

Dr. Suzanne Bean

Director, Roger F. Wicker Center for Creative Learning and
Emeritus Professor of Education, Mississippi University for Women

Presenting

Developing Leadership Potential in the Home

Additional Program Topics

- What Parents Should Know about Gifted Education in Mississippi
 - Encouraging Your Child to Write and Publish
 - Your Child and You: Social Networking Sites
 - Continuous Progress Curriculum
 - MAGC and Parent Advocacy

Conference Registration/Schedule

Pre-registration is required by September 25, 2009. Conference packets will be given to registrants at check-in, which will take place on October 3 from 8 to 8:45 a.m. at Owings-McQuagge Hall on the Hattiesburg campus of The University of Southern Mississippi. The opening session will begin promptly at 8:45 a.m. The last session will conclude at 3:45 p.m.

Fun for All

The conference will include time for parents, professionals and other interested adults to meet and interact. Lunch will be on your own and will be available at the Fresh Food Company in the Thad Cochran Center on the Southern Miss campus. The lunch hour will provide time to mingle and discuss topics of mutual interest with regard to parenting and teaching the gifted. Books pertaining to the gifted will be available for purchase at the conference.

Registration

In order to secure your place at the conference, complete the registration form below and return it with a \$30 per person registration fee by **September 25, 2009**, to:

**Parenting Gifted Children Conference
The Frances A. Karnes Center for Gifted Studies
118 College Drive #8207
Hattiesburg, MS 39406-0001
FAX: 601.266.4764**

✉ For more information, please contact us at ✉
601.266.5236 or 601.266.5246
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REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete this form for **each adult** who plans to attend the conference.

This form may be duplicated as needed.

Please print or type the information.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Telephone (_____) _____ E-mail _____

Please provide for confirmation of registration.

Place of Employment _____ Telephone (_____) _____

Social Security Number _____

Required by the University for the purpose of limited accident insurance

_____ Enclosed is a \$30 check made payable to Parenting Gifted Children Conference

_____ Please charge my \$30 registration fee to _____ VISA _____ MasterCard
_____ Discover _____ American Express

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Account Number _____ Expiration Date _____

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Credit card information or a check payable to Parenting Gifted Children Conference should be forwarded to Parenting Gifted Children Conference, The Frances A. Karnes Center for Gifted Studies, 118 College Drive #8207, Hattiesburg, MS 39406-0001. Confirmation of registration, along with directions to the conference, will be sent via e-mail.