Pre-Conference Sessions

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Sunday, July 25, 2010 • 1:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Monday, July 26, 2010 • 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

FCCLA Advisor Training – Implementing Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) into the Curriculum

Clarion Hotel Springfield

Sponsoring Division: MoEFACS

Presenters: Allison Kreifels, FCCLA National Consultant; Amy Doane, National FCCLA Marketing and Membership Manager; Reston, VA

Target Audience: Family Consumer Science & Human Services Teachers

Brief Summary of Session: Participants in this 2-day session will gain a wealth of information about FCCLA, state and national FCCLA programs and how to incorporate FCCLA as an integral part of the family and consumer sciences curriculum. Exemplary and award winning chapter projects and activities will be showcased during the session to include Financial Fitness, STAR Events and STOP the Violence, among others. Middle/junior high and high school family and consumer sciences instructors/chapter advisors who have existing chapters or those interested in beginning a chapter in their school or district will benefit from this session! Participants are required to purchase and bring with them: FCCLA: The Handbook to Ultimate Leadership

One (1) hour of graduate or undergraduate credit may be earned for the summer semester 2010 from the University of Central Missouri at Warrensburg (UCM). There will be no additional assignments to complete or follow-up session to attend later, but all participants taking the workshop for credit must attend both days of the session.

Attendance Restricted to MoEFACS Division.

Pre-Registration Required: By June 11, 2010 (More details and registration information/forms will be included on the DESE Family and Consumer Sciences Website at: http://dese.mo.gov/divcareered/facs_professional_development.htm#MoACTE

Fee Charged: $75.00 registration fee, plus additional graduate/undergraduate enrollment fees for those electing to take the course for credit through the University of Central Missouri (UCM)
Monday, July 26, 2010
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

ServSafe Food Service Sanitation - Training and Certification Course

Clarion Hotel Springfield

Sponsoring Division: MoEFACS

Presenter: Chris Freeman, College of the Ozarks

Target Audience: Hospitality Tourism Cluster Instructors (Culinary Arts, ProStart, etc.)

Brief Summary of Session: This one day course will provide participants the opportunity to learn the latest on sanitary food handling, food preparation, food borne illness, and the way to prevent it through the ServSafe Certification course. The examination for this course is given the same day and those who pass with a score of 90% or better can apply to the National Restaurant Association to be certified as a ServSafe Instructor. The ServSafe Certification Course was designed by NIFI and the Educational Foundation of the National Restaurant Association which is recognized nationwide.

NO COURSE BOOK WILL BE PROVIDED! A ServSafe course book (5th Edition) is available through the Missouri Restaurant Association at a cost of $61.00 - which includes postage. Using the course book, you will be required to complete the home study lessons assigned in advance and bring those completed materials with you to the session. The first half of the session will be a comprehensive review for the examination and the examination itself will be administered during the afternoon. Results of the exam will be forwarded to you by mail several weeks later.

Open to Missouri ACTE Members.

Pre-Registration Required: By Friday, June 04, 2010. (More details and registration information/forms will be included on the DESE Family and Consumer Sciences Website at: http://dese.mo.gov/divcareered/facs_professional_development.htm#MoACTE

Fee Charged: $35.00 registration fee (includes Monday’s lunch and breaks). Cost of ServSafe Book and Answer Sheet are NOT INCLUDED.

Monday, July 26, 2010
8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Aligning your Curriculum and Classroom with Best Practices

Clarion Hotel Springfield

Sponsoring Division: MoEFACS

Presenter: Missouri Teacher Education Council

Target Audience: Family Consumer Science & Human Services Teachers

Brief Summary of Session: This one-day in-service is designed for Missouri family consumer sciences instructors interested in aligning their curriculum and classroom with best practices. This session will be a collaborative effort of teacher educators and family and consumer sciences teachers in Missouri. A three pronged rotating presentation format will be utilized to best serve teachers, allowing for topic specific depth and participant collaboration.

Rigor, Relevance, Social-Justice and Career Readiness: In this session, FCS teachers will explore issues pertaining to the notions of rigor and relevance as they relate to the FCS curriculum and student preparation for post-secondary experiences. Teachers will identify curricular spaces for integrating core content (reading, mathematics, global issues) with experiences that enhance critical thinking and promote socially just practices central to FCS.

Process Skills/Questions & Reasoning for Action: What do we do about teaching reasoning for action and process skills that will empower students to use FCS content in an ever changing and challenging world? How do we motivate and teach students to think? Are we preparing our students for the future? This subgroup will explore combining process skills, questioning, and reasoning for action into existing content.

Classroom Management & Differentiated Instruction: In this session, Family and Consumer Sciences teachers will be exposed to concepts regarding classroom management and differentiated instruction. Teachers will be provided resources and instructional strategies for working with students, including those with diversity, disabilities and at-risk behaviors.

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Fee Charged: $40.00 registration fee (includes Monday’s lunch and breaks)

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9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

The Sound of Children – Industry & More

Clarion Hotel Springfield

Sponsoring Division: MoEFACS

Presenter: Industry Tour – Morning

Tiara Dixon, Author - Afternoon

Target Audience: Early Childhood Instructors, Family Consumer Sciences and Human Service Teachers

This workshop will bring to life the “industry” of Early Childhood and how one corporation utilizes this industry to help its employees. Being in the childcare industry poses a lot of responsibility to the employees and to the children it serves. Join in for a morning of visualizing the industry in full force and the demands of the corporate world in providing a service to their employees.

The afternoon will be filled with the power of music in early education with a presentation and teaching techniques from author Tiara Dixon. Tiara is the co-author of the book; The Sound of Storytime. Her book takes the traditional storytime for early childhood and adds singing and simple instruments such as bells and rhythm sticks. Forty-two lesson plans centered around specific books are given in detail, with song suggestions and lists of additional appropriate books. Tiara will also incorporate materials and information pertaining to the "Every Child Ready to Read" initiative. If you teach Child Development or Early Childhood Careers, you won’t want to miss this.

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Pre-Registration Required: By Friday, June 11, 2010 (More details and registration information/forms will be included on the DESE Family and Consumer Sciences Website at: http://dese.mo.gov/divcareer ed/facs_professional_development.htm#MoACTE

Fee Charged: $25.00 registration fee (includes Monday’s lunch and afternoon break)

Monday, July 26, 2010

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Digital Storytelling – Bringing it to Life

Clarion Hotel Springfield

Sponsoring Division: MoEFACS

Presenter: Teachers from Digital Media Camp 09

Target Audience: Teachers interested in Digital Media for the Classroom

Brief Summary of Session: Storytelling is an age old educational tool that is utilized in classrooms across the world. Digital Storytelling is telling stories with computer based tools. In the summer of 2009 a group of teachers gathered in Columbia for a Digital Media Camp. This group of teachers was able to come away from this experience with valuable information on the integration of Digital Media in their classrooms. The morning session will have some of these teachers presenting information and experiences using this type of media with students. The good, bad and ugly will be discussed and how they overcame the roughest situations as well as relished in the greatest accomplishments.

The afternoon session will have those teachers who have attended the Digital Media Camp 09 work hand in hand with those teachers who want to enhance their own classroom using digital media. This should be an outstanding workshop with lots of information to take back to your classroom and students.

Come prepared with your own Laptop, as the hotel has Wireless Internet available. Bring a Jump Drive to save your work.

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Transitioning into the 2010-2011 Family and Consumer Sciences Classroom:
New Teachers and Teachers Returning to Family and Consumer Sciences – In-Service

Clarion Hotel Springfield

Sponsoring Division: MoEFACS

Presenter: Louise Lunkenheimer, Nevada Regional Technical Center, 2009 MoEFACS President

Target Audience: New and Returning to the Classroom FCS & HS Instructors

Brief Summary of Session: This in-service is designed specifically for those family and consumer sciences teachers who are new to teaching family and consumer sciences and/or those returning to the field of teaching family and consumer sciences this year. Those who attended last year’s session will also find this workshop helpful.

Veteran Missouri family and consumer sciences teachers representing the middle school, junior high and high school levels will provide information and handouts on a variety of topics to include: implementing FCCLA as an integral part of the instructional program; department management and team work; classroom and lab management; and professional development. Updates on resources, curriculum and technology also will be provided.

This year’s session will also feature a wrap-up session and luncheon on the last day of the conference. New and returning teachers will not want to miss it!

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Pre-Registration Required: By Friday, July 9, 2010 (More details and registration information/forms will be included on the DESE Family and Consumer Sciences Website at: http://dese.mo.gov/divcareered/facs_professional_development.htm#MoACTE

Fee Charged: $50.00 registration fee (includes Monday’s lunch and breaks as well as lunch on Thursday)