

FALL CONFERENCE

OCTOBER 20, 2012

7:30 A.M.- 2:15 P.M.

THE CHILD CARE COUNCIL
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EVENT SCHEDULE

7:30 a.m.- 8:00 a.m.	Registration ~ Continental Breakfast
8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.	Keynote Presentation
8:45 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Break ~ Break ~ Break ~ Break ~ Break
9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.	Keynote Presentation—continued
9:45 a.m.- 10:00 a.m.	Break ~ Break ~ Break ~ Break
10:00 a.m.- 11:30 a.m.	Workshop Session 1
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Lunch ~ Lakeshore Presentation ~ Door Prizes
12:30 p.m. - 2: 00 p.m.	Workshop Session 2
2:00 p.m.- 2:15 p.m.	Wrap Up ~ Free Books



Free Children's Books
will be available to
attendees!!!
Door Prizes
too!



TEDDY BEAR ROUND UP!!

We will be collecting NEW Teddy Bears for the KEYS Program for the music therapy care packages. These bears are given away to kids with cancer and serious illnesses, in children's hospitals, camps and special needs sites.



**Bring in a NEW Teddy Bear and receive a
Child Care Council Tote Bag!**



KEYNOTE PRESENTER: BETSY EVANS

STOP BULLYING BEFORE IT STARTS: WHAT ADULTS CAN DO TO STOP HURTFUL BEHAVIOR BEFORE IT BECOMES A PATTERN OF BULLYING



Earn 1.50 hrs credit in topic areas 1 & 3

"Bullying can exist when a power gap between children is not recognized and resolved with adult support. A hurtful preschool behavior can become a pattern of bullying only when it is repeated, intense, and targeted," observes Betsy Evans. Evans will offer her research on this topic and attendees will learn strategies for preventing bullying by young children:

1. How to understand the difference between a pattern of bullying and predictable preschool behaviors.
2. Acquire effective words to say and what words/phrases to avoid when directing children
3. Identify and practice problem solving strategies to address conflicts or hurtful comments.
4. Discover how to set limits on any intimidating behaviors and follow up with positive interactions.
5. Identify children that may need more attention and to understand the reasons behind their behaviors
6. Gain knowledge about teaching children problem-solving and how to express their feelings constructively.

Recognize the importance of recognizing and eliminating common practices of adults that may be teaching or modeling bullying behaviors.

We are so excited to be able to bring author, Betsy Evans to our area for our keynote presentation, and she has even agreed to provide a follow up workshop for those who want to learn more about her strategies and research.

Author Betsy Evans is an Educational Consultant for the High/Scope Educational Research Foundation. She is a Conflict Resolution Specialist, training early childhood teachers, administrators and parents as well as a Behavior Consultant for public schools. She received her B.S. in Elementary Education and M.ED. in Early Childhood and is a founding officer and president of the Giving Tree School, a non-profit educational organization. She was a teacher/director for 23 years, and has been providing trainings for educators and parents since 1989. Betsy raised 3 sons and now has 3 very active granddaughters. The time spent consulting in classrooms, time with her granddaughters, as well as with the children at Giving Tree, keep her problem-solving skills fresh. Her belief in children's ability to grow and change sustains her high expectations of what teachers and parents must do to support them. Her two books, "You Can't Come to My Birthday Party" and "You're Not My Friend Anymore" will be available for purchase the day of the conference.



2012 EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS' FALL CONFERENCE

October 20 2012 ~ Registration Form

****Complete a separate registration form for each participant****



Name _____ Program _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

(PRINT LEGIBLY - a confirmation of your registration will be sent to your valid email address)

Registration for Keynote Speaker ONLY 7:30am—9:45 am: (includes continental breakfast) - \$25 \$ _____

Full Registration includes: Keynote Presentation, two workshops, continental breakfast, and lunch

Student Registration —\$30 \$ _____



Students must include a copy of your photo student ID from a high school or college valid for the Fall 2012 semester

Early Bird Registration—\$50

Must be postmarked or hand-delivered to the Child Care Council by Monday October 1

\$ _____

General Registration—\$60

Must be postmarked or hand-delivered to the Child Care Council by Friday October 12_

\$ _____

Late Registration (rec'd after October 12, 2012 and Walk-Ins) —\$70

\$ _____

If you decide to register the day of the conference, **Late Registration** payment of **\$70** is required.

EIP: If you do not have a signed EIP award, payment must be submitted with your registration form. Once your grant has been awarded, forward the signed EIP award to us and you will be reimbursed.

Payment Options: check, cash, money order or signed EIP award.

Please make checks payable to Cornell Cooperative Extension

PLEASE CIRCLE 1st and 2nd CHOICE IN EACH WORKSHOP SESSION

Session 1-First Workshop (10:00 am—11:30 am):

First choice: 1 2

Second choice: 1 2

3 -part 1 (continued in session 2, workshop 3)

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Session 2- Second Workshop (12:30 pm—2:00 pm):

First choice: 1 2

Second choice: 1 2

3 -part 2 (continued from session 1 workshop 3)

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NOTE: Workshops are filled on a first come, first served basis.

Once a workshop is filled, you will be placed in your subsequent choice.

A minimum of 5 participants must be signed up in advance for a workshop to be held.

Return completed registration form and payment to:

Cornell Cooperative Extension, Child Care Council 121 Second St, Oriskany NY 13424

For more information, contact the Child Care Council at (315) 223-7850 ext 236

****EDUCATIONAL INCENTIVE PROGRAM (EIP) FUNDING IS AVAILABLE TO HELP PAY FOR**

THE COST OF THIS CONFERENCE. APPLY ONLINE AT WWW.TSG.SUNY.EDU**



WORKSHOP SESSION 1

(10:00 am to 11:30 am)

select one workshop from this session -

1: “CONSCIOUS DISCIPLINE PROJECT OVERVIEW” 1.5 hrs training credit in topic areas 1 & 3

Presented by Nicole Dillon, Child Care Council

Help! This Isn't What I Signed Up For!

Throughout time, it seems that the #1 concern of those who teach and care for young children is how to manage difficult behavior. Using the framework of Conscious Discipline, this workshop is designed to help you learn the skills and acquire the strategies to help you every day with children in your program. The best part is that you will be eligible to receive help from council staff who will mentor, model and coach you to success! Join us and get started to happier program, contented children and a calmer workday!

2: “EXPLORE!” WITH THE EYES OF A CHILD!

3: 1.5 hrs training credit in topic area 3

Presented by Ellen Olson, Child Care Council

Did you ever have a certain lesson plan in mind, only to have that “teachable moment” occur that took you in a whole new direction?

That is a good thing! And this workshop is more of that good thing....it will transport you back to be that inquisitive little child you once were, to a time when you could explore something of interest in depth without the fear of being wrong! Learn to use the strategy of following a child's natural interest and wonder to painlessly incorporate the concepts of math, literacy, technology, consequences and science into your programming.

3: “BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES — PART 1” 1.5 hrs training credit in topic areas 1 & 3

Presented by Betsy Evans, Conflict Resolution Specialist, HighScope Consultant

As adults working with young children, we often encounter conflict. Without tools to help children work through conflict, such incidents can be frustrating for both children and adults. Often, it is not clear what happened, what the underlying issues are, or what is the most effective way to respond. This workshop will teach a range of skills for working with children in conflict. The aim is such disputes to become positive and rich learning experiences for both children and adults.





WORKSHOP SESSION 2

(12:30 pm to 2:00 pm)

- select one workshop from this session -

1. “MORE THAN PARENT COMMUNICATION: DEVELOPING A MEANINGFUL PARTNERSHIP”

1.5 hrs training credit in topic area 4

Presented by Arlene Brouillette, Child Care Council

You both want what is best for the children, so why isn't parent communication easier? Come to this interactive workshop to learn about “steps”: using the *Attachment Triangle*, intentional teaching principles and exploring the ten “p”s of parent communication. Using a combination of lecture, real-life experiences, and small group activities, participants will leave with a better understanding about the concerns of parents, different strategies to try and ways to make their program and setting more family friendly. A meaningful relationship with parents will result in happier children, a more productive team approach and a calmer you!

2: “MATH FOR ALL AGES”

1.5 hrs training credit in topic areas 1 & 3

Presented by Richelle Singer, Child Care Council

Are you a math-phobic? Does teaching math to children seem scary? Then this is the training for you! Come to this hands-on workshop and learn new and fun ways to teach math that makes it come alive. You will walk away from this training with plenty of handouts and activities you can use immediately. This training is appropriate for all child care professionals as well as parents.

3: “BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES—PART 2”

1.5 hrs training credit in topic areas 1 & 3

Presented by Betsy Evans, Conflict Resolution Specialist, HighScope Consultant

During the workshop participants will have the opportunity to

- Learn strategies to diffuse or prevent conflicts
- Discover and practice problem-solving approaches to conflict
- Develop awareness of one's own feelings and beliefs when mediating conflicts
- View video clips from actual classroom conflicts
- Learn how to:
 - Respond to strong feelings evoked by conflicts
 - Support children to devise their own solutions to problems



Betsy will facilitate the creation of a “brain”, and its many connections, in order to actively demonstrate to participants the effect of supportive strategies on learning. Betsy also will offer opportunities to practice newly learned problem-solving strategies.





Conference Notes: Please, no requests for refunds.

The conference registration fee is non-refundable.

- Please select your workshop choices carefully. Workshops will be filled on a first come, first served basis. You will not be allowed to alter your schedule on the day of the conference. Training certificates will only be issued for the workshops you were scheduled to attend.
- Child care professionals may qualify for Educational Incentive Program (EIP) funding to help pay for the registration fee for the conference. You can apply for EIP directly online at www.tsg.suny.edu. Or, for more information call EIP at 800-295-9616.
- **A total of 4.5** training hours can be earned. You will receive an individual training certificate following each workshop. Professional development topic areas include:
 - 1—Principles of Childhood Development
 - 2—Nutrition and the Health Needs of Children
 - 3—Child Day Care Program Development
 - 4—Safety and Security Procedures
 - 5—Business Record Maintenance & Management
 - 6—Child Abuse & Maltreatment Identification & Prevention
 - 7—Statutes and Regulations Pertaining to Child Care
 - 8—Statutes and Regulations Pertaining to Child Abuse
 - 9—Shaken Baby Syndrome



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