



## A Word from our President



Emily Nasca, CAAEYC President

Dear Friends,

The Week of The Young Child Banquet was only 4 months ago, but I'm sure everyone has been very busy since then. We had the tornado in April, our busy summer schedules and lots of heat!

As we begin to start another school year, I think I am more excited than my students and definitely more excited than my own children.

The volunteer board of CAAEYC has been busy as well.

We are thrilled about this year's Fall Conference at Boyd Buchanan on September 17th that includes lunch for all. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to visit, share and network with other early childhood professionals. Our Director's Council will be back to its meetings and CPR classes are scheduled through 2011.

We are so blessed to have an amazing amount of talented early childhood professionals in our area that are always willing to help or mentor. If you find yourself with a question remember to call the CCR&R office, or check our website with information and board members emails, [www.chattaeyc.org](http://www.chattaeyc.org).

Also the state conference will convene in Memphis this year. It will be in October; looks terrific. Go to [www.TAEYC.org](http://www.TAEYC.org) for great articles and information or [www.NAEYC.org](http://www.NAEYC.org). In 2012 we will have the state conference in Murfreesboro and the NAEYC conference in Atlanta!

"There is a brilliant child locked inside every student." Marva Collins.

Sincerely,

Emily Nasca, CAAEYC President

## World of Technology Changes Every Day

The CAAEYC Board is considering sending all newsletters via e-mail or on the web site. This is the most economical way to send information to members. Many organizations have moved from hard copies of information to modern means of communication and it may be time for CAAEYC to do the same. If we do not have your e-mail address, now is the time to send an e-mail to [Felisa\\_walker@signalcenters.org](mailto:Felisa_walker@signalcenters.org) requesting to be added to the e-mail list. This year three items will be mailed: election ballot, conference newsletter and WOYC newsletter. Let us know what you think, your concerns or questions.

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### Upcoming Events

• SEPT 18, 2011 -

IMAGINATION LIBRARY BIRTHDAY PARTY @ WARNER PARK FROM 2:00 UNTIL 4:00 PM

• OCTOBER 12TH THRU 15TH

TAEYC ANNUAL CONFERENCE IN MEMPHIS, TN

• NOVEMBER 2ND THRU 5TH IN ORLANDO, FL

NAEYC ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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## **Annual CAAEYC Fall Conference**

Get excited for a great day of learning new and innovative ideas to use in your classroom. Presenters will share a variety of make and takes, ways to manage your classroom to help decrease challenging behaviors, ideas for maximizing positive relationships with children and much, much more!!! We look forward to seeing you there.

### ***CAAEYC 2011 Fall Conference***

Where: Boyd Buchanan Elementary

4626 Bonnieway Drive, Chattanooga, TN 37411

The doors will open @ 7:30a.m.

Refreshments will be available for purchase from 7:30 until 8:30 p.m.

Box lunches are included in the price of registration.



The 2011 CAAEYC Fall Conference will end with a General Session led by Mary LaBianca and Susanne Burgess from the Southeast Center for Education in the Arts (SCEA). As early childhood educators, we know the cognitive, social, and emotional benefits of participating in quality artistic activities. In this session, Ms. LaBianca and Ms. Burgess will lead participants in creative expression focused on the universal languages of music and dance. You will be able to translate this experience directly from the workshop to the classroom!

# CAAAYC FALL CONFERENCE

**When : Saturday, September 17, 2011**

**Where: Boyd Buchanan Elementary, 4626 Bonnieway Drive, Chattanooga, TN 37411**

<b>SCHEDULE:</b>	<b>8:00 - 8:30 -REGISTRATION</b>	<b>11:50 - 12:20 - LUNCH</b>
	<b>8:30 - 9:30 -SESSION I</b>	<b>12:20 - 1:20 -SESSION IV</b>
	<b>9:40 -10:40 -SESSION II</b>	<b>1:30 - 2:30 -GENERAL SESSION/DOOR PRIZES</b>
	<b>10:50 - 11:50 -SESSION III</b>	

## REGISTRATION FORM

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **MEMBERSHIP NO.** \_\_\_\_\_

**CENTER/SETTING** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE NO.** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_ **AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE CHECK ONE:**      \_\_\_\_\_ **MEMBER \$30.00**      \_\_\_\_\_ **NON MEMBER \$40.00**

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: CAAEYC**

**Mail Registration Form and Check to: CAAEYC, 2300 Bailey Ave. Chattanooga, TN 37404**

**Things to know about before attending this conference:**

- **To allow attendees to have the program prior to attending the conference, and to reduce the cost, the program will be on the website on Wednesday, Sept. 15th. You will not be given a program the day of the conference. Copies will be on posters in the Registration area and hallways.**
- **Verifications forms will be given to attendees when nametags are picked up. A nametag is necessary to enter sessions. The hostess will put a sticker on this verification at the end of the session. Please do not ask for more than one sticker. Samples of the verification form, with appropriate stickers, will be given to licensing counselors.**
- **Arrive early! Some sessions will fill up quickly and only those arriving early will have a seat.**
- **Park only in designated parking areas. The community around the school is residential. Please respect their space.**
- **Turn off cell phones. Please do NOT bring children.**
- **Refreshments will be available for purchases between 7:30 and 8:30.**

**BOX LUNCHESES WILL BE PROVIDED AT THE LUNCH BREAK.**

- **Completing the evaluation is important to the Planning Committee. A copy will be given to the presenter.**
- **Take time to visit the exhibitors. They will have various items for purchase, classroom materials and some personal items.**

**For more information call the CAAEYC office @ 423-629-4174 or fax us at 423-629 4653. Please do NOT call Boyd Buchanan. They have been great to share their space but they are not responsible for the details of this conference.**

# CAAAYC MARGARET HEYER AWARD

DEADLINE: September 1, 2011

This award offers \$400.00 for a person new in the field of early childhood education to attend the Tennessee Association for the Education of Young Children (TAEYC), Annual Conference. This conference will be in Memphis, Tennessee, on October 12th thru October 15th at the Memphis Hilton. For more info, check out the website, [www.TAEYC.org](http://www.TAEYC.org).

## **Criteria for award recipient:**

1. Recipient must live in the greater Chattanooga area.
2. This must be the first time to attend the TAEYC Conference.
3. Must work with children under 6 years of age as a teacher or director of a program or providing support service.
4. Member in CAAEYC is optional.
5. Recipient is expected to attend the entire conference.

**Please fax or send your application or nomination to : CAAEYC , 2300 Bailey Avenue Chattanooga, TN 37404. Telephone:423-629-4174 Fax 423-629-4653**

## Application

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you worked in the field of early childhood? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your present job: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been at your present job? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had other experience with preschool programs? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you attended the TAEYC Conference in the past? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you hope to gain from attending the Conference? \_\_\_\_\_

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# CPR / FIRST AID

The **September, October and November** CPR / First Aid Classes are scheduled for:

**Saturday, September 10, 2011,  
Saturday, October 15, 2011 and  
Saturday, November 12, 2011**

at We R CPR  
5959 Shallowford Road Suite 212 Chattanooga, TN 37421  
Register **early** as the classes are limited and fill up quickly



▪ **All classes are at 8:00 am to 1:30 pm** ▪

All CPR & First Aid Classes are \$35.00  
(No Refunds)

**Make checks payable to CAAAYC**  
(Write in the memo area of your check which date you want to attend.)

## CPR/First Aid Changes

- Participant must be pre-registered. Only those pre-registered will be certified.
- No substitutions can be made within 24 hours prior to start of training.
- Must receive CPR and First Aid.
- Must be on time.
  
- **In order to be registered, your money must be paid in advance.**
- **Class begins promptly at 8:00 am.**
- **If you attend in someone's place, please know the name of the person you are replacing.**

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[www.chattaaeyc.org](http://www.chattaaeyc.org)

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