CAMP GWC
Growing With Children
Conference for anyone connected to young children

March 28, 2020
Wichita, KS

Special Keynote
“MISTER B”
Dr. Anthony Broughton

Presented By: LIFESAVER LEARNING, INC.
A conference for all people that work with young children: child care providers, teachers and directors as well as elementary & preschool teachers.

Up to 6 Hours of KDHE Approved In-Service, National Speakers, Exhibit Hall

Saturday, March 28, 2020
Central Community Church
6100 W Maple, Wichita
Check-in 7:00-8:00 am, Conference ends at 4:00

YOU COULD ATTEND FREE!
Learn more at childstart.org/camp-gwc on how to attend free

FOOD
Light Breakfast, Snacks and Lunch Included!

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Free Backpack to All Day Participants and Shirts for Sale!

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Door Prizes, Games, and $1 Raffles!

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Dr. Anthony Broughton, affectionately known as MiSTER B is a multi-talented, nationally recognized speaker, trainer, and leader in education. His interactive, energized, intentional and culturally informed approaches to delivering messages leave attendees inspired. His passion and commitment for equity and excellence in education is radiant!

Turning Up The Excellence In Children
What a way to start the morning!!! Join us to watch "The letters get down" with Mister B! Attendees will learn multi-sensory approaches to foster learning across all domains using culturally responsive music to engage children in literacy development. Classroom examples, with supporting research, will be shared with attendees.

8:00 am - 9:30 am - Keynote/Exhibitor Only Passes $30!

OTHER FEATURED SESSIONS

Charmaine Erwin is joining us all the way from California to share her expertise with us. You can find her session, Love to Move, Move to Learn with Zoophonics during session 3!

Cassandra O’Neill, co-author of Five Elements of Collective Leadership is traveling from Colorado to present two sessions of the Leadership Track in Session 3 and 4!

LEADERSHIP TRACK
Aimed at Directors, owners, and those in leadership roles: Attend one or all of the Leadership sessions offered just for you! Sponsored by ECDO.
SESSION 2 Trainings
10:00 am - 11:30 am

A Setting the Stage For Learning
Anthony Broughton “Mister B”
Learning environments and caregiver dispositions set the tone for optimal learning opportunities. Attendees will learn about essential environmental elements that foster development across all domains. Maslow’s hierarchy of needs theory will set the foundation for this presentation.

B Build-a-Question Workshop: Teaching Children to Create Good Science Questions
Laurel Zhang, Exploration Place
Early learners ask questions constantly. They do this for a good reason. They want to learn how the world works. They want answers. Good science starts with an idea and a good question, the beginning stages of the scientific method. Using open ended science questions provides the means for children to get evidence or answers to their ideas or questions. In this training, participants will learn techniques to help children building good science questions leading to a more stimulating and engaging classroom environment.

C Bottles, Binkies, Thumbs, and Teeth: Helping Kids Through Tough Transitions
Kathy Hunt, Oral Health Kansas
There are so many questions about these topics! “How can I help parents with these transitions…relieving teething pain, weaning from bottle or breast, kicking the thumb or pacifier habit?” Come join this fast paced and interactive presentation to learn the answers.

D Compassionate Consequences with Love and Logic
Matt Gallagher, Restoration Counseling and Consultation, P.A.
The Love and Logic approach provides research-based, time-tested strategies for managing behavior at all ages. Learn a new way of interacting to remove power struggles and teach responsibility to the children in your care.

E Activate Children's Learning Through Puppetry
Amy Woolf, Arts Partners
Children learn best when they are actively engaged in experiences using multiple senses and having fun! In this highly participatory workshop, Amy Woolf, a Wolf Trap Teaching Artist, will demonstrate how she leads students in puppetry, movement and drama experiences to help them understand various curricular topics.

F Social Media Starter Kit
Emily Rishel, Kansas Small Business Development Center
This workshop will provide a birds-eye-view of social media options such as Facebook, Instagram, and LinkedIn. You will walk away with the ability to decide which social media site to use and be able to create or update your business’ online presence.

View updates on exhibitors and more online at www.childstart.org/camp-gwc

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SESSION 3 Trainings
12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

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Love to Move, Move to Learn with Zoophonics!  
Charmaine Erwin, Zoo Phonics
The session will present an introduction to the Zoo-phonics methodology. Attendees will learn how to teach their students the alphabet at the same time they are developing their motor skills. Learn many physical games that tie into language arts; including Zoo-Robics!

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Meaningful Math: Using Music to Support and Reinforce Math Concepts
Anthony Broughton “Mister B”
"Turn Up" while fostering math skills. Music can be instrumental in how a child's brain is structured. In this session, you will learn culturally responsive approaches to foster the learning of math concepts with musical support. You will leave with concrete examples and strategies to support children with mathematics across the curriculum.

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What is Kindergarten Readiness and How Can I Help?
Cindy Hadicke, KSDE
Do you really understand the Kansas Vision for Kindergarten Readiness? In this session, we will explore ways that home providers, Pre-K programs, and families can help with this state vision. This session will offer common sense ideas for increasing vocabulary, read-aloud strategies, and oral language games to play with children that are getting ready to enter Kindergarten.

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Personality Informed Child-Care
Matt Gallagher, Restoration Counseling and Consultation, P.A.
We are all unique and each of our children are different than the other. Research has also revealed patterns in how each of us perceive the world, communicate, and receive motivation. In this training, we will discuss how this research can be used to help children be successful in life. Participants will learn to recognize each child's pattern of language and motivation to help children grow and develop.

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Making Books Come Alive with Theatre, Dance and Rhythm!
Pamela Lamont, Arts Partners
Arts integration is a critical component to cognitive, social, emotional, and physical development. Join Arts Partners Wolf Trap artist, Pamela Lamont, and learn how to incorporate the arts into education to create a deeper, more meaningful learning experience. In this training, you will learn how to take characters from a book with Theatre, Dance, to Rhythm and bring them alive in the classroom. Leave with new creative tools in your teacher toolbox.

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Leadership for Change: Moving from Ideas to Action
Cassandra O'Neill, Leadership Alchemy LLC
This session will invite participants to explore the beliefs and values they have about leadership and tap into their leadership aspirations. Building on this, participants will design experiments to try new things to move toward their aspirations with others.

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Rocking and Rolling with Routines  
Anthony Broughton “Mister B”
Music is a powerful tool. In this session, you will learn how to support children in holistic ways using music as an approach to engagement. Implementing these approaches support children with consistent and age appropriate routines.

Raising Grateful Children in an Entitled World  
Janet Davidson, Cowley Community College
If a sense of entitlement is plaguing your program, center, or family; it’s never too late to make a change. Making gratitude a part of your culture through relationship building, setting realistic expectations and identifying individual needs of your children is the key. In this session, we will go over 7 tools to fight back the entitlement plague.

8 to Great  
Patty Stuever, 8 to Great
This workshops provides an overview of the 8 High-Ways from the 8 to Great transformational book. We will be discussing how to use the forgiveness formula for releasing past hurts and mistakes, having a positive attitude, working to break through negative patterns, and starting each day with a gracious mind. You will leave with a "recipe for success" as we discover how to take back and keep your power!

"We’re ALL Early Childhood Stakeholders" - Strengthening Early Childhood in Kansas  
Amanda Petersen, KSDE
Kansas has an exciting opportunity to shape our state's future direction for early childhood. This training will give insight into partnerships across systems and agencies for early childhood support and services. Come join the conversation about what Kansans have shared, where Kansas is headed, and how you can get engaged! We must all be actively engaged to make a difference for the lives of Kansas children.

We All Have Mental Health  
Mental Health Association
The most common childhood mental disorders are anxiety, depression, and attention deficit disorders. Although less common, developmental disorders and psychotic disorders in children can have a lifelong impact on the child and his or her family. Learn the signs and symptoms of mental illness in children and interventions to minimize the distressing effects for school-aged children and adolescents.

Do You Want to Love Feedback?  
Cassandra O’Neill, Leadership Alchemy LLC
Feedback is essential to growth. In this session participants will learn the fundamentals of how to give and receive feedback, which supports growth and development. Useful feedback is transformative and will help you find solutions for things that have been a mystery.
How to Register:

1. Select which trainings you would like to attend each session.
2. Purchase a membership if you would like to save money. Can be done online or over the phone.
3. Register online or by calling Child Start.

Prices:

Purchase early to save money!

Lunch is included in price.

All registrations, whether online or by phone will also include the Eventbrite system fee. Checks can be accepted by phone.

Sorry, no refunds. If you want to exchange names on a registration please do so before March 15.

Membership:

Save money and many other benefits!

Child Start Memberships can be purchased online or by phone. Starting at $30 for individuals and $60 for centers.

FULL SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE!!!

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