

Committee Members

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Special Thanks To:

Opening Ceremony
George Goggeye Sr.

*Opening Ceremony &
Lunch Entertainment*
Cass Lake/Bena
Drum & Dance Troupe

Welcome Address & Closing Remarks
Lee Turney
Early Childhood Program Director

Keynote Presentation
Mary Vanderwert
Head Start Collaboration Director

Dawn Van Hees
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Coordinator

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Audrey Wuori, Nutrition Education
Mary May, Public Health Nurse
Leech Lake Health Division

Tara Geshick
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Joan Mick
Spring Lake Park High School
Project EXCEPTIONAL trainer

Mark Rogers
Leech Lake Tribal Police Department
Investigator & FBI Task Force

Jean DuFault
Fond Du Lac Social Services
Positive Indian Parenting Trainer

LEECH LAKE EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT



presents

*“Strengthening our Future
through Early Childhood
& Community Awareness”*

Saturday
April 12, 2008 (8:00 AM - 4:30 PM)

LOCATION
Cass Lake/Bena High School
15308 State Highway 371 N.W.
Cass Lake, MN

Vendors on location

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**LEECH LAKE
EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT
ANNUAL CONFERENCE
April 12, 2008**

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

8:00 am - 9:00 am	<i>Registration & Continental Breakfast</i>
8:30 am - 9:00 am	<i>Welcome Address & Opening Prayer (Multi-Culture)</i>
9:00 am- 10:00 am (1 hr)	<i>Keynote/Mary Vanderwert</i>
10:00 am - 10:15 am	<i>Break/Visit Vendors</i>
10:15 am - 12:15 pm (2 hrs.)	<i>Session I</i>
12:15 pm - 1:00 pm	<i>Lunch & Entertainment</i>
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm (1.5 hrs)	<i>Session II</i>
2:30 pm - 2:45 pm	<i>Break/Visit Vendors</i>
2:45 pm - 4:15 pm (1.5 hrs.)	<i>Session III</i>
4:15 pm - 4:30 pm	<i>Closing Remarks & Door Prizes</i>

A limited number of hotel rooms are available for conference participants the night prior to &/or the night of the conference at the rate of \$55.00 per night.

Reserving and expenses of hotel accommodations are the participants responsibility.

To obtain these conference rates you need make your reservations by April 1, 2008 with the Palace Casino Hotel @ 1-800-442-3910 or (218) 335-8935 The block of rooms is reserved under "Leech Lake Early Childhood"

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____

Check one topic for each session (topics & times subject to change)

BREAKOUT SESSION I

10:15 am - 12:15 pm

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brain Development | - | Dawn Van Hees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emotional Intelligences | - | Mary Vanderwert |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Identifying Autism | - | Joan Mick |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Getting Sneaky with Food | - | Roxanne Johnson & Audrey Wuori |

BREAK OUT SESSION II

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Child's Brain Development | - | Dawn Van Hees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gang/Methamphetamine | - | Weeds & Seeds |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fetal Alcohol Syndrome/Effects | - | Mary May |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tradition Behavior Management | - | Jean DuFault |

BREAK OUT SESSION III

2:45 pm - 4:15 pm

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brain Development (repeat/Comb) | - | Dawn Van Hees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gang/Methamphetamine (repeat) | - | Weeds & Seeds |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lead in toys & Effects on Children | - | Tara Geshick |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Harmony in Child Rearing | - | Jean DuFault |

COMPLETE REGISTRATION FORM & ATTACH CHECK OR MONEY ORDER (\$10.00 PER PERSON).

MAIL TO:

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Attention: Diane Smith

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Cass Lake, MN 56633

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Pre-registration deadline is April 1, 2008

On-site registration will be available only if slots are available.