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TO: School District Superintendents
School Principals
Educators
Business Managers
Curriculum Coordinators
Federal Program Managers
Special Education Directors
Computer/Technology Coordinators
Assessment Coordinators
WISE Coordinators

FROM: Sheryl Lain, Instructional Leader of Student Learning

DATE: April 30, 2012

SUBJECT: Summer Camp 2012

INFORMATION TO SHARE

The 2012 Summer Camp, sponsored by the Wyoming Department of Education, will be held August 6-10 at Casper College's Physical Science Center. Attached is a copy of the five-day agenda.

Registration is \$50 per person (free to parents and students). For more information regarding the conference and registration, please visit our website:

http://edu.wyoming.gov/Programs/2012_Summer_Camp.aspx.

A block of rooms has been reserved at each of the hotels listed below. Each location has a limited number of rooms available for a discounted rate. Please mention the Wyoming Department of Education, Summer Camp, when making your reservation.

- La Quinta Inn, 400 West F. Street, 307-265-1200
- Hampton Inn & Suites, 1100 North Poplar, 307-235-6668
- Courtyard Marriott, 4260 Hospitality Lane, 307-473-2600
- Hilton Garden Inn, 1150 N. Poplar, 307- 266-1300

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Attachment

WDE Summer Camp Agenda
August 6 – August 10, 2012
Casper, Wyoming

Day 1
Monday, August 6, 2012

Federal Programs

8:00 - 4:30: Registration

8:00 - 10:00: Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 9:30: Keynote Address – State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Cindy Hill

9:45 - 10:45: **Session 1**

- Title III/WIDA Updates (2 hrs)
- Title I Updates
- WDE Institutional Schools Updates
- Homeless Grant News
- WDE Data Collections

10:45 - 11:00: Break

11:00 - 12:00: **Session 2**

- Title III/WIDA Updates (cont'd)
- Carl D. Perkins Act Career Tech. Education Updates
- Title II-A News
- Title I, Part D for Institutional Schools
- A Guide to Allowable Special Education Expenses of the 401 Reimbursement Request
- School Improvement Indistar Demo

12:00 - 1:30: Lunch (on your own)

1:30 - 3:30: **Session 3**

- Consolidated Grants Updates, Deadlines and Monitoring

Break: 3:30 - 3:45

3:45 - 4:45: **Session 4**

- SIG 1003(g) Grant Updates
- Title I, Part D for School Districts

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Day 2
Tuesday, August 7, 2012

Digital Learning (Draft)

8:00 - 4:30: Registration

8:00 - 10:00: Continental Breakfast

8:00 - 10:00: Key Note Speaker – London Jenks

10:00 - 10:50: **Session 1**

- Sharing Best Practices Implementing Technology
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- Digital Educators - Breeze Daniels
- Teachers & Technology Mini Grant

10:50 - 11:00: Break

10:00 - 12:00:

- Interactive Session with London Jenks
- Assessment Resource Tool (A.R.T.)
- Assistive Technology for Students with Disabilities: Device Display and Demonstration

11:00 - 11:50: **Session 2**

- Sharing Best Practices
- Technology for Thinking and Learning
- Bringing Cooperative Learning to Distance Education
- State Educational Technology Plan, Element 1 – Staff/Professional Development
- Creating Heroes & Saving the World: Gamifying Your Classroom
- Teachers in Technology Mini Grant
- Teachers in Technology Mini Grant

12:00 - 1:00: Lunch (on your own)

1:00 - 3:00: Room 103 – Creating Wyoming's 21st Century Workforce

3:00 - 3:50: **Session 3**

- Starting a Professional Learning Network (PLN)
- Technology Boot Camp: Center that Engages Students
- State Educational Technology Plan, Element 2- Curriculum Integration
- Making Interactive eBooks with Apples iBooks Author (Don't worry; it's easy, too!)
- Teachers in Technology Mini Grant

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3:50 - 4:00: Break

3:00 - 5:00:

- Assessment Resource Tool (A.R.T.) Interactive Session
- Assistive Technology for Students with Disabilities: Device Display and Demonstration

4:00 - 4:50: **Session 4**

- Poddy Training: iPads and iPods in Early Childhood Education
- State Educational Technology Plan, Element 3 – Network Connectivity in and Between Schools, Communities, and Between State and the World with Equal Access to Educational Instruction and Information
- Be the Star of Your Classroom: Creating Teacher Made Videos for Teaching, Learning, and Communications
- Teachers in Technology Mini Grant

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Day 3
Wednesday, August 8, 2012

Literacy

8:00 - 4:30: Registration

8:00 - 10:00: Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 9:30: Gary Paulsen - Durham Theater

9:30 - 10:00: Book Signing and Break

10:00 - 10:45: Balanced Literacy Presentation – Barbara Schubert

10:45 - 11:00: Break

11:00 - 12:00: How Does Balanced Literacy Look? – Barbara Schubert

12:00 - 1:15: Lunch on Your Own

1:15 - 2:15: **Session 1 – Assessment and Running Records**

- Assessment IF -K for Preschool
- Running Records K-3
- Running Records 5-12

2:15 - 2:30: Break

2:30 - 3:30: **Session 2 – Guided Reading**

- Preschool Language/Dual Language
- K-2 Guided Reading
- 3-5 Guided Reading
- 6-12 Guided Reading

3:30 - 3:45: Break

3:45 - 4:45: **Session 3 – Guided Reading 2**

- Family Engagement
- K-2 Guided Reading
- 3-5 Guided Reading
- 6-12 Guided Reading

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Day 4
Thursday, August 9, 2012

Literacy/Numeracy

8:00 - 4:30: Registration

8:00 - 10:00: Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 9:00: First Lady Carol Mead – Early Childhood Reading Initiative - Durham Theater
Elizabeth from Hanna Elementary, Young Author's winner

9:00 - 9:15: Break

9:15 - 10:00: Wyoming Author/Kids' Discussion

10:00 - 11:00: **Session 1**

- Literacy through the Curriculum Preschool
- Reading Workshop 7-12
- Reading Workshop K-2
- Reading Workshop 3-6

11:00 - 11:15: Break

11:15 - 12:15: **Session 2**

- Preschool Overview of School Readiness/Standards Correlation
- Writing Workshop 7-12
- Writing Workshop K-2
- Writing Workshop 3-6

12:15 - 1:30: Lunch (on your own)

1:30 - 2:15: Math Knowledge

2:15 - 2:45: **Session 3**

- Accelerated Math in Number Sense Through Run Activities Preschool
- Math Primary
- Math Secondary
- NAEP Update

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2:45 - 3:00: Break

3:00 - 4:00: **Session 4**

- Preschool Project-Based Learning
- Math Primary
- Math Secondary

3:00 - 5:00: Rtl in the Middle School: Lessons Learned

4:00 - 4:15: Break

4:15 - 5:15: **Session 5**

- Preschool Celebration and Share
- Math Primary
- Math Secondary

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Day 5
Friday, August 10, 2012

Instructional Support

8:00 - 10:00: Registration / Continental Breakfast

8:00 – 11:30:

- What's Working in Wyoming Special Education: Success Stories – Elementary
- What's Working in Wyoming Special Education: Success Stories - Secondary
- Statewide System of Support

8:00 - 9:00: **Session 1**

- Update of Statewide Accountability Implementation
- The Importance of Breakfast in the Classroom
- Laying the Foundation for Academic Success: Response to Intervention for Academics and Behavior
- Wyoming Trust Fund Grant
- Certified Personnel Evaluation Systems

9:00 - 9:15: Break

9:15 - 10:15: **Session 2**

- Assessment Design, Assessment Futures
- Increasing School Safety Through Character Education and Mentoring Strategies
- District Accreditation
- Math & Science Integration & Inquiry Learning in the Elementary Classroom
- Statewide System of Support

10:15 - 10:30: Break

10:30 - 11:30: **Session 3**

- Standards Revision Updates
- Laying the Foundation for Academic Success: Response to Intervention for Academics and Behavior
- Anti-Bullying Strategies in Wyoming
- Math & Science Integration & Inquiry Learning in the Middle School/Junior High School Classroom
- Statewide System of Support