FINAL SESSION OF FULFORD YOUTH LEADERSHP ACADEMY HELD

Fifty exceptional 10th, 11th, and 12th graders from David Emanuel Academy, Emanuel County Institute, and Swainsboro High School recently completed the final session of the 2016-17 Fulford Youth Leadership Academy. University of Georgia Extension staff members, Angie Daughtry and Marnie Dekle, led students through the Youth Leadership in Action© curriculum developed by the University of Georgia's J.W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development. With objectives to build individual leadership skills, foster positive group dynamics, and increase civic and community involvement, the curriculum has a simultaneous concentration on both youth development and youth leadership, two critical principles to the successful transition from adolescence to adulthood.



5TH ANNUAL EGSC SCHOLASTIC CHESS INVITATIONAL HELD

Twenty-three ardent chess players from Richmond, Chatham, Candler, Emanuel, and Toombs County participated in the 5th Annual East Georgia State College Scholastic Chess Invitational Tournament held April 15. Competition was fierce, and the final award winners were 1st place-Chance Carroll of Savannah, 2nd place-Kasey Bruner of Statesboro, and 3rd place-Isaac Bittner of Statesboro. Section winners included Esmeralda Hernandez of Swainsboro, Gaige Brantley and Sukumar Paidi, both of Vidalia, Blake Librizzi of Twin City, and Kassandra Osterbuhr of Augusta. Jay Youngblood , Mike Lisenby, and Jim Beall coordinated the rated tournament.





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OUR MISSION

By providing an environment where learning opportunities take place and community relationships are enriched, the Sudie A. Fulford Community Learning Center will develop individual capacity and improve the quality of life for Swainsboro and Emanuel County.

OUR GOALS Education Civic Engagement Hospitality UPCOMING EVENTS

MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Summer is just around the corner, and we have a summer of adventure and discovery planned at the Fulford Center! Summer camp is a special place where excitement fills the day, new skills are learned, and new friends are made. A variety of summer camps and mini-camps are scheduled, and we hope you will plan to join us for one or more activities. Feel free to contact us for more information.

- May 1 & 2---2nd Grade EGSC Experience
- May 8---New Faith Christian Academy PREP Visitation
- May 9---Emanuel Co. Joint Comprehensive Planning Committee Meeting Total Wellness Series Lunch & Learn, Part 2
- May 11---Emanuel County Family Connection Meeting
- May 15---SES/TCE Chess Tournament
- May 16---Swainsboro Middle PREP Visitation
- May 19---Swainsboro Middle PREP Visitation

Alumni & Friends Lunch and Learn

May 26---GSU Partnership for Rural Health Meeting

SUDIE A. FULFORD COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTER at East Georgia State College



STEM DISCOVERY CAMP JUNE 19-22 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM RISING GRADES: 3-5 COST: \$125

During this unique four-day camp, students will take part in the following **Discovery Tracks: Engineering &** Technology, Medicine & Technology Environmental Science, and Planning for Success. GYSTC STEM Discovery Camp is the perfect opportunity for young and curious minds to explore the frontiers of 21st century science and technology. Maximum: 20

TRAVEL THROUGH TIME art camp JUNE 26-28 9:00 AM - NOON

RISING GRADES: 3-5 COST: \$50 Step into our time travel machine each day of camp. We will arrive at a new place in art history and create works inspired by various artists. Each day will focus on a new artist. From Calder to Mondrian, O'Keefe to Nevelson, campers will explore new artistic styles and mediums. We will create both two and three dimensional works using both traditional and unconventional art materials. This camp is provided through a partnership with Emanuel Arts Council and the Averitt Center for the Arts. Maximum: 36

CAMP ADVENTURE VI

JOIN US AT

JUNE 5-8 8:30 AM - NOON RISING GRADES: 3-5 Cost: \$25 One of our most requested camps, Camp Adventure is truly an adventure, and this year's camp will be one of the best ever! There will be plenty of hands-on activities, as well as opportunities to explore and enjoy the outdoors. Many challenging and exciting activities will strengthen the campers appreciation for teamwork. If your child loves action, then Camp Adventure is the perfect camp experience! Maximum: 22

INTERMEDIATE/ ADVANCED CHESS CAMP JULY 10-13 8:30 AM - NOON

COST: \$25 This camp is for chess enthusiasts who have developed tactical and strategic skills. The camp will cover chess strategy, beginning with generally-known strategic chess principles and then moving to more sophisticated strategic patterns. Chess opening and endgame principles will be covered in detail. A tournament with lunch will be held on Wednesday with trophies to be awarded. Maximum: 20

OOEY, GOOEY SCIENCE MINI CAMP

JUNE 15-16 8:30 AM - NOON RISING GRADES: 1 & 2 COST: \$20 Come with us and explore the many different ways we can get down and dirty with science. We'll explore everything slimy and gooey as we take a hands-on look at our favorite science experiments! So, come have a wild science adventure as we discover the fun of ooey, gooey science!

Maximum: 18

CAMP INVENTION JULY 17-21 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM **RISING GRADES: 3-6 REGISTRATION FOR THIS CAMP IS** CONDUCTED THROUGH THE LOCAL SCHOOLS. Contact the Fulford Center for details. In its fifth year at the Fulford Center, Camp Invention is a nationally recognized unique summer opportunity to explore science, technology, engineering, and math through exciting hands-on activities. At Camp Invention, campers will learn how to think like inventors, problem-solve, collaborate, and create... all while having tons of FUN! Maximum: 50

National Inventor

CONTACT THE FULFORD CENTER WITH ANY QUESTIONS OR TO REGISTER FOR CAMPS (478)289-2464 OR jdschwabe@ega.edu





SOME OF OUR APRIL VISITORS



2nd Grade Experience



Pine Tree Flower Show



DAR Student Recognition



Briarwood Academy



United Daughters of the Confederacy



Sunshine House Appreciation Breakfast