

# **WHAT IT TAKES! CONFERENCE 2012**

***“IF I ONLY  
HAD A  
BRAIN”***



**PRESENTED BY  
JEFFERSON COUNTY  
CHILD CARE ASSOCIATION**

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## **CONFERENCE AGENDA**

<b>8:00—8:30</b>	<b>CHECK-IN, BREAKFAST &amp; ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>
<b>8:30—10:00</b>	<b>KEYNOTE PRESENTATION—Kim Bevill</b>
<b>10:00—10:15</b>	<b>BREAK &amp; VENDOR FAIR</b>
<b>10:15—11:45</b>	<b>WORKSHOP #1—Kim Bevill, Gray Matters, LLC</b>
<b>11:45—12:45</b>	<b>LUNCH &amp; VENDOR FAIR</b>
<b>12:45—2:15</b>	<b>WORKSHOP #2—Cindy Johnson, Lakeshore Learning</b>
<b>2:15—2:30</b>	<b>BREAK &amp; VENDOR FAIR</b>
<b>2:30—4:00</b>	<b>WORKSHOP #3—Scott Liebler, Funsical Fitness</b>
<b>4:00—4:15</b>	<b>VENDOR DOOR PRIZES WILL BE PRESENTED</b>

**CONFERENCE CERTIFICATES WILL BE AWARDED AT 4:15**



### **VENDORS FAIR**

Conference vendors will be offering their child care related products and products of interest to child care providers at all of the breaks and throughout the lunch hour. Each vendor will donate a door prize to be awarded at the end of the conference. Have fun shopping throughout the day.

### **DOOR PRIZES**

Door Prize numbers will be posted during the breaks. Please pick up your prizes when you see your number appear. The numbers will change each break. Raffle tickets will also be sold.

**\*\*\*Buy Raffle Tickets to Win some great prizes  
plus the Grand Prize— a LD/DVD Combo TV\*\*\***

# "WHAT IT TAKES!" CONFERENCE 2012

March 3, 2012

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## "IF I ONLY HAD A BRAIN...!"

*"Why, if I only had a brain I could...I could wile away the hours, Conferrin' with the flowers, Consultin' with the rain. And my head I'd be scratchin'. While my thoughts were busy hatchin'. If I only had a brain." - Scarecrow, Wizard of Oz*



### KEYNOTE PRESENTATION -

#### "Ten Top Things Everyone With a Brain Needs to Know" - Kim Bevill, Gray Matters LLC

This presentation by Kim Bevill features the latest scientific research on how to increase learning, motivation, attention and performance. You will learn why our children must perceive meaning in all curriculum, know the role of sleep and nutrition in learning and why fitness and movement must be a part of life. You'll also learn that research confirms the importance of music and the importance of respecting gender differences to enhance academic success. In addition you will also learn why neurologists agree these strategies will enhance your health and slow cognitive aging: improve memory, ability.

### WORKSHOPS -

#### "Effects of Laughter" - Kim Bevill

The latest studies show what we all know to be true...laughter is the best medicine! It is time to learn the physiology that laughter provides to the brain and body that enhance attention, focus and recall. Educators can now apply simple techniques to skills and curriculum that lace fun into any classroom-whether you think you are fun or NOT. Leave with multiple avenues that will make you and your students laugh all year long.

#### "Recycling with Learning in Mind" - Cindy Johnson

Lakeshore Learning Store (Lone Tree, CO) will be presenting a class on music and art with recycled materials. Cindy Johnson, a preschool teacher with many years of experience will be sharing ways that we can expand our classroom resources and activities with simple and inexpensive projects!!!

#### "Simple Stuff for Building Amazing Skills" - Scott Liebler, Funsical Fitness

Children can learn to do pretty much anything they want if they're shown the simple steps that can lead them there. Discover what you can do with simple stuff like balls, bean bags, pieces of foam, hoops, ropes, paper plates, and sticks to help your children develop the intelligences and skills they need to become as physically competent as they can be!

### CONFERENCE COST: \$60.00

Motivational Keynote, Educational, Fun Workshops – Six hours credit

Fabulous Breakfast & Lunch provided

Fantastic Door Prizes, Entertainment, and Vendors

### CONFERENCE LOCATION:

Arvada United Methodist Church

6750 Carr Street

Arvada, Colorado 80004

### FOR INFORMATION:

Sheryl Ortiz 303-932-2750

Marilyn Dean 303-979-5952

\*\*\* ADULTS ONLY, PLEASE!\*\*\*

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### CONFERENCE REGISTRATION:

(Please make checks payable to JCCCA)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### MAIL REGISTRATION & \$60 FEE TO:

"WHAT IT TAKES!"

9574 West David Place

Littleton, Colorado 80128

**DEADLINE: February 21, 2012**

*Late Registration: \$70*

**REGISTER EARLY!!**

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