West Tennessee Writing Project presents

Young Writers’ Clubhouse

Attention Young Writers!

Join us for a day full of superb stories, fantastic fairy tales, and whimsical writing.

A series of writing experiences for 3rd-8th graders

Sept. 30, 2006 Dec. 9, 2006
Feb. 10, 2007 April 21, 2007

University of Tennessee at Martin
Gooch Hall
Young Writers’ Clubhouse

Clubhouse schedule:

9:00 Meet with your group and begin your morning writing activity
10:30 Break
10:50 Back with your group for more cool activities
11:45 Lunch
12:45 Creative writing with your group
1:45 Break
2:00 Read Aloud
3:00 Dismiss

• Teachers will meet children in the lobby of Gooch Hall.
• Young writers will be grouped by grade: 3rd and 4th together, 5th and 6th together and 7th and 8th graders together. Each age group will have its own room.
• During the morning session children will be with others their age and will be involved in a fun writing activity led by a Teacher Consultant of the West Tennessee Writing Project. Activities include: writing to music, writing about space, art, poetry, writing plays, and so much more.
• Creative writing continues in the afternoon. Children will have the opportunity to write about whatever topics they choose.
• Read Aloud will be time for children to share some of the writing they have been working on during the day.

What else will be going on? Writing workshops, mini-lessons on content and editing strategies, writing response groups, and one-to-one conferences with West Tennessee Writing Project Teachers.

Teacher Consultants leading sessions:
Brittan Sutherland Nancy Crider
Deborah Doss Annette Ferguson
Blair Chadwick Andi Neihoff

Registration deadlines:
Sept. 30, 2006 session
deadline is Sept. 27
Dec. 9, 2006 session
deadline is Dec. 2
Feb. 10 session
deadline is Feb. 3
Apr. 21 session
deadline is Apr. 14

Each session: $30, which includes a writing notebook and pen.

Lunch: Please bring a sack lunch and drink. Pizza will be available for $1 per slice. Drink machines are located in the lobby of Gooch Hall. Children also may bring a snack for morning break.

For additional information about the Young Writers’ Clubhouse or WTWP, see the WTWP website: www.utm.edu/wtwp or e-mail Brittan Sutherland, Clubhouse program director: sutherlandb@k12tn.net.

Young Writers’ Clubhouse is a program of the West Tennessee Writing Project, located in the Department of English in the College of Humanities and Fine Arts at UT Martin.

Registration Form:
Please check the date(s) for which you are registering. You may register for one or all four!

- Sept. 30, 2006 $30 1070702
- Dec. 9, 2006 $30 1070703
- Feb. 10, 2007 $30 1070704
- April 21, 2007 $30 1070705

Total enclosed $_____

Young writer’s name: __________________
School currently attending: ____________
Grade in Fall 2006: ____________________
Street Address: ______________________
City, State, Zip: ______________________
Parent/Guardian Email: ________________
Home Telephone: _____________________
Work Telephone: _____________________
Cell Phone: _________________________
Emergency Contact Number: ____________

Pick up location:
- I will pick up my child in the parking lot behind the Business Administration building
- I would like my child to wait for me in the Gooch Lobby

Payment Information–Please check one:
- Cash: Please bring exact payment to 110 Gooch Hall, UT Martin
- Check: Make check payable to UT Martin and mail to: ECCE, 110 Gooch Hall, Martin, TN 38238. Your check will serve as your receipt.
- Credit/Debit Card:
  - Visa
  - MasterCard
  - Discover

Card Number: _______________________
Expiration Date: ____________________
Cardholder Signature: ________________

Or register online:
http://www.utm.edu/departments/ecce/youthwriting/writingreg.php