# Welcome to the SDCTM/SDSTA Joint Professional Development Conference Huron Event Center—February 8, 9, and 10, 2018



- Family Math and Literacy Night
- Bring your best Supermarket Science lab/demo to the Thursday night Science Sharing Session
- Bring your favorite math activity/handout to the Thursday night Math Sharing Session
- Share the Classroom Treasures in the Salon
- Visiting with Vendors may count as one session's attendance towards graduate credit class
- Friday & Saturday Noon Luncheons included
- Friday evening banquet (ticket purchase required)
- Business meetings of SDCTM & SDSTA
- SD-AAPT business meeting and Photo Contest
- VENDORS
- Door Prizes, Door Prizes & More !!!

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Featured Speakers-See page 2
- Stations to Success
- Breakout!
- Productive Student Talk
- Customized Learning
- Science & Art Activities that Educate and Entertain
- Prepare and run a successful Family Science Night
- Math Potluck
- Research Posters
- STEM Sessions



## Geek T-Shirt Saturday

Bring and wear your best <del>nerd</del> Math and/or Science t-shirt. It's time to get our smart masses enthused for the rest of the school year. Let's relax and get fired up for the last semester.

Sharing Sessions for both math and science teachers will be held Thursday evening in Rooms Dakota A & E (7:00 – 9:00 PM). Attendance at a sharing session is required to earn graduate credit from Dakota Wesleyan University. On-site registration for the Conference starts at 7:00 AM Friday and Saturday.





**BANQUET SPEAKER** — **Robert Pyatt** has been the Associate Director, Cyotgenetics & Molecular Genetics Labs at Nationwide Children's Hospital and Assistant Professor-Clinical at Ohio State University. Dr. Pyatt has just become the Clinical Molecular Genetics Laboratory Director at Sanford Health in Sioux Falls.

#### **OTHER FEATURED SPEAKERS**

**Bill Kring -** is a teacher. After graduating from Washington State University and earning his MAT from Harvard University, he taught 44 years, 24 at the high school level, 9 at the middle school level, and 11 as trainer and colleague. He taught in classrooms with students K–12 at the Ed Service Dist and students in a teacher education program. He taught students in various achievement situations, from remediation to Advanced Placement Calculus or the International Baccalaureate Program. Known as the "hot-air man", Bill has spoken at numerous state, regional, and national conferences about using a hot-air (gas) balloon as a model for integer arithmetic. Bill continues to work toward improving mathematics teaching in a variety of settings.





**Tricia Shelton -** is a H. S. Science Teacher and Teacher Leader with a BS in Biology and MA in Teaching, who has worked for 20 years in Kentucky driven by a passion to help students develop critical and creative thinking skills. As a Professional Learning Facilitator and NGSS Implementation Team Leader, Tricia has worked with educators across the US to develop Best Practices in the classrooms. Tricia's current work is around NGSS and helping STEM students with critical and creative thinking. Shelton has published many articles. Look for sessions she'll be presenting: *Selecting Phenomena to Motivate Student Sense-making; How do I Know if this lesson is really 3-Dimensional?; Exploring the Science and Engineering Practices* 

**Lenny VerMaas** - loves math and has a lifelong passion to help students enjoy learning mathematics. His whole career has been in Nebraska, teaching 28 years in the middle and high school classrooms and with Educational Service Unit #6. During this time, he has been working with teachers on a wide range of instructional strategies, brain compatible learning, effective use of homework, vocabulary acquisition and student engagement. Sessions he'll be presenting are: *No One is Born With a Math Brain, Everybody's Brain Can Grow to Learn Math; Inch Boy; Who is Doing the Talking in Your Classroom? Homework Strategies for the Math Classroom that Engage Students; How Did You Do That? Number Tricks and Algebra* 





#### Barbara Mayes Boustead, Ph.D. - is a meteorologist,

climatologist, and instructor with the National Weather Service. A Michigan native, Dr. Boustead has professional and research interests that include historical weather and climate events, severe and extreme weather, and improving teaching and communication of weather and climate concepts. Dr. Boustead is the president of the Laura Ingalls Wilder Legacy and Research Association (http://beyondlittlehouse.com/); additionally, she was co-chair of "LauraPalooza 2015: Through Laura's Eyes" and "LauraPalooza 2017: Little Houses, Mighty Legacy: 150 Years of Laura Ingalls Wilder." Dr. Boustead writes in her blog, Wilder Weather (http://www.bousteadhill.net/wilder\_weather/) in her spare time..

#### 2018 SDCTM/SDSTA JOINT CONFERENCE

#### **ADVANCE REGISTRATION**

Crossroads Events Center, Huron South Dakota February 8-10, 2018 1-800-876-5858

Please print clearly. Postmark by January 20, 2018. After this date, please register on-site.

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Please check the appropriate categories for membership, conference registration, and payment.

| 1. SDCTM/SDSTA MEMBERSHIP(s) and  | DUES  |  |  |
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| Please check the appropriate categories. You may join one, both, or neither organization.   |   |  |  |
| Begin/renew SDCTM (math) for one year Begin/renew SDSTA (science) for one year  |   |  |  |
| Elementary \$5 Elementary \$5   |   |  |  |
| Middle School \$20  | Middle School \$20  |  |  |
| High School \$20  | High School \$20  |  |  |
| Post-Secondary \$20   | Post-Secondary \$20   |  |  |
| Student \$5<br>Retired \$5  | Student \$5<br>Retired \$5  |  |  |
| Other \$20  | Other \$20  |  |  |
| Note: First year teachers are eligible for a scholarship provid   |   |  |  |
| 2. CONFERENCE REGISTRATION<br>On-site (late) registration will be available<br>Please check the appropriate categories. Noon luncheon is inte<br>NOTE: The Friday night banquet is NOT included. Banquet<br>I will attend the conference on (check one): Friday<br>SDCTM or SDSTA Member Non-Member | cluded for each day that you register.<br>tickets may be purchased for \$25 each.   |  |  |
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| Make checks payable to SDCTM.   | Steve Caron   |  |  |
| SDCTM does <b>NOT</b> accept credit cards or purchase orders.<br>To use credit card, you must register and pay ONLINE:  | 907 South 16 <sup>th</sup> Street      School phone (605) 725-8208        Aberdeen, SD 57401      Home phone (605) 226-2292             |  |  |
| 1) Membership(s) total\$2) Registration\$   | Email questions to: Steve.Caron@k12.sd.us   |  |  |
| 3) Friday Night Banquet (\$25 each)    \$      On-site Late Registration Fee (+\$25)    \$  | Advance registration must be postmarked by <b>January 20, 2018</b> .<br>After this date, please register on-site (additional \$25 fee). |  |  |
| TOTAL ENCLOSED \$   | Please check here if you have also submitted a speaker proposal form for the 2018 Conference.   |  |  |
| Requests for refunds must be received by January 20, 2018   |   |  |  |

Contact SDCTM with any special needs requests as defined by ADA by emailing Jean Gomer at jeanann@itctel.com by January 20, 2018.



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