

Beta Lambda Chapter to host 92nd National Conclave

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The Beta Lambda Chapter of Winston-Salem will host the 92nd Anniversary Conclave from July 12-16 at the Twin City Quarters - Downtown Marriott and Embassy Suites Hotels. The theme of the conference is "Embracing the Standards, Raising the Bar: Equity - Quality Education for All".

The attendees will experience professional growth through workshops and keynote speakers, celebrate the achievement of members and various members of the community, as well as visit Winston-Salem for a taste of the south. Tribute will also be paid to the legacy of the late great educator, mentor and poet, Dr. Maya Angelou.

Ann Moye and Valeria Edwards serve as the local Conclave Coordinators, working with National, the Twin City Quarters and the Visitors Center to assure the six to seven hundred members, educators from across the nation and the community a memorable conference experience. The local host chapter president is Patsy Squire.

One of the pre-conclave events that is open to the public is "CAREGIVING: Because We Care," sponsored by The Black Women's Agenda, AARP, and Colgate Palmolive Company. This event is great for caregiver providers and families before, during, and after caring for loved ones. The admission is free with limited seating. To register, call 1-888-902-3011 ext. 9560 or go to www.sendsvp.com/bwa.



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Front row: Bonita G. Durrah and Gwendolyn Watts, National Conclave Coordinators; Charlotte M. Williams, National President; Patsy Squire, Beta Lambda Host Chapter President; Ann Moye and Valeria Edwards, Local Conclave Coordinators. 2nd row: Norma Corley, Rachel Hicks, Mae Burner, Shirley Jackson-Scott, Cynthia Russell, Jen-Ai Childress, Benita Brown, Joyce Irby and Donna Mickens; Back Row: Clarissa Felder, Evelyn Sanders and Rinita Williams

New principals chosen for six local schools

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New principals have been chosen for six schools in Winston-Salem/Forsyth County. Peggy Dickey will be the principal of Lowrance Middle School; Cheryl Frazier will be the principal of Bolton Elementary School; Joanel Gatling will be the principal of South Fork Elementary School; Andy Lester-Niles will be the principal of Vienna Elementary School; Jeff Maglio will be the principal of Gibson Elementary School; Debbie McIntyre will be the principal of Jefferson Elementary School.

Dickey has been the director of the Hospital/Homebound Education Center and the assistant principal at Lowrance since 2010. Before that, Dickey was an assistant principal at Jefferson Middle School for several years. She will replace Val Raynor, who retires at the end of June.

Dickey has also worked for WS/FCS as a curriculum coordinator at Hanes Magnet School and taught math and science at Hanes and East Forsyth High School. Dickey earned a bachelor's degree from Purdue University, a master's degree in school administration from Gardner-Webb University and an education specialist's degree from Appalachian State University. She is pursuing a doctoral degree in educational leadership at Appalachian State.

Frazier has been the assistant principal at Diggs-Latham Elementary School since 2007. Before that, she served as curriculum coordinator for Diggs for several years. She replaces Candice Johnson, who is moving out of state for family reasons. Frazier has also worked for WS/FCS as an elementary teacher at North Hills Elementary School and taught in New Jersey prior to that.

Frazier earned a bachelor's degree from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, a master's degree in elementary education from Long Island University, licensure in school administration from Appalachian State and a doctorate in educational leadership from Nova Southeastern University.

Gatling has been the assistant principal at Middle Fork Elementary School for six years. Before that, she was the assistant principal at Mineral Springs Elementary School for five years. She replaces Trish Spencer, who was named the principal at Union Cross Elementary School in April.

Gatling has also worked for WS/FCS as an exceptional children's case manager at Hanes, and she taught exceptional children at Goldsboro Middle School. Gatling earned a bachelor's degree and a master's degree in special education from North Carolina Central University, received a master's degree in school administration from Gardner-Webb and is pursuing a doctoral degree in school

administration from Gardner-Webb.

Lester-Niles has been the assistant principal at Brunson Elementary School since 2003. Before that, he was an exceptional children's teacher at Whitaker Elementary School for several years. He will replace Teresa Hewitt, who is retiring at the end of June.

Lester-Niles has also worked as an experiential educator for Eagle's Nest Foundation in several countries throughout the world, including Australia, Mexico, Ecuador and Iceland. Lester-Niles earned a bachelor's degree from Appalachian State and a master's degree in school administration from UNC-Greensboro.

Maglio has been the assistant principal at Moore Magnet Elementary School since 2011. Before that, he served as assistant principal at North Hills and Sedge Garden elementary schools. He replaced Ron Gibson, who retired at the end of May.

Maglio has also worked for WS/FCS as an elementary teacher at Clemmons and an exceptional children's teacher at Ibrahim elementary schools. Maglio earned a bachelor's degree from East Carolina University, master's degrees in elementary education and school administration from Gardner-Webb, and an educational specialist's degree from Liberty University.

McIntyre has been the assistant principal at Southwest Elementary since 2010. Before that, she was assistant principal at Bolton for three years. She replaces Nora Baker, who is retiring at the end of June.

McIntyre has also worked for WS/FCS as a curriculum coordinator at Bolton and as an exceptional children's teacher at Speas Elementary School. McIntyre earned a bachelor's degree, a master's degree in special education and a master's degree in school administration from Appalachian State.



Dickey



Frazier



Gatling



Lester-Niles



Maglio



McIntyre

Entrants sought for corn-shucking contest

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The Dixie Classic Fair Farmers Market is looking for participants of all ages to compete for a share of \$200 in prize money during its second annual "Aw Shucks!" corn-shucking contest on Saturday, July 11 at 9 a.m.

There is no charge to enter and all the corn shucked during the contest will be donated to the Samaritan Inn Soup Kitchen.

Contestants will compete in two age groups: 12 and under, and over 12. Winners in each group will receive ribbons and cash prizes of \$50, \$30 and \$20 for first, second and third place respectively.

Contestants that have already entered in the contest are Sonjia Kurosky, the director of Samaritan Ministries; Michael Hastings, the food editor for the Winston-Salem Journal; local radio personalities from WFDD; Nikki Miller-Ka, a local food blogger and host of the \$20 Challenge; Jason Thiel, the president of the Downtown Winston-Salem Partnership; representatives from the United Way of Forsyth County.

The deadline for entries is Thursday, July 9. To enter or for more information call (336) 655-9785 or send an email to amy@asgarland.com

The summer will also contain the annual salsa contest, to be held Aug. 8. The Dixie Classic Fair Farmers Market, established in 1974 is the oldest farmers market in Forsyth County and is open at the Winston-Salem Fairgrounds every Saturday year-round from 6 a.m. to 1 p.m. People can enter through the parking area off 27th Street.



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