**BPC's Young Writer's Conference Set for October 27, 2017**

Brewton Parker College presents its seventeenth annual Young Writer's Conference on Friday, October 27, 2017, on the Brewton-Parker College campus.  This workshop has been very well attended in past years and gives high school students who have a passion for writing an opportunity to participate in guided workshops and discussions with professionals in a variety of writing disciplines.  Students are also able to compete for scholarships to attend Brewton-Parker College.

Schedule

8:00 am Registration - Gilder Recital Hall

9:00 am Welcome

9:10 am Plenary Address

9:30 am Brewton-Parker Admissions and Financial Aid conduct a question-and-answer session for parents and teachers.

9:30 am Students participate in one of eight **workshops**, producing work to be submitted for evaluation

​12:30 pm Lunch at the Lakeside Grill, Brewton-Parker Student Center

1:30 pm **Presentation of Awards** Ceremony at the Lakeside Grill

2:30 pm Conference Ends

**Workshops** include:

* ​BPC Librarians Tanvi Chauhan and Daryl Fletcher conduct a session on **Fan Fiction**
* ​Dr Grant Lilford, Professor of English and Chair of the Division of Christian Studies and Humanities will guide a workshop on **Praise and Prayer through Poetry​.**
* ​Professor George Mosley of the BPC English Department will offer a session on ​**Parody: how to have fun without making fun**
* ​​Dr Matt Haley of the BPC Music Department will explore **Lyrics for Praise and Worship Songs**
* ​BPC Biology Professor Dr Helene Peters will facilitate ​**Science Writing for Everyone**​
* ​Local author Lynn Skinner will lead a session on ​**Writing for Children**
* ​From the BPC Provost's office ​Dr Robert Brian and Toni Banks ​will explore **Inspirational Writing: ‘Goose Music’ and Other Intangibles**
* Professor A'ndrea Wilson, Assistant Professor of English, will offer a session entitled "​**The Good Guys vs. The Bad Guys: Creating Characters That Move Your Story Forward**."

If you would like to bring a group of your students, please have each student register online at the link below.   The fee of $20, which includes lunch and a t-shirt can be paid in-person the day of the event.

**Further Information is available at our web-site:**

<http://bpc.edu/events/young-writers-conference>

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