### FROM THE FARM TO THE CLASSROOM



# KENTUCKY FARM BUREAU'S 2017 REGIONAL TEACHER WORKSHOPS

#### It's Always Fresh and New!

Whether you are a first-time attendee or past participant, each year we strive to show you new and unique ideas on how you can bring the farm to the classroom.

## **Tentative Agenda**

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. **Registration** 

9:00 – 9:15 a.m. Welcome & Overview

Scott Christmas, KFB Director

Ag Education, Women & Young Farmer Programs

### 9:15 – 11:45 a.m. Indoor and Outdoor Training Sessions:

This year's workshops will again highlight several agricultural lessons that are designed to better enable you to broaden your students' educational experiences and deepen their desires to learn. Whether it is a simple indoor activity or a long-term outdoor adventure, you will be pleased as academic achievements grow with their agricultural interests. The agricultural industry in Kentucky, and throughout the United States, has an abundance of quality materials that are designed to incorporate agricultural and environmental concepts as you teach core content. These interdisciplinary lessons are excellent tools as you seek to enhance student learning and knowledge retention.



#### 11:45 – 1:30 p.m. Luncheon & Presentation

Mitchell Tolle, Artist, Author & Speaker The Most Wonderful Dream

Mitchell Tolle grew up in rural Kentucky on the edge of the broad Ohio River and he has spent a lifetime painting and drawing the familiar faces and colorful places that surrounded him there. Now, in the classic



children's book, *The Most Wonderful Dream*, Tolle takes us to a farm in Kentucky where a couple of very bright children contemplate the world through innocent, childlike eyes. As you will discover, their insight is amazing and their conclusions humbling as they offer real solutions to some of our world's most perplexing problems. Mitchell is considered to be among America's finest living artists. He has painted a U.S. President, has several books in print and has entertained guests from more than 80 countries. You do not want to miss this inspiring presentation.

## 1:30 – 4:00 p.m. Agricultural & Environmental Tour

Several workshops will offer a chartered tour in the afternoon which will give practical insights on how you can incorporate modern and historical agriculture concepts in your classrooms. Larger workshops will tour or engage in offsite activities throughout the day. You will enjoy seeing and experiencing Kentucky agriculture first-hand.

#### 4:00 p.m. Distribution of Certificates & Adjournment

You may register online at <u>kyfb.com/teacher17</u>. Additional information can be found at <u>kyfb.com</u>. You may contact Scott Christmas at Scott.Christmas@kyfb.com or by phone at (502) 495-5000 ext. 7221 for further details.

# Seven Dates and Locations to Choose From



Monday, June 5, 2017:

Lawrence County Cooperative Extension 249 Industrial Park Road Louisa, KY 41230 Phone: (606) 673-9495

"Everything was great! I learned a lot and can't wait to use in the classroom."

"Loved it! Thank you! Sign me up for next year!"



Monday, June 26, 2017 Lake Barkley Resort Lodge

3500 State Park Road Cadiz, KY 42211

Phone: (270) 924-1131

"This is a great experience!"



#### Wednesday, June 28, 2017

The Club at Spindletop Hall 3414 Ironworks Pike Lexington, KY 40511

Phone: (859) 255-2777

# What Teachers Have Said!

"Super! Always one of the best PDs. Everything was outstanding."

"This was the best workshop I have ever attended."



Monday, June 19, 2017

Owensboro's RiverPark Center 101 Daviess Street Owensboro, KY 42303 Phone: (270) 687-2770

"Great training!"

"A well put together program.

Awesome!"

"This is by far the best P.D. training I've ever attended."

"The workshop has inspired me to bring agriculture into my classroom. This was a 5-Star P.D."

"Learned so many new things this day!"

"Wow! Will come again."

"I love, love, love this workshop!"



Tuesday, June 6, 2017

Pine Mountain Settlement 36 Highway 510 Pine Mountain, KY 40810 Phone (606) 558-3571

"Enjoyed everything about this workshop!"

"This was my second time, very impressed!!"

"Super!"



Tuesday, June 27, 2017:

Barren River Lake Lodge 1149 State Park Road Lucas, KY 42156 Phone: (270) 646-2151

"Wonderful experience!"



# Thursday, June 29, 2017

The Gheens Foundation Lodge 1421 Beckley Creek Parkway Louisville, KY 40241

Phone: (502) 584-0350