## **Greetings FBLA Members and Parents!**

I hope you all are doing well!

I want to extend an invitation to all of you to the 2019 FBLA Fall Leadership Conference at The Classic Center in Athens, GA on Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>. The cost of this trip is \$50.00 and I need to know if you can attend by Friday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>.

The Fall Leadership Conference is a great time for our members to meet and network with other middle level members throughout the state of Georgia. The \$50.00 fee will include the conference materials, lunch, a contribution to GA FBLA's March of Dimes campaign, a GA FBLA T-shirt and a tour of the University of Georgia. We usually eat a snack in downtown Athens before returning but the cost of your snack is NOT included. Please bring extra money on the day of the event for your snack.

We will need to meet at DMS at 7:45AM in the bus lanes in order to leave by 8:00AM and will return around 5:00PM. Dress code for this event is the GA FBLA dress code which is professional business attire. There are specific rules you have to follow. Please visit <a href="http://georgiafbla.org/official-dress-overview/">http://georgiafbla.org/official-dress-overview/</a> for more information. You will not board the bus if you are not in dress code!

## Highlights of this conference include:

- Leadership workshop tracks that focus on development of personal and leadership skills needed by FBLA-Middle Level members;
- Opportunities to interact with other enthusiastic FBLA Middle Level members and advisers throughout the state;
- · Recognition for outstanding chapters and members;
- · Middle Level Luncheon with the State Officers
- A Georgia FBLA souvenir t-shirt for every pre-registered delegate that will make your FLC an unforgettable experience and
- A tour of UGA's beautiful North Campus!

## Here is the agenda for that day:

8:30 am - 9:30 am: Registration

9:30 am - 10:15 am: Opening General Session 10:30 am - 11:45 am: Leadership Training I

11:45 am - 12:45 pm: Lunch

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm: Leadership Training II

2:30 pm - 4:00 pm: Tour of UGA's North Campus

Again, your permission slip for this trip is due by Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>. I know this seems a little soon considering the first field trip hasn't happened yet. However, we have deadlines we have to meet with Georgia FBLA and since the field trips are only a month apart the deadlines are very close together.

The money for this trip (\$50) should be paid through MyPaymentsPlus by Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup> as well. If you need to set up a payment plan, just let me know so we can arrange that.

I hope you can attend! I need your response by Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>. Please let me know if you have any questions! I am looking forward to taking all of you on this trip this year!

Thanks! Mrs. Jones