

To: Block I Sub-District C FCCLA Advisors
Subject: 2017 Fall District Meeting

Plans have been made for the Block I Sub-District C meeting for all FCCLA chapters in this district. We have an exciting day planned and are encouraging the participation of all chapters to attend the meeting this year. Our meeting will be **Monday, October 16, 2017 at Northwest Community College in Senatobia, MS.**

PRE-REGISTRATION: Please return the pre-registration and officer form by Thursday, October 5th to Janet Blackmon at South Panola High School. There is no limit on the number of members each chapter may bring to the meeting, but please remember to have proper chaperones for the number of attendees. Please return the form even if your chapter is unable to attend.

REGISTRATION: Registration will begin at 9:15 and end at 9:30 at the Haraway Center on the Northwest Community College campus in Senatobia, MS. A **\$5.00 fee** for each member attending the meeting is required. This should be collected in advance and turned in at the registration table as a check or money order, **payable to Block I Sub-District C FCCLA.**

ELECTION OF OFFICERS: Officer Election will take place during the business session. Seven district officers will be elected - President, Vice-President of Competition, Vice-President of Public Relations, Secretary, Treasurer, Chaplain, and Song Leader. **In order to qualify, the candidate should have held an office in their local chapter. Please DO NOT submit names of seniors.** If you plan to enter a candidate for an office, you must send the names of qualified FCCLA members on your pre-registration form, one for a leadership office and one for song leader. This limits the number of candidates from each chapter to two. The ballots will be printed prior to our district meeting so **ONLY candidates that have pre-registered by October 5th will be allowed to run.**

* Each candidate will be asked to give a two to three minute speech about his/her qualifications for a leadership position. Candidates for song leader will be allowed to lead the group in one song or sing a short solo (no longer than two minutes). The newly elected song leader will be asked to sing the National Anthem at next year's district meeting. Each candidate will be asked two questions, one of which will be a fact question about FCCLA and the other will be an opinion (thought) question dealing with a general topic. Each candidate will give his/her name and qualifications without mentioning their school name. **If the school name is mentioned, the candidate will be disqualified.**

* Each candidate must wear red, white, or a combination of both colors.

* All candidates must be an affiliated FCCLA member this year and have previous experience as an officer in their local chapter. All candidates should be responsible, dependable, well-groomed, have a good personality, and possess leadership qualities. All elected officers are expected to remain at the meeting until it is adjourned so they will be able to participate in the installation of the newly-elected officers.

VOTING DELEGATES: Two members should be designated as voting delegates for each chapter. Voting delegates will be asked to move to the front of the audience before the officer candidates begin their speeches.

DOOR PRIZES: Door prizes will be given out during the meeting. **Please bring the names of all members attending on separate strips of paper.** Size 1x3 is preferable. Please place these in an envelope and turn them in at the registration table. **Each chapter is asked to donate 2 door prizes for the drawing.** They should be wrapped and ready to turn in at the registration table.

The theme for the year is Be Inspired. We are asking that you follow the dress code for state and national FCCLA meetings. NO JEANS, please! The one exception is that club t-shirts may be worn. Your cooperation is needed. Please make a special effort to have your chapter represented at this meeting and consider running candidates for leadership and song leader. Making the best of Block I Sub-District C FCCLA is each chapter's responsibility. A great day has been planned, so please advise all members to be very attentive and quiet during all sessions. All cell phones should be turned OFF during all activities. Good manners are a must!

The planning committee is looking forward to a great turn-out for our Fall District meeting. We hope to see you there!

Tentative Agenda

9:15 – 9:30	Registration
9:30 – 10:00	Opening Session
10:00 – 10:30	Business Session
10:30 – 11:00	Entertainment
11:00 – 11:30	Break (Snacks will be provided)
11:30 – 12:15	Motivational Speaker
12:15 – 12:30	Door Prizes
12:30 – 12:45	Officer Installation
12:45 – 1:00	Closing Ceremony



**The Annual Fall Mississippi FCCLA
Block 1 Sub-District C Meeting
will be held Monday, October 16, 2017
at Northwest Community College
Haraway Center
in Senatobia, MS**

**Registration starts at 9:15
9:30 – 1:00 with a snack break
(snacks will be provided)**

**Come enjoy entertainment, motivational speaker
and fellowship with fellow FCCLA members from
across North Mississippi.**

**Please return the pre-registration and officer form
by Thursday, October 16, 2017
\$5.00 per student/ NO JEANS PLEASE**

**If you have any questions, email or call
Janet Blackmon 662-563-3390
jblackmon@spsd.k12.ms.us**

FCCLA PRE-REGISTRATION & OFFICER FORM

BLOCK I Sub-District C

October 16, 2017 Fall Meeting

Return to : Janet Blackmon
South Panola High School
601 Tiger Dr.
Batesville, MS 38606
PLEASE MAIL OR FAX TO 662-563-8857
DEADLINE – Thursday, October 5, 2017

_____ YES, I plan to attend the Fall District Meeting.

_____ NO, I will not be able to attend the Fall District Meeting.

Name of School: _____

Advisor: _____

Number of Students Attending: _____

Registration Fee of \$5.00 per member = \$ _____

District Officer Candidates:

Leadership candidate _____

Song Leader candidate _____

PLEASE RETURN BY THURSDAY, October 5th

(If you have any questions, call Janet Blackmon at 662-563-3390.)