



# 2019 National Agriculture in the Classroom Conference

June 19-21, 2019

Marriott Hotel, Little Rock, Arkansas

## NAITC CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

The program begins at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 19, with traveling workshops (included). The Opening Luncheon begins at 12:00 noon. The conference ends Friday June 21 at 10:45 a.m. *Includes a certificate of training representing a maximum of 20 contact hours for continuing education purposes.*

- Early registration\* (January 15 through April 15) \$435
  - Regular registration (April 16 through June 10) \$485
  - Onsite registration (available onsite June 18-21) \$535
- \*Early rate discount for those paid in full by April 15, 2019*

## LATE ARRIVAL/SHORTENED PROGRAM REGISTRATION

The late arrival program begins at 12:00 noon Wednesday, June 19, with the Opening Luncheon and onsite workshops. The conference ends Friday June 21 at 10:45 a.m. *Includes a certificate of training representing a maximum of 15 contact hours for continuing education purposes.*

- Early registration\* (January 15 through April 15) \$360
  - Regular registration (April 16 through June 10) \$410
  - Late registration (available onsite June 19-21) \$460
- \*Early rate discount for those paid in full by April 15, 2019*

Attendee Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee Email (required): \_\_\_\_\_

**Person ordering/responsible for payment (if different):**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Ordering person's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please check all of the following entities that you represent:

- Teacher – PreK-2                       Volunteer
- Teacher – Grades 3-5                 State or County Staff
- Teacher – Grades 6-8                 State Contact **\*\*see box at right**
- Teacher – Grades 9-12

### STUDENT IMPACT

How many students do you work with each year that will benefit from the agriculture literacy resources provided by this conference? Enter Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_

### SPECIAL NEED REQUEST – Dietary/Disability

Request reasonable accommodations for dietary or disability needs by June 1, 2019. This information in this section is taken into consideration in our overall menu selection and planning process and may not result in a special meal. Contact registration at 435-797-9270 if you have life-threatening food allergy.

- Vegetarian    Vegan    Celiac-No Gluten
- Severe Food Allergy: \_\_\_\_\_

Please request any reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities here: \_\_\_\_\_

**Register for traveling workshops and optional pre-conference tour on the next page**

### **\*\*NAITC STATE CONTACT SECTION:**

NAITC State Contacts (Only the officially designated representatives as listed on the NAITCO website or their approved alternative): Please indicate whether you will be attending these activities related to the NAITCO Annual Business meeting on Tuesday, June 18.

*Note: If you are sending an alternate delegate to represent your state at this business meeting, please ask them to register as the state contact in your place.*

- State Contact/NAITCO Annual Business Meeting (Tuesday)
- State Contact Breakfast - Tuesday, June 18
- State Contact Lunch - Tuesday, June 18
- Please reserve a display table for us in the state table area. (Please be aware NAITC is charged for this table. If you reserve one and do not utilize it for your state display, you will be charged for it.)

### **TO REGISTER:** Must be submitted by **June 10, 2019**

1. ONLINE: <https://naitcconference.usu.edu/>
2. FAX: 435-797-0636
3. MAIL: NAITC Annual Conference  
Conference Services Department  
5005 Old Main Hill, Logan, UT 84322-5005
4. PHONE: 800-538-2663 or 435-797-0423 or 0424
5. E-MAIL: [register.online@usu.edu](mailto:register.online@usu.edu)

## Traveling Workshops

Included with your full conference registration. *Sorry, no guests.*

### 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, June 19

We will start with a buffet breakfast at 6:30-7:20 a.m. Tours depart at 7:30 sharp. *Traveling workshops are subject to change.*

#### TW1: Fish Science and Cotton History

Keo Fish Farm is the world's largest producer of hybrid striped bass and sterile triploid grass carp. See the biological and aquatic science behind raising and producing these two species. Located in Scott, the Plantation Agriculture Museum preserves Arkansas' farming history. Housed in a series of buildings is the main museum originally built as a general store in 1912, the Dortch Gin Exhibit containing a 1916 cotton gin, Seed Warehouse #5 which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places, and a Historic Tractor Exhibit completed in 2018.

#### TW2: All About Rice

Riceland is the world's largest miller and marketer of rice and one of the Mid-South's major soybean processors. Riceland provides marketing services for rice and soybeans grown by its 6,000 farmer-members in Arkansas and Missouri. Each year, its 1,500 employees receive, store, transport process and market more than 125 million bushels (2.5 million metric tons) of grain. The Dale Bumpers National Rice Research Center works to improve the competitiveness of U.S. Rice in domestic and global markets. It is a model center for outreach to educators and hosts numerous students and teacher workshops each year.

#### TW3: Presidential History and World Agriculture

The Clinton Presidential Library contains the archives and exhibits from the 42<sup>nd</sup> President of the United States. Heifer International World Headquarters leads the efforts of this global charity to end poverty and hunger. A unique learning experience to see the vast differences in agriculture and food availability around the world.

#### TW4: Ag Industry Leaders

Tyson Foods is a world leader in protein food products, and an innovator in providing food from farm to table. Its North Little Rock facility focuses on delivering poultry products for multiple markets. Delta Plastics is a leading manufacturer of irrigation polytube for the agriculture industry, and an innovator in irrigation software and recycling. Its Little Rock facility produces Delta Plastics polytube and Revolution Bag can liners, as well as being home to its irrigation resources division.

#### TW5: Trees, Bees, and a Garden

Bemis Tree Farm in Little Rock is a shade tree and transplant specialist producing more than 30 varieties of shade trees, evergreens, ornamentals and fruit trees. They also operate Bemis Honey Bee Farm providing bees, beekeeping supplies and educational classes for beekeepers. Dunbar Garden is an urban community teaching garden that hosts more than 700 students per month as well as private groups, and offers community workshops and an outdoor event space. In addition to being a teaching garden, it also partners with local restaurants and sells at local farmers' markets.

## Pre-Conference Tour - \$95 per person

### Crater of Diamonds State Park & Peanut Brittle Stop

**Tuesday, June 18 - 9:30 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.**

One of the only places in the world where the public can search for real diamonds in their original volcanic source, Crater of Diamonds is a one-of-a-kind experience that brings people from all over the world to Murfreesboro, Arkansas. Visitors to the park search a 37-acre plowed field, the eroded surface of a volcanic crater, for a variety of rocks, minerals, and gemstones – and participants keep any rock or mineral they find. Participants may bring their own mining equipment to search with (no battery-operated or motor driven mining tools allowed), or rent tools from the park. More than 33,100 diamonds have been found by park visitors since the Crater of Diamonds became an Arkansas state park in 1972. The pre-conference tour will also stop at Juanita's Candy Kitchen. The pride of Arkadelphia, Juanita's Candy Kitchen has been producing the best nut brittle in the state since 1974. Juanita's produces three varieties of brittle—peanut, pecan, and cashew.

## Bingo Game Night!

Back by popular demand! NAITCO will hold Bingo Game Night after the general session dinner on Wednesday, June 19. For a \$20 donation to benefit NAITCO programs, you receive 10 Bingo game cards and the chance to win fabulous prizes! Purchase your cards in advance and pick up at the conference, or buy onsite.

**Pack of 10 Bingo game cards: \$20** \_\_\_\_\_ (# of packs requested)

**Guest meals:** *Meal events only. Does not include registration (or access) to the conference sessions. Enter quantity of tickets to add to your registration total cost (subject to availability):*

___ Wednesday Opening Lunch	\$40 each
___ Wednesday Opening Dinner	\$60 each
___ Thursday Award Breakfast	\$35 each
___ Thursday Award Lunch	\$40 each
___ Friday Closing Breakfast	\$35 each

Provide name(s) of guest(s) and dietary restrictions if any:

## Demographics

Your participation in the following demographic survey will assist NAITCO in its grant application efforts. (optional):

Gender:  Male  Female

Age:  18-25  26-35  36-49  50 and over

Race/Ethnicity:

American Indian or Alaskan Native  Asian/Pacific Islander

Black or African American  Hispanic or Latino

Caucasian/White  Other

## How did you hear about the national conference?

Agriculture in the Classroom state program

Another teacher/educator

Social Media

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Let's be friends:

By registering for this conference, you are agreeing to receive future communications from the National Agriculture in the Classroom Organization. We don't want you to miss out on grant opportunities, lesson plan ideas, and loads of great ways to integrate agriculture into your classroom!

Check here to opt out of or UNSUBSCRIBE from future communications and important updates.

## Attendee Roster (provided to Sponsors/Exhibitors):

An attendee roster including contact information is provided to our conference exhibitors and sponsors at the end of the conference. Indicate below if you would like to opt out from this listing. Your name and state will still be included on the participant listing in the program book.

Do not provide my contact information to sponsors/exhibitors.

## CANCELLATION & REFUND POLICY:

Refunds will be made to those registrants who must cancel, less an \$80 processing fee. Written cancellation requests must be post-marked on or before May 15, 2019. No refunds will be made after that date. Substitutions are welcome at no charge (if additional payment processing is required, a \$25 processing fee will apply).

I agree to the Cancellation & Refund Policy (required)

## METHOD OF PAYMENT

Full Payment is required with registration

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

ADDITIONAL ITEMS: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL AMOUNT: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PROMO CODE (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Check payable to: NAITC/ Conference Services

Purchase order # \_\_\_\_\_ (please attach copy)

Credit card transactions: 800-538-2663, 435-797-0423 or 0424