Bully Free Trainer Certification Workshop



Bully Free Systems, LLC www.bullyfree.com

June 2-4, 2010 Francis Tuttle Technology Center Rockwell Campus, (Building 7, Room 101 South) Oklahoma City, OK

Register Now - Space is Limited!

A Special Invitation

You are invited by special invitation to attend a *Bully Free Program Trainer Certification Workshop* in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma on June 2-4. 2010. The key to establishing an ongoing and effective anti-bullying program in a cost-effective manner is for each school or school system to have its own trainers and consultants or to have such individuals near their location.

The Bully Free Program (Preschool-High School) is the most comprehensive program available. It reduces bullying, reduces suspensions, reduces behavior problems, reduces expulsions, increases school attendance, increases end of grade test scores, and much more.

Who should attend?

School system employees who have a passion to prevent bullying and who can provide quality training may attend. The training is appropriate for all grade levels. Some districts may prefer to send more than one person (i.e., one person from each school, etc.).

What do trainers receive through the training?

The workshop participants will receive three days of intense training in the implementation of the Bully Free Program, a training manual (*Bullying Prevention for Schools – A Step-by-Step Guide to Implementing a Successful Anti-Bullying Program* by Allan L. Beane, Ph.D.), Bully Free Program PowerPoint training presentations and handouts to facilitate their training efforts, access to over one-hundred Microsoft Word files on the website (<u>www.bullyfree.com</u>), a variety of follow-up services, and other free resources from the Bully Free Program to jump start their efforts.

Who will provide the training?

Dr. Allan Beane is an internationally recognized expert, author and speaker on bullying. He is the founder and President of *Bully Free Systems, LLC* and developer of *The Bully Free Program* that has been adopted by schools and districts around the United States. The Oklahoma Department of Education is currently piloting the Bully Free Program at eleven school sites. His son was bullied in seventh grade and high school. He died ten years ago. His son's life inspired him to write his first book, *The Bully Free Classroom*. This book is a best seller and is in ten languages. He is the author of six published anti-bullying books and several other materials and resources. Dr. Beane has over thirty-seven years of experience in education and has served as an expert and consultant in five criminal cases and six lawsuits involving bullying. He and materials from The Bully Free Program have been featured in *USA Today, USA Weekend, Time for Kids, and Newsweek for Teens, School Transportation News* and many other national and international magazines, newspapers and journals. He has also made numerous television appearances (i.e., *Fox News, CNN Headline News – The Nancy Grace Show*, etc.). Visit his website at <u>www.bullyfree.com</u>.

Sampling of Workshop Topics:

- Nature of Bullying
- Warning Signs
- Rationale for Preventing and Stopping Bullying
- Bully Free Program Philosophy
- Examination of Program Materials and Resources
- Prevention and Intervention Strategies (Administrative and Classroom)
- Empowering Bystanders
- Helping Victims
- Changing Bullies
- Steps to Implementing a Program
- Policies and Procedures

- Investigating Rumors of Bullying
- Responding to Bullying
- Discipline Rubrics (Elementary, Middle School)
- Developing Intervention Plans
- Identifying and Providing Quality Supervision of High-risk Areas
- Adding Structure to High-Risk Areas
- Establishing Behavioral Expectations
- Educating and Involving Parents and the Community
- Chairing a Bully Free Program Team/Committee
- Assessing the Effectiveness of the Program
- Accessing and Utilizing Training Resources

Date, Time, and Daily Schedule:

 Three-day training, June 2-4, 2010 – 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
 Sign-in

 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
 Training

 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.
 Lunch on your own

 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 Training

Registration Deadline: May 21, 2010

Registration Form and Fee:

Each person attending the training from a school district or agency should be listed on the same Registration Form to receive the discounted fee. If needed, additional copies of the registration form may be made. Either Fax a copy of the completed Registration Form and an approved Purchase Order Form for the training fee to (270) 753-1937 or mail the completed Registration Form and check or money order for the training fee to Bully Free Trainer Certificate, 262 Ironwood Drive, Murray, KY 42071. Make check payable to *Bully Free Systems, LLC.* Once the Registration Form and fee or copy of PO is received, a confirmation will be sent to you via email. If you do not receive confirmation, please contact abeane@bullyfree.com or call (270) 227-0431. Save by registering more than one person from the same school district at the same time. Below is the training fee schedule:

- 1 person from a school district or agency \$1,045
- 2 to 5 persons from a school district or agency \$995 per person
- 6 to 10 persons from a school district or agency \$945 per person
- 11 or more from a school district or agency \$895 per person

Location: Francis Tuttle Technology Center (Building 7, Room 101 South), Rockwell Campus, 12777 North Rockwell Avenue, Oklahoma City, OK 73142.

Hotel Reservations and Rates: There are numerous hotels in the area. Hotel charges are not included in the registration fee. Possible hotels are:

- Spring Hill Marriott, (405) 749-1595, 3201 W Memorial Road, Oklahoma City, OK
- Fairfield Inn, (405) 755-8686, 13520 Plaza Terrace, Oklahoma City, OK
- Hampton Inn (405) 752-7070, 13500 Plaza Terrace, Oklahoma City, OK

Registration Form—Two Easy Steps

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Please list workshop participants below and fill out all organization information. Use a separate sheet for additional participants. Please print clearly.

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Participant Name #1	Email Address	Phone Number	
Participant Name #2	Email Address	Phone Number	
Participant Name #3	Email Address	Phone Number	
Contact Person	Email Address	Phone Number	
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District or Agency Name, Address and Phone Number (including area code)

Please select your way to register and your method of payment.

WAYS TO REGISTER AND PAY--CHECK ONE:

- □ Fax Registration Form and approved Purchase Order to (270) 753-1937.
- □ Mail Registration Form and check or money order to:

Bully Free Trainer Certificate Workshop – Oklahoma City 262 Ironwood Drive Murray, KY 42071

Important: Early registration is strongly recommended. Registration is limited and will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Tape recorders are strictly forbidden.

Cancellation Policy: You will receive a full refund for a cancellation notice received up to 10 business days prior to the date of the workshop. If you need to cancel within 10 business days of the workshop, you may send a substitute from your organization, or apply the workshop fee toward another Trainer Certification Workshop of your choice, scheduled within 12 months of the original workshop date. Due to limited seats, and to allow others to attend, if you do not meet the cancellation requirements, you will be responsible for the entire workshop fee. Bully Free Systems, LLC reserves the right to cancel a workshop. In the event of workshop cancellation, Bully Free Systems, LLC's responsibility will be limited to a refund of the workshop fee.