

Keeping the PACE

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BRAND NEW MEMBER BENEFIT

• PACE is proud to announce that all PACE members are now extended the benefit of being affiliated parent members of TAGT, the Texas Association for the Gifted and Talented. Being an affiliated parent member of TAGT puts you in contact with other parents of gifted children throughout the state of Texas via online communities and also connects you to member only resources on the TAGT website. You will also receive a weekly enews brief from TAGT. More details will be coming soon from TAGT, so be on the lookout!

CALL TO ACTION!

If you are interested in becoming further involved with PACE, either as a **campus liaison or as a board member for the 2017-2018 school year,** please contact any member of the PACE board to express your interest or for further information. We look forward to hearing from you!

SPRING CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Fort Bend ISD Film Fest: Thursday, April 6th, 6-9pm, Dulles High School, 550 Dulles Ave., Sugar Land, 77478.
- PACE Members Open Forum: Friday, May 5th, 12-1 pm, University Branch Library (Meeting Room TBA), 14010 University Blvd., Sugar Land, 77479.
- "New to GT? Roadmap for Parents of Newly Identified Gifted Children"
 Presentation: Thursday, May 11th, FBISD Annex, 3119 Sweetwater Blvd., Sugar Land, 77479. RSVP at https://fbisdgtwelcome.eventbrite.com. This presentation is a part of the GT Family Night Series presented by FBISD Advanced Academics.

FOLLOW TAGT ON FACEBOOK

Be sure to follow the Texas
 Association for the gifted and
 Talented (TAGT) on Facebook at
 http://www.facebook.com/texasgifted
 d to keep up with what is going on in the world of gifted education!



RENEW YOUR PACE MEMBERSHIP!

Your PACE membership is good for one year and gives you benefits such as communication from PACE (including this newsletter), membership to TAGT, and access to events such as PACE member open forums and lunch and learns. Renew your membership online at www.pacefortbend.org. If you are not sure when your membership expires or if you prefer to renew via mail, email president@pacefortbend.org. Thank you for your continued support of PACE!

CAMPS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE PACE SUMMER CAMP FAIR

- University of Houston Downtown: www.uhd.edu/kids
- Idealab: <u>www.idealabkids.com</u>
- Inspiration Stage: www.inspirationstage.com
- WCJC Kids' College: email youthactivities@wcjc.edu
- Fortissimo Music School: www.fortissimoriverstone.com
- Language Kids World: www.languagekids.com
- Writers in the Schools: www.witshouston.org

Thank you to everyone who attended the camp fair in March!

FIND PACE ONLINE

• WEBPAGE: HTTP://PACEFORTBEND.ORG

FACEBOOK GROUP: PACEFORTBEND



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

https://expertbeacon.com/expertadvice-parenting-culturally-diversegifted-learners#.WN1MIoWcGdb:

"Expert advice for parenting culturally diverse gifted learners"

http://ww2.kqed.org/mindshift/2016/04 /14/how-giving-students-choice-duringthe-day-can-create-unstoppablelearning/: "How Giving Students Choice During the Day Can Create Unstoppable Learning"

http://www.irishtimes.com/news/educ ation/to-be-honest-gifted-childrenhave-special-needs-too-1.1733592#.VvZizvhvMcg.twitter: "To Be Honest: Gifted Children Have Special Needs Too"

http://www.elgarmummy.com/overexc itabilities-and-cartoon-characters/: "Overexcitabilities and Cartoon Characters"

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/brianstone/the-meaningless-buzzword-_b_9773920.html: "The Meaningless Buzzword That's Destroying American Education"

Send newsletter feedback to president@pacefortbend.org.

