

Need to Know

Official Newsletter for the GaPMP

Fall 2018

Special Kickoff Edition

Shine the Light on Family

Engagement

Sept. 5-7 2018 * Savannah Ga.

Registration link is open. All the info you need!

http://www.parentmentors.org/home/2018-kickoff/

https://gael.ps.membersuite.com/events/ViewEvent.aspx?contextID=e386dc0a-0078-cb96-40e9-0b3e6771035b

Here are some helpful Registration FAQs Do I have to put in a user name and password?

Yes. GAEL is managing the registration for us and this is how they keep track of registrations.

What if I don't remember my user name and password?

The username is your email address. If you don't remember your password, use the automated "Reset password" system. If that doesn't work, call (706-250-4800) or email Pat Myers (<u>pmyers @gael.org</u>) or Ginny Smith (<u>gsmith @gael.org</u>) at the GAEL office and they can reset it.

Do I have to join GAEL? No.

What do I do if I am registering for more than one person in my district? Everyone must have his or her own account, so each person must be registered separately. If you are registering more than one person, you need to use the correct email and password for each person and register them individually.

How will I know if my registration is confirmed?

An automatic response is sent to the individual who owns the account to confirm the registration. It will go to the email listed for the account. If you are registering for someone else, the confirmation will go to the person being registered and he/she would need to forward a copy to you.

2018 Phil Pickens Award Nominees Announced

Administrators







Adrienne Harris Director, Twiggs County



Each year, an administrator and a parent mentor are recognized as the Phil Pickens award winner.

This award bears the name and the spirit of the Georgia Parent Mentor Partnership founder Phil Pickens. It recognizes exceptional leadership in promoting and sustaining the mission of the GaPMP, to build effective family, school, and community partnerships that lead to greater achievement for students, especially those with disabilities.

Learn more about Phil Pickens: http://www.parentmentors.org/home/remembering-phil-pickens/

Parent Mentors

Shirley Daniels

Parent Mentor, Mitchell County



Kim Gibson

Parent Mentor, Ware County



JoEllen Hancock

Parent Mentor, Cherokee County





Parent Mentor, Chatham County





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