

Upcoming Workshop: Saturday, May 30, 2015, 9:30 – 11:30 am

The Musical Voices of the Young Child & the Teacher

Location: **Preschool of the Arts**, 11 Science Court, Madison, WI 53711

Presenter: Beth Marshall, Madison Chapter President
Music Specialist at Preschool of the Arts

Every being has the innate ability to sing, create sound and rhythms and to be moved by music. This workshop focuses on the musical voices of the child and the teacher. Gather developmentally appropriate techniques and vocal games that provide foundations to vocal health, vocal & rhythm patterns, and singing aptitudes for both the child and the teacher! As teachers, we provide that open environment to hear, explore and nurture the child's voice. But what if the teacher isn't comfortable with his or her own singing voice? We'll explore ways for you as teachers to "find," strengthen, and nurture your singing voice to be comfortable leading your class in song.

Workshop Objectives:

- Learn developmentally appropriate warm-ups, songs, games and movements to grow the young child's musical voice.
- Explore teacher vocal range and pitch to strengthen the teacher ability to lead songs for their classroom.
- Understand the importance of having music and movement each day in the early childhood classroom.

2 Registry Credit Hours

\$10 workshop participation fee, Free to Members of Greater Madison Area Chapter

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