2015 Women's Life Conference



SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER April 25, 2015 • Jones County Junior College

Agenda

7:30 A.M.

Conference Check-In
Entertainment by Charles Carter

8:00 A.M. Welcome

8:15 A.M. - 9:15 A.M. Bessie & Beulah Comedy Show

9:15 A.M. - 10:15 P.M.
OUR DOCTORS hosted by Allyson Knotts

10:15 P.M. - 10:45 P.M. Refreshment Break

11:00 A.M.
Keynote Presentation
by

Lisa Whelchel

12:00 NOON
Door Prize Luncheon



KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

Lisa Whelchel

You take the good, you take the bad. Just like the millions of young girls who grew up watching her on "The Facts of Life", Lisa Whelchel knows that familiar tune. By the time the Texasborn beauty won the role of Blair Warner on the wildly popular sitcom, she had already become a seasoned actress as a

Mouseketeer for Walt Disney's "The New Mickey Mouse Club".

Unlike the shallow, spoiled socialite Blair, the young actress quickly learned that what life seemed to deliver on a silver platter could be most unfulfilling. During the NBC series second season, the 16 year old rising star's weight gain led to an embarrassing weigh-in on the stage set, and degrading public comments from the Hollywood set. Fortunately, a short trip back to Texas reconnected the religious teen with her spiritual support system, nourishing her soul and inspiring her to manage her waistline.

Today, the faith-based author, motivational speaker, mom of three and 2013 "Survivor" finalist has found a new way to inspire women. Over age 50, fit and glowing, Ms. Whelchel has toured with "Women of Faith", "Extraordinary Women", and "Women of Joy". Her first book, "Creative Correction", released October 2000, has sold over 200,000 copies. In addition, she has written over a dozen books including "The Facts of Life and Other Lessons My Father Taught Me", "The ADVENTure of Christmas", "The Busy Mom's Guide" Series, and her most recent, "Friendship for Grownups".

Ms. Whelchel made her return to feature films in Tyler Perry's "A Madea Christmas", and she is slated to begin filming another original movie, "The Mommy Bloggers" for Hallmark Channel this year.

Bessie & Beulah comedy show:

The 2015 Women's Life Conference will kick off with an exciting show of the most fun interaction you will ever experience. These feisty ladies will have you standing, singing, dancing, and howling at their "stress-relievers" -- everything from movies to money to mothers-in-law. The startling ending always generates a delightful gasp of surprise!



BECKY BAKER:

Professional model, actress, author, speaker, teacher and entrepreneur, Becky Baker brings experience, inspiration and motivation to audiences across America. She has taught at California State University at San Diego, University of San Diego, Palomar College, and Chapman University; and was selected to receive the Disney Teacher of the Year Award. She also received the prestigious USCD Teacher of the Year Award. Becky's production company, Brata Productions, stages live productions, and has produced a television pilot. In addition, Becky has authored two books, *Joy Killers* and *The Do's and Don'ts for Teachers*.

KATIE BLACKBURN:

For over 30 years Katie Blackburn has been entertaining audiences through professional theatre and stand-up comedy. Her spontaneous humor and quick wit have enabled her to get through everything in life from divorce to death to raising her 3 children. Katie has also produced, written and directed large productions for churches in Southern California. As "Bessie", she has delighted audiences around the country and has shared the stage with Barbara Bush, Dan Quayle, and the late Paul Harvey. Katie was one of the founding members of SAK Theatre, which became one of the major entertainment attractions at Disney's Epcot Center.

Meet Our Doctors

You will gain a world of knowledge as you listen to our panel of local health care professionals.

HOSTED BY: ALLYSON KNOTTS



Rebecca Roberts, D. O. is a Obstetrician/Gynecologist with OB-GYN Group of Laurel.







Lisa Bond, M. D. a Medical Oncologist will soon join South Central Cancer Center.





Derrick Burgess, M. D. is an Orthopaedic Surgeon with South Central Orthopaedics.





Stacey Smithers, M. D. is a General Surgeon with Laurel Surgery Clinic.







Jeremy Rogers, D. O. is an Emergency Medicine Physician with the SCRMC Emergency Department





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ENTERTAINMENT BY:

Charles Carter

A phenomenal singer and musician, Charles Carter began his career as a

youth while singing in his church choir, and playing a handed down flute. A gifted, self-taught musician, Charles is equally talented with the saxophone, drums, bass guitar and keyboard. Charles has discovered his God-given talents and purpose in life: "To serve God with all my heart. To use the gifts and talents God has given me, while remaining humble, and to sow peace and joy into the souls of everyone I meet."

Registration Information

Your \$30.00 Registration fee for the 2015 WOMEN'S LIFE CONFERENCE includes:

- Continental Breakfast
- Entertainment by Charles Carter
 - Bessie & Beulah
- OUR DOCTORS with host Allyson Knotts
 - Door Prizes
 - Luncheon
 - Signed conference tote bag
- Keynote Presentation by Lisa Whelchel

If you would like to attend

please fill out the enclosed registration card and mail it along with your \$30 fee in the envelope provided.

Make checks payable to South Central Regional Medical Center.

Seating is limited to the first 500 registration cards received.

No registration will be available at the door.

We hope to see you there!