

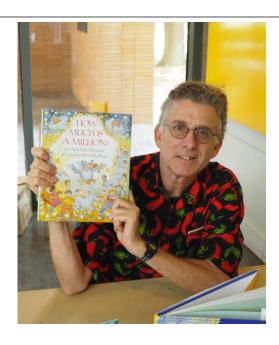
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Children's book author and speaker, David M. Schwartz, delivered the keynote presentation at the 51st Annual RGVCTM conference on November 5, 2016. Schwartz is the author of *How Much is a Million?* and almost 50 other books. Thank you, David, for an entertaining and educational presentation!

Upcoming Conferences

National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM) Annual Conference April 5-8, 2017 San Antonio, TX http://nctm.org

Conference for the Advancement of Mathematics Teaching (CAMT) July 10 - 12, 2017 Fort Worth, TX http://camtonline.org

The Pathway to Great Mathematics
Teaching!
Saturday, November 4, 2017

UTRGV Edinburg, Texas http://rgvctm.org

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President's Message

For many years, the Rio Grande Valley Council of Teachers of Mathematics (RGVCTM) has organized an annual conference to support mathematics education across South Texas. The 51st Annual Mathematics Conference last November was a great success thanks to the efforts of RGVCTM Board Members, UTRGV personnel, volunteers, presenters, exhibitors, and conference attendees. It is through the cooperation of all those involved that we are able to enrich mathematics education for the students of the Rio Grande Valley. We extend a special thanks to the University of Texas Rio Grande Valley for their continued support in hosting the conference.

Look for more details about the conference as they become available. Join our Facebook page or follow us on Twitter to be one of the 1st to get the information. We invite you to join us for this outstanding event. The conference will be held at UTRGV on November 4, 2017. The registration form is in this newsletter and it is available at www.rgvctm.org. We welcome your suggestions for improvement of the conference, presenters, or exhibitors.

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The participant registration form is online at this link:

RGVCTM Conference Participant Registration

There is also a paper copy in this newsletter.

We are now accepting presenter proposals for the 52nd annual conference. If you are interested in submitting a presenter proposal, please use the following link to the online form:

Presenter Proposal Submission

For an advertisement in our conference program, you may download the application at the following address:

www.rgvctm.org/exhibitors.html















Rio Grande Valley Council of Teachers of Mathematics

52nd Annual Mathematics Conference The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg, TX November 4, 2017 Conference 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Registration Fee: \$50 on or before October 7, 2017; \$75 after October 7, 2017

(On-site registration will be available at the north side of the Education building at 7:00 a.m.)

Submit registration forms and purchase orders to Moncy Reyna via email at moncyreynargvctm@gmail.com or fax to (956) 424-6340.

Please make money order(s) or check(s) payable to RGVCTM and send to the address listed below:

Moncy Reyna PO BOX 1107 La Joya, TX 78560 Phone: (956) 458-5271

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The deadline to cancel a registration for a partial refund is October 7, 2017. No refunds for registrations will be issued for cancellations which occur after October 7, 2017.

No programs packets will be delivered to schools. All participants must pick up programs at the north side of the Education building starting at 7 A.M. Each participant will need to show identification to pick up program packet. If a school needs to substitute one participant for another, the substitute must show a note from the school.

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Betty Rountree Education Grant

The RGVCTM offers several grants to potential and current mathematics teachers each academic school year. Current members of RGVCTM who have successfully completed a college level mathematics or mathematics education course may apply for a grant. Our goal is to assist individuals who plan continued study leading toward a mathematics teaching certification or who desire to continue studies in undergraduate and/or graduate work in mathematics or mathematics education. A member may receive, at most, one grant. The grant money is to be used to help defray tuition and textbook costs for any mathematics or mathematics education course.

RGVCTM's Betty Rountree Grant Application	Date of Application	
Name of Applicant		
Position_	Grade Level	
Years of Experience	Work Phone	
District	Campus	
Home Address		
Email Address		
Home PhoneCell 1	Phone	
College or university in which you are enrolled		
Name of mathematics course in which you are enro	lled	
Date or expected date of completion of course		
Winners must submit proof of completion (e.g. tran	script, report card) to receive award.	
Please state the need for this grant (financial/acader successful completion of the course in which you as	, I	
Send application to Velma Sanchez, 4010 N. Junipe	Dl TV 70577	