

Brazos Valley Math Teachers' Circle

April 20, 2010

Dear Brazos Valley Math Teachers,

The Math Teachers' Circle is having its third meeting of this year. Why wait until the summer to have a CAMT-like experience? Here's an opportunity right here in the Brazos Valley to earn 3 hours of Continuing Professional Education Credits at no expense without having to take time off during the school year to attend a conference. And the meetings are in the evening. So you don't even have to prepare for a substitute.

The purpose of the Brazos Valley Math Teachers' Circle is to encourage teachers of grades 5 - 12 to enrich their math curriculum through a problem solving approach to teaching mathematics. During each meeting, we have a math problem solving activity, dinner and a second activity. In addition, teachers have an opportunity to interact with university mathematicians and other math teachers as they work together to enhance the learning environment for their students. Here's the information on our next meeting:

5:30 - 8:30 Monday, April 26, 2010 Room C113 of the Main Building of the A&M United Methodist Church in College Station

Please RSVP for the free dinner by e-mailing Philip Yasskin at <u>yasskin@math.tamu.edu</u> or calling 979-845-3734

The agenda for this first meeting and a map can be found at our website: <u>http://www.math.tamu.edu/outreach/BVMTC/</u>

The A&M United Methodist Church is on Church Street near College Main. Free parking is available in the church parking lot which may be entered from College Main

More information can be found at the national Math Teachers' Circle Network website: <u>http://mathteacherscircle.org/</u>

The Math Teachers' Circle Directors are looking forward to meeting each of you.

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