

An 6ú Comhdháil Bhliantiúil Cúram Leanaí
ar an **Satharn, 29^ú Samhain 2008**
Óstán Salthill, Bóthar na Trá, Gaillimh

Ábhar: Bain Taitneamh as an Noiméad



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6th Annual Childcare Conference
Saturday, 29th November 2008
Salthill Hotel, Salthill, Galway

Theme: Value the Moment



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Conference Programme

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- 9.30 a.m.** Registration, Tea/Coffee
- 10.00 a.m.** Introduction: Conference Chair: **Trevor Ó Clochartaigh Uas**, Chairperson of Galway City & County Childcare Committee and Manager of Cumas Teo
- 10.15 a.m.** Conference Launch and Launch of Irish Language Childminder Resource Packs: Mr Barry Andrews, TD, Minister for Children and Youth Affairs
- 10.30 a.m.** Special Guest Speaker: **Mr Peter Silva**, Chief Executive Officer, Peers Early Education Partnership (PEEP), introduced by Mr Alex MacLean, General Manager, HSE West.
PEEP provides training and support for practitioners and parents, offering ideas and activities to support children's learning in everyday situations.
- 11.15 a.m.** Presentation: **Ms Breda McCarthy**, Team Leader, HSE Pre-school Services
Topic: *Balancing Regulations and Freedom in Best Practice*
- 12.00 p.m.** Presentation: **Ms Maresa Duignan**, Assistant Director, CECDE.
Topic: *How Síolta can support quality practice in early childhood settings*
- 12.45 p.m.** Questions & Answers
- 1.00 p.m.** LUNCH
- 2.30 p.m.** Keynote Speaker: **Dr Tessa Livingstone**, Expert in Child Psychology and Executive Producer for the BBC series *Child of Our Time*
Topic: *Value the Moment – The Importance of Play When Spending Time with Children*
- 3.30 p.m.** Questions from the floor
- 4.00 p.m.** Conference ends
- 7.00 p.m.** Wine Reception
- 8.00 p.m.** Gala Christmas Dinner followed by music with Carmel Dempsey

Clár na Comhdhála

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- 9.30 r.n.** Clárú, Tae agus Caife
- 10.00 r.n.** Óráid ó Chathaoirleach na Comhdhála, an tUasal **Trevor Ó Clochartaigh** Cathaoirleach an Choiste Chúram Leanaí agus Bainisteoir Chumas Teo.
- 10.15 r.n.** Oscailt Ofigiúil na Comhdhála, agus Laineáil Pacáiste Eolais Feighlí Leanaí as Gaeilge, ag an tUasal Barry Andrews, TD, Aire na Leanaí agus Gnóthaí Óige
- 10.30 r.n.** Óráid ó **Peter Silva**, Príomhfheidhmeannach PEEP, curtha in aithne ag Alex MacLean Uas, Príomhfheidhmeannach Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte, An Iarthár.
Soláthar PEEP tacaíocht agus traenáil do sholáthraí agus tuismitheoirí faoi smaointe agus gníomhaíochtaí chun tacaíochta le leanaí chun deiseanna foghlama agus gníomhaíochta i gnáth imeacht lae.
- 11.15 r.n.** **Breda McCarthy**, Treoraí Foirne, Séirbhísí Réamhscoile Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte
Ábhar: *Cothromú na Rialacha agus Saoirse i nDea-Chleachtais.*
- 12.00 i.n.** **Maresa Duignan**, Stiúrthóir Cúnta, CECDE
Ábhar: *Síolta – Traenáil Oiliúint do Sholáthraí*
- 12.45 i.n.** Déanfar ceisteanna ón urlár a phlé
- 1.00 i.n.** LÓN
- 2.30 i.n.** **Dr Tessa Livingstone**, Síceolaí Leanaí agus Leitheoir Feidhmúcháin don Sraithe Clár BBC *Child of Our Time*
Ábhar: *Bain Taitneamh as an Noiméad – An Tábhacht leis an Spraoi i Measc Páistí*
- 3.30 i.n.** Déanfar ceisteanna ón urlár a phlé
- 4.00 i.n.** Deireadh na comhdhála
- 7.00 i.n.** Fáiltiú
- 8.00 i.n.** Dinnéar Mór na Nollag & Ceol le Banna Carmel Dempsey