A summit geared for
• preschool & elementary educators
• early childhood education specialists
• childcare providers
• after-school program practitioners
• parks & recreation professionals
• physical education professionals
• parents & grandparents

Learn about the science of play, literacy-based play, musical play, playing outdoors and more!

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Play is the most important work of childhood, setting the foundation for a child’s physical, emotional and cognitive wellbeing. The 2nd Annual Sacramento Play Summit, presented by Fairytale Town, the Sacramento Public Library and ScholarShare Speaks, aims to highlight the importance of play, the many types of play, ways to incorporate play into daily and school life, and more.

**KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

**Dr. Stuart Brown**  
*What Nature Wants You to Know About Play*  
Founder of the National Institute for Play and author of *Play: How it Shapes the Brain, Opens the Imagination, and Invigorates the Soul.*

**M. Sarah Klise**  
*Drawing from Memory*  
Illustrator of more than 30 award-winning children’s books, including *Regarding the Fountain* and the *43 Old Cemetery Road* series.

**Dr. Gnangurudasan Prakasam**  
*Healthy Playing, Living and Eating – Hear it from a Pediatric Diabetes Specialist*  
Director of Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes at the Children’s Center at Sutter Medical Center.

**BREAKOUT SESSIONS**

- **The Power of Real Play** with Bev Bos and Michael Leeman
- **Outdoor Play** with Annie Bosque
- **Musical Play** with Alan Candee
- **The World of Play** with Kathy Fleming
- **Drawing on Play** with M. Sarah Klise
- **Playing in Nature** with Shawna Martinez
- **Play and Literacy Panel** moderated by Rivkah Sass
- **Creative Storytelling** with Brett Stults and Eben Burgoon

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**Early Bird Registration Deadline:** August 31, 2014  
$35 per person / $25 students, seniors (65+), members of Fairytale Town, Friends of the Sacramento Library or ScholarShare account holders

**General Registration:**  
Beginning September 1, 2014  
$45 per person / $35 students, seniors (65+), members of Fairytale Town, Friends of the Sacramento Library or ScholarShare account holders  
$6 flat rate parking fee for attendees at the Standard Parking Garage (8th & J Streets)  
Morning coffee service, lunch and afternoon snacks included  
Conference may qualify for professional growth credit

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