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MCTE FALL CONFERENCE 1988

A HOUSE DIVIDED/A HOUSE UNITED: READING AND WRITING IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

November 4-5, 1988
Lansing Clarion Hotel

Call for Proposals

The Michigan Council of Teachers of English will be holding its annual Fall conference on Friday and Saturday of the first weekend in November this year. The new location will be the Lansing Clarion Hotel, adjacent to the Lansing Conference Center. Members interested in participating may complete the form provided in the March 1988 issue of The Michigan English Teacher or submit the following information:

- 1) Name, Home Address, Phone Number(s), School
- 2) Indication of proposed conference role: Speaker, Session Chair, Session Host/Recorder
- 3) Information about the session or presentation you'd like to make:
 - a) Title of the Session
 - b) Length (1 hour 35 minutes **or** 45 minutes)
 - c) Audience (Elementary, Middle School/Junior High, Secondary, College)
 - d) Names and addresses of all presenters who would contribute to that session.
 - e) A description of your proposed presentation (one page maximum) identifying the topic, summarizing the major points to be made, and indicating the method of presentation.

Note: If audio-visual equipment is absolutely essential for your presentation, please plan to bring that equipment with you. If you will need a projection screen, please indicate that in your session description.

Information on the program for the conference will be made available to members in Fall issues of The Michigan English Teacher. Proposals should be mailed by May 30, 1988, to:

Barbara A. Quirk
MCTE Conference Chair
3190 Slaton #506
Saginaw, MI 48603

NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR FRIES AWARD

Each year MCTE honors one or more of its colleagues with the presentation of the Charles Carpenter Fries Award. Jean Brown, Past President, is now asking MCTE members for nominations. Nominees should meet the following criteria:

- 1) Long and faithful service to the profession of English;
- 2) Distinguished leadership, not only in his/her own community, but also at the state or national level;
- 3) Inspirational qualities for students and colleagues;
- 4) Originality or individuality; and,
- 5) Academic superiority.

Nominations should include:

- 1) A description of the extent and nature of the nominee's teaching experience;
- 2) Names of administrators, colleagues, and/or friends qualified to give further information about the nominee's qualifications;
- 3) A list of the nominee's professional affiliations, including offices she/he has held;
- 4) Details of other evidence of the nominee's professional and academic achievement, including the titles of articles or books; and,
- 5) A brief statement of other details in the nominee's history which make convincing evidence of eligibility for the award.

Nominees need not be members of MCTE and more than one award may be given. Nominations should be sent to: Jean Brown, 5075 Clydesdale, Saginaw, MI 48603.

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CALL FOR MET EDITOR APPLICATIONS

The current term of editorship for *The Michigan English Teacher* will expire June 30, 1988. The next term will run from July 1, 1988 until June 30, 1990. Members of the Michigan Council of Teachers of English interested in this position should send a letter indicating their interest and qualifications to:

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