

Greater Mt. Nebo AME Church  
and  
Our Black Authors Foundation  
**2010 Summer Youth Writing Camp**

The Summer Youth Writing Camp is a major component of the Our Black Authors Foundation's youth development programs. The program provides professional writing instructions to promising young writers in grades 5-9 in a nurturing environment. Our aim is to help children develop confidence and maturity to improve their writing skills. This program is a joint venture of the Greater Mt. Nebo AME Church Youth Department and Our Black Authors Foundation, (OBAF) and is of no tuition cost for the participants, with the exception of a \$150.00 application fee. This year's Writing Camp will take place June 21-25, 2010 from 9:00am-4:00pm at 1001 Old Mitchellville Road in Bowie, Maryland. The emphasis of the program is on learning and having fun while developing good self-editing skills, through activities such as writing assignments, critiques, group discussions, guest presenters, and visits to local sites as potential sources of writing. The camp day will consist of morning instructions and afternoon field trips. The Writing Camp's main objective is to enrich the students' writing abilities by developing their language-use skills. Good communication skills will enable the students to express their ideas more clearly. Students will learn to write complete sentences, create super sentences, paragraphs, essays, short stories, short autobiographies, poems, skits, and one act plays. In addition, the students will continuously study grammar and write daily journal entries. Please complete the below application and send a \$150.00 check or money order to **PO Box 6945, Largo, MD 20792**. For more information, you may contact OBAF at [info@ourblackauthors.com](mailto:info@ourblackauthors.com).

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Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone Number (with area code): \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone Number (with area code): \_\_\_\_\_