

CONFERENCE FOR EDUCATORS AND SCHOOLS WORKING WITH WALDORF METHODS IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR

January 18-20, 2008 at Rudolf Steiner College

Registration: Friday, 6:00 pm-6:45 pm • Saturday, 7:15 am-8:15 am in Stegmann Hall

Enlivening the Curriculum through Artistic and Imaginative Practice

Friday

5:30-6:30pm

Dinner—Barton

6:00-6:45

Registration: Stegmann Hall Teacher Ed Room—Please pick up your packets and sign up for one workshop (three sessions each). This will be your workshop for Saturday and Sunday.

7:00-9:15

Developing the Middle School Culture:

Passages—Students Coming of Age, Teachers Changing Roles with Betty Staley
Followed by Middle School Forum with Betty Staley, Antje Staub, and Mary Holt

Saturday

7:15 - 8:15am

Late Arrival Registration: Stegmann Hall Teacher Ed Room—Please pick up your packets and sign up for one workshop (three sessions each). This will be your workshop for Saturday and Sunday.

Coffee and Tea will be served. Please **do not** bring refreshments into Stegmann Hall.

8:30 - 9:15

Welcome / Introduction with Arline Monks, Debi Lenny, and George Hoffecker—**Stegmann Main Hall**

9:15 –10:15

The Art of Imaginative Teaching with Dennis Klocek—**Stegmann Main Hall**

10:15-10:45

Refreshment Break

10:45-11:20

Singing with Eva Cranstoun

11:30–1:00

Workshop Sessions

- **Early Childhood** with Doris Rainville
- **Understanding and Addressing the Needs of Learning/Behavior Challenged Children** with Ingun Schneider
- **Singing** with Eva Cranstoun
- **Chalkboard Drawing** with Gail Lescher
- **Painting** with Marianne Gray
- **Brain Research and The Foundations of Human Experience** (formerly *Study of Man*) with Bonnie River
- **Grades 1-4: Main Lesson: Capacity and Skill Building** with Barbara Warren
- **Grades 5-8: Main Lesson: Capacity and Skill Building** with Antje Staub
- **Administrators' Seminar: Organizing Schools for Success** with George Hoffecker and Donna Burgess

1:00–2:15pm

Lunch

All Refreshment Breaks and Meals for Saturday and Sunday will be Served in Philadelphia Hall.

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Saturday cont.

- 2:15–3:00 *Creating a Main Lesson that Breathes with Healthy Rhythms* with Patrick Wakeford-Evans
—Stegmann Main Hall
- 3:10-4:30 *Workshop Sessions*
- 4:30-4:45 Refreshment Break
- 5:00-6:00 *Opportunities for Conversation:*
- **Grade-Level Cohorts** — *Please sign up at registration.*
 - **Administrators' Cohort**
- 6:00 - 7:15 **Dinner**—*Philadelphia Hall*
- 7:30 - 9:00 *Folk Dance* with Donna Burgess —**Stegmann Hall**

Sunday

- 8:00-8:30am Coffee and Tea served. Please do not bring refreshments into Stegmann Hall.
- 8:30-9:00am *About the Alliance for Public Waldorf Education* with George Hoffecker and Donna Burgess
- 9:00-10:00 *Strengthening the Inner Life of the Teacher and Servant Leader* with Betty Staley
- 10:00-10:30 *Singing* with Eva Cranstoun
- 10:30- 11:00 Refreshment Break
- 11:00-12:30 *Workshop Sessions*
- 12:30-1:45 Lunch
- 1:45-3:15 *Focus Groups:*
- **Middle School Forum** with Betty Staley, Antje Staub, Mary Holt, and others
 - **Exploring Classroom Approaches for Children with Learning Challenges** with Ingun Schneider
- 3:15-3:30 Refreshment Break
- 3:30-4:30 Initiatives and Plenum with George Hoffecker, Donna Burgess, Allegra Allesandri—**Stegmann Main Hall**
- 5:00-7:30 Dinner/Cabaret