

FRIDAY FORECAST

A weekly round-up of professional development opportunities and news for educators serving students in DuPage County

Last Call Differentiation in Reading Instruction: Leading the Work with New York Times bestselling author and teacher, Jennifer Serravallo

Due to recent cancellations, a limited number of seats are now available. Don't delay as spots will fill up quickly. To register click <u>HERE</u>.

NEW EVALUATOR RETRAINING REQUIREMENT UPDATE 2017-18 - PRINICPAL AND ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL EVALUATOR AA IS HERE!

The DuPage Regional Office of Education has two state-certified trainers ready to deliver this academy in your district! Please contact Dr. Beth Sullivan, bsullivan@dupageroe.org to schedule this training. Click HERE for more information.

TIDE Fall Classes are Open!

Registration for fall *Teachers In-Service for DuPage Educators* (TIDE) is now open. <u>Click HERE</u> to view course offerings with upcoming registration deadlines. Click <u>HERE</u> to view the entire TIDE course list for fall and click <u>HERE</u> to register. For questions please contact D'Arcy Greenleaf at <u>dgreenleaf@dupageroe.org</u>.

<u>Gifted Education Seminar – Still Open</u>

The DuPage Regional Office of Education has a Gifted Education Seminar(GES) listed for Fall enrollment. There are still openings for interested educators. To register click <u>HERE</u>.

<u>Inquiry-Based Instruction in Social Studies -</u> September 28

Experience lessons guided by the new standards and walk away with free resources that embrace the C3 Inquiry Arc. Collaborate with colleagues as you examine strategies to facilitate student engagement in addressing essential and supporting questions. Explicit connections will be made to the Common Core State Standards, Social Emotional Learning Standards, 21st Century Skills and the Danielson Framework for Effective Teaching. To register, click HERE.

<u>Climate, Culture and Inquiry-</u> Based Instruction - October 19

Please plan on attending an interactive and informative professional development opportunity: *Strengthening Climate and Culture in our Schools*. It is presented by the National School Climate Center (NSCC) and Facing History and Ourselves.

This opportunity will engage participants in the research based core elements of an effective school climate improvement process. Topics will include empowering youth, addressing bias and equity, and instructional and environmental strategies to improve climate and culture in our schools/districts. To register, click HERE.

<u>Last Call School Leader Partnership – Administrators Academy</u>

Registration is now open for superintendents and principals to participate in a collaborative leadership program which will provide support, meaningful discussion and coaching/mentoring opportunities regarding common challenges as educational leaders. (see attachment)

Superintendent Detail & Registration Principal Detail & Registration

NEW Special Interest: Attention Athletic Directors / Coaches FUTURES' Coaching Boys into Men (CBIM)

FUTURES' Coaching Boys into Men (CBIM) is a program that facilitates connections by providing high school athletic coaches with resources to promote respectful behavior among their players. Click the following links for details on the program.:

- Futures Without Violence
- Coaching Boys into Men Playbook
- Coaching Boys into Men Cards
- Information received from Department of Probation & Court Services

Myths of Marijuana

On September 28, the Glenbard Parent Series and SAM, Smart Approaches to Marijuana, will host Myths of Marijuana, by Dr. Kevin Sabet. Dr. Sabet is an author who has studied, researched and implemented drug

policy for over 20 years and has been an advisor to three United States presidential administrations. His presentation will address the common myths of marijuana, costs of legalization and lessons learned from other parts of the country that have legalized it. The free presentation will be held at the Marquardt Center from 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Please feel free to pass this flier on to interested colleagues and contacts. Contact Gilda Ross for more information at Gilda_Ross@glenbard.org or at (630) 942-7668. No registration is required.

Empowering Students Through Evaluating Sources and Using Evidence - October 26

Empower your students to be wise consumers and producers of information through new literacy tools that can enhance your current practice. Experience strategies that require students to examine multiple perspectives in order to communicate conclusions and take informed action. Explicit connections will be made to the Illinois Social Studies Standards, the Common Core State Standards, Social Emotional Learning Standards, 21st Century Skills and the Danielson Framework for Effective Teaching. To register, click HERE.

<u>Update on Center for</u> <u>Professional Learning Location (CPL)</u>

REMINDER: The CPL location permanently closed on June 26. Until further notice, temporary offices for the CPL staff will be located at the Regional Office of Education in Wheaton. Please continue to use the general CPL phone number, 630.495.6080, and the regular email addresses to contact service providers and staff. CPL relocation updates will be shared as those details become available.

News You Can Use:

*Spread the Word! Open Door Event

Please help promote the 2017 Open Door Event coordinated by DuPage PADS that will be held on Friday, October 27 from 9:00 a.m. until noon. This event will bring together social service agencies from across DuPage County to provide resources, services and a variety of items for families in need. Click here for a downloadable flier to share with families and clients. Follow this event on social media #OpenDoorEvent2017.

*Listing of upcoming Administrator Academies