

LEADERSHIP MENDOCINO

Education & Community Development Day

Friday, Jan. 15, 2010

Today's Goal is: *To gain an understanding of the possibilities for our education system and the importance of an involved citizenry in creating healthy communities.*

- 8:10—8:50 a.m. *Project Discussion Time*
- 8:50—9:00 a.m. **Welcome and Introduction**
- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. **Bird's-Eye View of Education in Mendocino County**
Paul Tichinin, Superintendent of Schools, Mendocino County Office of Education
- 9:30—9:40 a.m. *Break*
- 9:40—11:50 a.m. **Exploration of Education with Mentors, Pre-School through Community College and short tour of Fort Bragg High School Voc-Tech facilities**
Maya Stuart, First Five
Bronwyn Rhoades, Principal, Mendocino Kindergarten to Middle School
Twyla Rutherford, Special Programs, Fort Bragg Unified School District
Brent Rutherford, Fort Bragg High School Voc-Tech
Allen Urbani, Principal, Fort Bragg High School
Geisce Ly, Dean, College of the Redwoods
Doug Hammerstrom, Mayor, City of Fort Bragg
Kendall Smith, Mendocino County Supervisor, 4th District
- 11:50 a.m.—1 p.m. *Travel to College of the Redwoods*
Lunch
- 1:00—2:30 p.m. **Tour of the G-P Millsite and Overview of the Community's Development Ideas**
Marie Jones, Community Development Director, City of Fort Bragg
- 2:30—2:50 p.m. *Break and travel to C.V. Starr Community Center*
- 2:50—3:50 p.m. **Case Study: Critical Thinking about the Importance of Community Involvement in Community Development**
David Yeomans, President, C.V. Starr Community Center Board of Directors
- 3:50—4:00 p.m. *Travel back to College of the Redwoods*
- 4:00—4:30 p.m. **Group Discussion: Homework Reading from the Book, *Communities: The Structure of Belonging*, by Peter Block**
- 4:30 – 5:00 p.m. Project Discussion & Wrap-up