CESA 5 Adolescent Literacy Network 2010-2011 Meetings

October 25, 2010 8:30-3:00/CESA 5 Topic: Gender Workshop #953

We will spend the day discussing how gender impacts adolescent literacy and school success. Morning programming includes a presentation from the principal and staff from Beaver Dam Middle School regarding their same-sex classrooms.



We will then explore William G. Brozo's book, *To Be a Boy, To Be a Reader: Engaging Teen and Preteen boys in Active Literacy.* In its 2nd edition, Brozo's book sheds light on specific ways to meet boys'

interests, boost their motivation, increase their achievement in school, and set them on a path of lifelong literacy. All participants will receive a copy.

December 20. 2010 8:30-3:00/CESA 5 Topic: Engagement Workshop #983

This meeting will focus on a variety of strategies to engage adolescent learners. We will discuss current articles and teacher resources, as well as engagement issues in your building. Based on recent grade reports, what is the number of students failing due to non-academic reasons? What is being done in your building to engage kids?

Jacki Martindale will be joining us in the afternoon to present Poetry Out Loud, one of many contests which may help to engage some of your students.



February 22, 2011 9:00-3:00/CCBC Topic: What's New? Workshop #984



We will meet at the Cooperative Children's Book Center (CCBC) on the UW Campus in Madison to hear a presentation on the latest and greatest children's and young adult literature.

Then, Erin Schwane, an English teacher will share Web 2.0 tools for the classroom BRING



LAPTOPS! Technology has been shown to increase engagement and boost success for today's learner. You will definitely walk away with some new tools in your toolbox.

April 18, 2011
8:30-3:00/CESA 5
Topic: Common Core
Standards
Workshop #985

Get into the new English/Language Arts standards as we explore and discuss the adoption process and what it means for teaching and learning.

Register for these events at www.myquickreg.com.

Questions?
Contact Lisa Arneson at arnesonl@cesa5.k12.wi.us

Cost (per session)

CESA 5 Student Achievement Members- \$25 CESA 5 Center Members - \$50 All Others - \$100