

December PBIS Coach Connection - NRIP

This newsletter is sent to current PBIS coaches. Please pass on to administrators and team members as needed.

PBIS Quote of the Month

"Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn" -Ben Franklin

How Schools Build Positive Climate Through Advisory

<https://ww2.kqed.org/mindshift/2016/01/12/how-schools-build-a-positive-culture-through-advisory/>

"Every kid is ONE caring adult away from being a success story." - Josh Shipp

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OfWWWsrIGvs>

What do we mean when we say "Social Emotional Skills?"

A [quick read](#) on some of the skills and traits that fall under the SES umbrella.

Coach Connect Virtual Meetings hosted by Metro Region

PBIS on the Playground December 18 3:15-3:45

<https://meeting.anymeeting.com/212-622-830>

Data Tip(s)

"Our Favorite Things" from PBISApps

[24 things](#) you are just going to love. Whether it is a favorite pen or an innovative way to bring technology to the classroom, here are the little things in the world that will bring big joy to your day!

Cohort 14 Applications Out

Know of a school interested in PBIS? Encourage them to apply for Cohort 14 training.

The application can be found at pbismn.org

Interested in Restorative Practices Training?

See chart below for upcoming opportunities.

Tier 1 Booster Training/Guided Team Action Planning/Tier II Training

Training will be offered in 3 locations again this year. Each location will have two days of training as well as space available for team action planning. See below for registration or [click here](#) for more information.

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Upcoming Events

What	Topic(s)	Date(s)	Time	Where	How to Register
Coach Connect hosted by Metro Region	PBIS on the Playground	December 18	3:15-3:45pm	Virtual Meeting	https://meeting.anymeeting.com/212-622-830

All Coach Webinar (cohorts 1-13)	varies	January 22 One more TBD	3:30pm	Webinar via Anymeeting.com	
Tier I Booster	Tier I Basics - for a team that need a reboot	Jan. 23	8:30am to 3:30pm	St. Cloud	Opens Dec. 1
Guided Team Time	½ day Action Planning with trainer support	Jan. 23	8:30am to 11:30am Or 12:30pm - 3:00pm	St. Cloud	Opens Dec. 1
Tier II	Systems and Critical Features	Jan. 24	8:30am to 3:30pm	St. Cloud	Opens Dec. 1
MDE Summer Institute	varies	June 13 & 14, 2018		Roseville, MN	TBD
Restorative Practices Int'l Conference		Aug. 9-11, 2018		St. Paul, MN	TBD

Restorative Practices Trainings

1. The 18th Annual Restorative Practices in Schools Trainings will be held June 18-22, 2018, at Forest Elementary School, Crystal. The Minnesota Department of Education (MDE) School Safety Technical Assistance Center partners with the Legal Rights Center and Robbinsdale Area Schools to offer the trainings. Trainings offered will include Circle Training, Repair of Harm-Circle or Conferencing, Family Group Conferencing, Foundations of Restorative Practices, and Circles and Equity. More information will be available in January.

2. [Register now](#) for the August 9-12, 2018 “International Conference on Restorative Practices – Restoring Self, Restoring Community, Restoring World.” The conference is being held at Metro State University, St. Paul. Workshop proposals are being accepted until January 15, 2018.

3. Other Trainings: Restorative practices trainings offered by community organizations and school districts follow. (Note: MDE provides this information but is not a sponsor of the trainings.)

- “Restorative Justice/Community Building Circle” is being held Jan. 13, 14 and 15, 2018, from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Hanaa Arafat is offering the training through Community Mediation & Restorative Services. Cost is \$250. [Register now and find more information.](#) You may also contact MiaLisa Millares at [763-561-0033](tel:763-561-0033).

- “Beyond Technique: A Mindfulness-based Approach to Restorative Dialogue,” a one -day, eight hour advanced workshop, is being held Friday, February 16, 2018. Mark Umbreit will lead the session at the University of Minnesota, St. Paul. For information and to register, visit the [workshop webpage](#).

- “STAR-Lite Training: Trauma Healing, Learning Strategies for Trauma Awareness and Resilience in a Single Day” is being held Saturday, Jan. 27, 2018, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. in Saint Paul. This training is sponsored by [MN Peace](#). The training is free but, [register now](#) because the class is limited to 60 registrants.

