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Burn Hall, 7–8 May 2011

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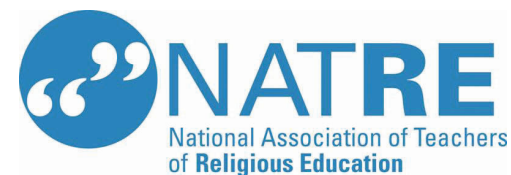
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The North of England RE Conference

Challenging RE

11 am Saturday 7 May – 3 pm Sunday 8 May 2011

A conference opportunity for all teachers of RE

Primary RE, Secondary RE, Special RE

Generously supported by the St Gabriel's Programme

Burn Hall Hotel and Conference Centre

Tollerton Road

Huby, York, YO61 1JB

www.burn-hall.co.uk



Burn Hall, just north of York: a pleasant setting for the conference

Cost to delegates: £100

Includes all meals, accommodation, programme, conference pack and disk

Bookings close: 31 March 2011

There will be a full programme of seminars and workshops featuring:
Professor Vivienne Baumfield, Professor Julian Stern, Deborah Weston,
Shantha Rao, Fiona Moss, Ann Krismann, Lat Blaylock, Alastair Ross,
Juliet Lyal, Ed Pawson, Heather Marshall, Olivia Seymour, Helen Harrison

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Programme

Saturday 7 May
Session 1: 11.15 am – 12.45 pm Professor Julian Stern
Lunch
Session 2: 2.15 – 3.45 pm Seminars and workshops
Tea
Session 3: 4.15 – 5.45 pm Seminars and workshops
Resources exchange: bring, swap, learn, share
7.30 pm Dinner
After-dinner speaker
Sunday 8 May
Session 4: 9.15 – 10 am Alan Brine HMI
Session 5: 10.10 – 11.30 am Seminars and workshops
Coffee
Session 6: 11.45 am – 1.00 pm Seminars and workshops
Lunch
Session 7: 2.00 – 3.00 pm Professor Vivienne Baumfield 'Making RE work: a thoughtful future for the subject'

Teachers of RE do a lot with a little: they take 30 restive pupils in one hand and blend them with the spice and nourishment of the world's religions in the other. It can be an intoxicating task to mix these ingredients, but it's often exhausting too. Teachers who love RE try to be master chefs, but feel as if their time allowance or budget is thin gruel. Well, if you're yearning for a tempting menu of professional development, keen to share the cheering wine of mutual interest, happy to sup for a weekend on the juicy fruit of good learning, then sign up for the St Gabriel's/NATRE north of England RE conference.

When the chef of destiny comes to cook your order you have plenty of choice from the menu of hope. (That metaphor may have gone a bit far, but the whole point is it will be good!)

Seminar and workshop programme

Please number your first and second choices for each of the seminar slots below.

Session 2: Saturday 2.15 – 3.45 pm		1 or 2
4–7s	Fiona Moss: Speaking and listening for great RE with 4–7s	
5–11s	Lat Blaylock: Six ways to make progress that are fun to assess in RE 5–11	
Special RE	Anne Krismann: Active RE for the SEN pupil	
7–14s	Olivia Seymour: Practical learning from Christianity	
11–16s	Ed Pawson: Advanced RE – making the secondary department exciting and rigorous	
Session 3: Saturday 4.15 – 5.45 pm		
4–8s	Lat Blaylock: Reflecting thoughtfully – creative RE that makes young children think	
7–14s	Helen Harrison: Personal meaning through RE	
Special RE	Ann Krismann: The spiritual heart of RE	
11–16s	Alastair Ross: Improving pupils' experience of RE – more excitement, more challenge	
7–14s	Deborah Weston: Teaching Islam effectively in Britain today	
Session 5 Sunday 10.10 – 11.30 am		
4–7s	Juliet Lyal: Children beginning RE – exciting starting points for 4–7s	
7–14s	Shantha Rao: Hindu dance	
11–16s	Deborah Weston: Better leadership and management in secondary RE	
7–16s	Heather Marshall: Controversy, cohesion and respect – practical explorations in RE	
Session 6: Sunday 11.45 am – 1.00 pm		
4–11	Fiona Moss: Imaginative RE 4–11	
5–11s	Shantha Rao: Hindu dance	
Primary + Sec	How to move from good to outstanding in RE teaching: the HMI view	
7–14s	Lat Blaylock: Enquiring for myself – five ideas for pupil-led RE enquiry learning and how to assess them	