Annual Headteachers' Conference 2013

'At the heart of the educational process lies the child' Plowden - HMSO -1967

Three phase based workshops in the afternoon:

- 1. EYFS Leading the characteristics of effective Early Years learning
- 2. Primary/Special New curriculum
- 3. **Secondary/Special** *The exam system* (NIEAS) **Delegates** are requested to sign up for the workshops when booking

Keynote Speakers

Mick Waters Mick believes in being close to teachers, children and schools, and is often to be found in the classroom working with children. He has written books on the curriculum, teaching and learning, and management, as well as making presentations at numerous

national and international conferences. He is passionate about the role of education in improving life chances for pupils. He enjoys asking adults to look at learning through the eyes of a pupil.

Venue:

John Innes Conference Centre, Norwich

Date and Time:

Thursday 26th September 2013 9.00 am—4.00 pm (refreshments and lunch included)

Cost: £100 per delegate

Places can be booked online at www.cpd.norfolk.gov.uk/sdms/

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Hywel Roberts Hywel is an Advanced Skills Teacher, a visiting practitioner to the Bloomsbury Theatre, London, Manchester Metropolitan University, an associate consultant for the University of Wolverhampton and a member of the National Executive for the National Association for the Teaching of Drama. From basic but great classroom pedagogy to developing a 'blended curriculum' to teacher coaching and mentoring (also including TA, AST, NQT development and cover supervisor training) to wonderfully innovative and life-changing strategies such as 'Mantle of the Expert', Hywel covers – and practises – a whole variety of approaches that make learning real for young people and delivers his work with an energy and a humour that is quite, quite infectious.



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Background:

A conference specifically for Headteachers in Norfolk was started in the late 1990's with the following aims and objectives. These aims and objectives have been reviewed in 2013 with representatives of the Headteacher Associations and are as follows.

Aims and Objectives:

The key aims and objectives governing the Headteacher Conference in Norfolk are:

- To provide an inspirational and thought-provoking start to the academic year
- To celebrate success, look to the future and support school leadership throughout Norfolk
- To appreciate the values of learning across all ages and cultures
- To provide an opportunity for the Director of Children's Services and Cabinet Member for Children's Services to engage with Headteachers
- To provide opportunities for networking and well being
- To engender a spirit of mutual respect, support, collaboration and partnership

The annual conference will also seek to:

- Provide a cross phase approach to the main body of the conference
- Address current local or national issues that may be phase specific
- Provide access to a range of local (and where appropriate) national service providers who support the work of schools and the achievement of children and young people

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