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Knowing readers: Unlocking the pleasures of reading

Reading involves active engagement with texts and the development of knowledge about the relationship between them and the contexts in which they are created. It also involves the development of knowledge about a range of strategies for reading. (The Victorian Essential Learning Standards)

Are your literacy strategies enabling your students to be engaged readers?

The School Library Association of Victoria and Curriculum Corporation present:
Knowing readers: Unlocking the pleasures of reading
Featuring Dr Pam Macintyre and Dr Susan La Marca

Primary focus:

1.30pm — 4pm, Tuesday, 4 December 2007

Lower secondary focus:

1.30pm — 4pm, Wednesday, 5 December 2007

Statewide Resources Centre, 150 Palmerston Street, Carlton
(Note: Limited places are available and a light lunch is included)

The presenters:

Dr Pam Macintyre teaches in the Faculty of Education at The University of Melbourne and is the editor of *Viewpoint: on books for young adults*.

Dr Susan La Marca is a teacher-librarian, the editor of *Synergy*, associate editor of *Viewpoint: on books for young adults* and the 2006-7 Victorian judge for the CBCA Book of the Year Awards.

The workshops:

Focus on:

- how we make meaning from text and the place of this in the classroom,
- the research evidence that highlights the importance and value of pleasure reading in literacy development, and
- practical strategies for actively engaging students with a range of texts.

Explore:

- the role of the adult as an enabler in the process of creating an engaged community of readers,
- the supportive nature of positive relationships and the essence of a creative reading environment,
- examples of practice, practical strategies and planning grounded in theory and the VELs, and
- thematic approaches and interactions with a wide range of text types including visual, information and graphic formats.

Copies of Macintyre and La Marca's inspirational teacher reference, *Knowing readers: Unlocking the pleasures of reading* will be available for purchase at a discount rate at the workshops.

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