

AN EVENING WITH DARCY ELKS

DEVELOPING THE LEADERSHIP OF INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES WHO SUPPORT SOCIAL INCLUSION

Over the years Personalised Lifestyle Assistance (PLA) has worked alongside many individuals with disabilities and families who have created individualised lifestyle arrangements that are typical of other citizens and authentically socially inclusive. Through the telling of their story, many individuals and families have gone on to inspire and mentor many other people.

This is a unique opportunity designed to work intensely with a small group of people with a disability and families in the Eastern Region of Melbourne who express an active interest in taking up leadership roles that aim to inspire and mentor other people and families to create good lifestyles that are authentically socially inclusive, individualised and personally meaningful. This workshop also offers a chance for families and individuals to renew and sustain their advocacy efforts for inclusion over time.

Darcy Elks lives in Pennsylvania and is an educator, consultant, evaluator and advocate. The focus of her work is to encourage attitudes, structures and models which promote social value and inclusion of people with a disability and others who have been marginalised, devalued and excluded. Darcy's passion is the desire to help create inclusive communities where all people are welcome and where each person can use their gifts for the good of one another. As a mother of 3 children (one of which has a disability) Darcy has much interest and passion for sustaining the efforts of individuals and families in regard to social inclusion over time.



**Wednesday,
11th August,
2010**

**6.00 pm -
9.00 pm**

**Venue: PLA
2/18 Floriston Rd
Boronia, VIC**

Cost:
Concession rate
\$25.00 (Includes light tea)

This workshop is only for people with a disability and families. As this workshop is sponsored by the Department of Human Services, Eastern Metropolitan Region priority and the concession cost will be available to individuals and families in this region. If people/families in other regions wish to attend please contact PLA for further information

Registrations close 30.07.2010. To register please complete attached registration form & send together with payment to:
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