

Lighting the Way is a unique professional development conference for Queensland teacher aides.

Organised by the LHMU and teacher aide members, **Lighting the Way** brings together key researchers and policy makers in a forum tailored to meet the needs of practicing teacher aides.

Lighting the Way provides teacher aides with:

- excellent networking opportunities
- professional skills development
- interesting and entertaining presenters
- personal contact with Union officials.

The **Lighting the Way** conference has been designed by teacher aides and provides information and workshops on issues of current concern.

Providing quality professional development information will continue the Union's aim to light the way to effective education for all our children.

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**Saturday 7 November 2009
at North Rockhampton State High**

**your rights
at work**

worth joining for



Any Enquiries, please contact
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**Accommodation & travel
is at your own expense.**

Authorised Gary Bullock LHMU State Secretary
/Nev Swan Assistant Secretary



Lighting the Way Rockhampton

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Program

8 - 9am Registration

9 - 9.10am Indigenous Welcome to Country

9.10-9.25am Welcome to conference – Gary Bullock, State Secretary LHMU

9.25 - 9.55am Official opening address

9.55 - 10.00am Housekeeping issues

10.00 -10.30am Morning Tea

10.30 -12.00noon Morning Workshops*

A. First steps in math - Michael Vock - Primary

B. Documentation, debrief and review of student behaviour - Karen Mooney (all)

C. Interactive whiteboards - Belinda Cridland & Kelly Simmonson (all)

D. The Learning Place - Lenore Olive (all)

E. Performance frameworks and professional development - Deb Wockner (all)

F. ASD - Harold Stone (all)

G. Understanding your EB - Future Directions - Nev Swan, Brian Humphrey LHMU

H. Personal health and care - Pauline Sloan (women only)

12.00 – 1-00pm Lunch

1.00 – 2.30pm Afternoon Workshops*
(Repeat of morning workshops above)

2.30 – 3.00pm Afternoon Tea

3.00 – 3.45pm Group discussion and networking with your peers (Early Childhood, Middle years, High school, Special needs & Library)

3.45 – 4.00pm Close of Conference

Conference Dinner Venue:

Brothers Leagues Club, 1 Lion Creek Road, Rockhampton

6.30pm Pre dinner drinks

7.00pm Welcome to Conference Dinner

7.15pm Guest Speaker

* A-G Workshops open to all participants, Workshop H is women only

Registration Form

Membership No _____

Surname _____

Given names _____

Address _____

Postcode _____

Telephone (office hours) _____

Telephone (after hours) _____

Mobile _____

Email _____

School _____

Lunch, morning and afternoon tea provided

Special dietary requirements? Please specify: _____

Please nominate in order of preference (1 - 8) which workshops and group discussion you would like to attend. Note – morning workshops are repeated in the afternoon (see program)

Morning Workshops A B C D E F G H

Afternoon Workshops A B C D E F G H

Group discussion: _____

Will you be attending the Lighting the Way dinner on Saturday night at Brothers Leagues Club, Rockhampton? YES NO

Deadline for registration is **Friday September 18, 2009**
Register early as places are strictly limited

Payment Form

Conference only: Members \$20.00

Non Members \$40.00

Conference and Dinner: Members \$55.00

Non Members \$85.00

Dinner only: \$55.00 (including pre dinner drinks)

Please find enclosed my:

Cheque Money order

(Please make cheques and money orders payable to the LHMU) or

Please debit my credit card, as follows:

Bankcard Mastercard Visa

Amount \$ _____

Card No.

Cardholder's name _____

Cardholder's signature _____

Expiry date _____

Conference fees are tax deductible (receipt provided).

Please complete both registration and payment form, and mail to 27 Peel Street South Brisbane 4101, or fax to 3291 4699.

To request more registration forms, please contact the LHMU on 3291 4600 or 1800 065 885.

Any Enquiries, please contact Lighting the Way Conference Coordinator - Debra Rhys Davies at the LHMU on 3291 4606 or email debra.rhysdavies@lhmua.org.au

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