



HUME REGION LATER YEARS TEACHING & LEARNING RETREAT

LATROBE BEECHWORTH
THURSDAY & FRIDAY AUGUST 16/17

Thursday August 16

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| 12.30–1.00 pm | Registration (note—lunch not provided) |
| 1.00–1.20 pm | Opening
Brian Collins, Assistant Regional Director, Hume Region
Department of Education |
| 1.20–2.00 pm | Key note address
Katrina Reynen, Assistant General Manager, Innovation – Next
Practice Division, Department of Education
<i>What we are and what we offer schools</i> |
| 2.00–2.30 pm | Afternoon tea |
| 2.30 – 4.30 pm | <i>Interactive Workshop : You tell me : sharing practice in the transition years</i>
A teacher forum with a focus on the main issues facing Post Compulsory teachers. This session is a component of the Post Compulsory Review being conducted across the Hume Region
Karen Dymke, High Impact. Karen is an Educational Consultant, well known for her creative presentation skills. |
| 6.30 pm | Dinner
Keynote address
Prof. Jack Keating, Head of the Centre for Post Compulsory Education & Lifelong Learning, Melbourne University
<i>Regional economies and education : how can they support each other?</i> |

Friday August 17

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| 8.30 am | Registration |
| 9.00–10.15 am | An interactive workshop with Prof. Jack Keating : <i>Future trends in school to work transition</i> |
| 10.15 – 10.30 am | Showcase—'Broaden their Horizons' Website
Robena Binks, Disability Coordination Officer
North Victoria & NSW Border |
| 10.30 – 11.00 am | Morning tea |
| 11.00 am – 12.15 pm | Workshops—choice of three (see over) |
| 12.15 – 1.00 pm | Lunch |
| 1.00 – 2.15 pm | Workshops—choice of three (see over) |
| 2.15 – 2.30 pm | Plenary/close |

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WORKSHOP OPTIONS—VCAL, MIPS & CAREERS, VCE

WORKSHOP 1 - 11.00 am—12.15 pm Friday August 17, 2007

1A VCAL

Developing Engaging Projects

This session will give teachers practical ideas on the development of integrated VCAL units. Karen Dymke, Director of the Innovative Team and Director of programs for the Victorian Applied Learning Association

1B MIPS & Careers

The changing role of the Careers teacher

This workshop will refer to the new CEAV publication 'Career Development—not a destination, but a journey', covering the changes to the careers 'landscape' in schools and as a PD tool for school based career practitioners.

Anne Wood, Gateway LLEN. A dynamic Careers & Pathways Manager at Doncaster SC for the last 7 years and previously President of the Box Hill Careers Group.

1C VCE et al

The Post Compulsory Years—a policy perspective

An overview of national directions for curriculum and assessment in the senior secondary certificates and implications for Victoria. A roundup of current developments in relation to VCE, VET and VCAL..

Margaret Mackenzie, Acting Manager, Senior Secondary Curriculum, VCAA. Margaret's usual position is the Manager of Vocational Education, VCAA.

WORKSHOP 2 - 1.00—2.15 pm Friday August 17, 2007

2A VCAL

Telling your story with multimedia

Make a short digital story live. Gain a fresh perspective in engaging young people through technology. Learn what's possible using digital media for educational and personal growth based activities.

Daniel Rizeman, creativevibe

2B MIPS & Careers

The MIPS Student at Risk Mapping Tool—a case study of implementation

This workshop will detail how Birchip P-12 has implemented the tool, including the development of a transition team, linking with a community reference team. There will be time for discussion on implementation issues and ideas.

Eileen Smith, Birchip P-12

2C VCE

VCE and Employability Skills

Making the links between the VELs Level 6 Interdisciplinary Strands and the VCE through Employability Skills.

Margaret Mackenzie, Acting Manager, Senior Secondary Curriculum, VCAA.

BIO NOTES—Jack Keating

Jack Keating is a professorial fellow at the University of Melbourne in the Centre for Post Compulsory Education and Lifelong Learning. He has been involved in the area of post compulsory education and training in Australia and at the international level for the past 20 years.

He worked in the OECD on its recent project on qualifications and lifelong learning and has undertaken projects for the International Labour Office, UNESCO, the Asian Development Bank, the Inter America Development Bank and the World Bank in this area.

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