

Presenter Information

Jill Friedman Fixler is a nationally known leader recognized for her innovative approaches to strengthening nonprofit organizations. She combines her skills as a trainer, facilitator, public speaker, and coach to promote excellence in volunteer engagement, strategic planning, and board and organizational development for nonprofit organizations across the United States. Jill has more than thirty years of experience. The list of nonprofits with which she works includes: health and human services organizations; community centers; faith-based organizations; government; and cultural, environmental, and animal welfare organizations. Jill is a frequent presenter at numerous national conferences including the International Conference on Volunteer Administration, American Hospital Association – Association of Volunteer Resource Professionals National Conference, and the National Conference on Volunteerism and Service

Workshop Descriptions

Workshop 1 **Volunteer Trends and Issues,** structuring for Innovation, shifting from a culture of volunteer management to a culture of volunteer engagement, steps to volunteer engagement

Workshop 2 **Creating the Opportunities,** Managing the paradigm shift and Creating High Impact position descriptions

Workshop 3 **Develop connections/sustain the collaboration**

Table Topics Networking

This session will provide an opportunity for networking on hot topics that impact your day to day work. Begin your spring conference with the opportunity to share with your Michigan counter-parts, gather best practices, discuss problem areas and begin networking to carry through the entire conference. Please email any “Hot Topics” to Jacquie Karr Zlotnicki at Jacquie.Karr-Zlotnicki@hollandhome.org

Workshop Outline

Increasing Organizational Capacity through High Impact Volunteer Engagement

This interactive workshop is designed for volunteer supervisors who want to increase organizational capacity through the engagement of high impact volunteers. Workshop participants will leave with tools and strategies for creating a culture of volunteer engagement within their organization.

Cancellation Policy

A 50% refund is available up to 14 days prior to the beginning of the conference. Conference registration fees are transferable to an individual eligible for MCDVS membership. If the individual is not a current member, membership dues will be required at the time of the registration transfer.



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Presented by:
Jill Friedman Fixler

Spring Conference
May 19-21, 2010
Grand Traverse Resort
Traverse City, MI

Agenda

Wednesday, May 19, 2010

3:00-5:00 pm Board Meeting

5:30-6:00 pm Registration

6:00-7:00 pm Table Topics, Networking

7:00 pm Dinner on your own, location
TBA at Networking Seminar

Thursday, May 20, 2010

8:00-8:45 am Registration

8:00-9:00 am Breakfast Buffet

9:00 am-12:00 pm Volunteer Trends & Issues
Steps to volunteer engagement

12:00-12:45 pm Lunch & General Membership
Meeting

1:00-4:00 pm Creating the Opportunities
Identifying volunteer
engagement opportunities
Creating High Impact
Descriptions
Expanding Volunteer Roles

4:00-6:00 pm Vendor Time

6:30 pm Dinner (Compliments of MHA)

Friday, May 21, 2010

7:30-8:30 am Served Breakfast

8:45-11:30 am Develop Connections/Sustain
Collaborations

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**MCDVS Spring Conference
May 19, 20 & 21, 2010**

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City _____

State _____ Zip _____

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For Confirmation, please choose the preferred method:

Email _____

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Registration Fees:
 ____ \$115.00 Conference Fee
 ____ \$175.00 Non-Member Fee

Grand Traverse Resort Reservations
 \$109 per night Hotel Room
 \$149 per night Tower Room
 (231) 534-6000 or (800) 748-0303

First Time Attendee? ____ Yes ____ No

Please make your check payable to MCDVS and return by Monday, May 1, 2010 to:

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PLEASE NOTE:

- All participants must pre-register - NO WALK INS.
- Registration for the conference and Accommodations are on separate forms.
- Grand Traverse reservations are due by: April 15, 2010
- Conference registration is due by May 1, 2010