

REGISTRATION FORM

**Deadline for registration is
Wednesday, January 29, 2020.**

Name(s) _____

School District _____

Phone _____

Email _____

COST

**Member: \$15.00 breakfast charge
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Presents

“Restorative Justice”

**Lori DeCarlo
Superintendent, Randolph Academy UFSD**

**Jamie Cook
Regional Director of CNY for Peaceful Schools**



**February 4, 2020
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**

**Erie 1 BOCES
Conference Room B-1
355 Harlem Road
West Seneca, NY 14224**

ABOUT THE SEMINAR

This presentation will discuss how Restorative Practices are an evidence based and trauma informed approach to creating a safe & supportive school climate.

Chronic Stress and Trauma can change the way a student's brain functions, affecting their ability to learn and communicate effectively. When we build school wide systems to support Restorative Practices, we provide opportunities for our students and staff to develop relationships through communication, mutual respect and shared values.

Alternative disciplinary strategies and implementation tips will be shared.

ABOUT THE PRESENTERS

Lori DeCarlo is the Superintendent at Randolph Academy UFSD where the implementation of Restorative Practices began in 2015. Under Ms. DeCarlo's leadership, the Randolph Academy Restorative Justice Team has implemented Level 1 Community Building Circles on a school wide basis for two years, and Level 2 & 3 Restorative Conferences to resolve conflict and repair harm. Ms. DeCarlo has worked with the Academy's Board of Education to ensure that Restorative Practices are embedded into policy and the District's Code of Conduct. As a certified Restorative Justice trainer, she has studied under internationally renowned experts in the field. She serves as a trainer for NYSED & DCJS sponsored restorative Justice Projects with Dr. Tom Cavanagh, University of Colorado.

Ms. DeCarlo presents on the topic of Restorative Justice and School Climate & Culture at state, regional and local conferences. She also practices the art of "circle keeping" by facilitating circles for community organizations.

Jamie Cook is Regional Director of CNY for Peaceful Schools. Peaceful Schools is an M/WBE certified education and leadership development consulting company based in Syracuse, NY. They provide comprehensive programming and technical assistance in the K-12 setting in Social Emotional Learning.

Jamie began her career as a special education teacher in Syracuse City Schools before transitioning to direct service and consultant work at Peaceful Schools. In her tenure there, she has supported the Restorative Practices initiatives in Syracuse City Schools and has expanded her work across NYS doing trainings in school-based Restorative Practices and Creating Nurturing Classrooms for K-12 schools. Her research is focused on Restorative Practices as a trauma informed approach for supporting positive school culture and climate.

PROGRAM

8:30 a.m.	Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Presentation
9:45 – 10:00 a.m.	Q & A
10:00 a.m.	Program concludes

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This program would be highly beneficial to:

- School Superintendents
- Assistant Superintendents of HR & Personnel
- Benefits Coordinators
- Business Officials

All staff members are welcome to attend