

Vancouver Public Schools
VOLUNTEER TRAINING
November 5, 2009
10:00-11:30, Bates

1. 10:00-Welcome and thank participants for attending- Barbara Nordstrom, VSDF and Bobbi Casanova, Volunteer Connections, Human Services Council
2. 10:05- Background info regarding Vancouver school district (% student free/reduced lunch) (5 minutes) Barbara Nordstrom, VSD Foundation Lunch Buddy Coordinator
3. 10:10- The importance of volunteer tutors/lunch buddies in our schools (5 minutes) Barbara
4. 10:15-Experienced volunteer share motivational Stories (5minutes) – RSVP Volunteer - Lee Lathrop?
5. 10:20-Student Learning as related to Basic Needs/ Poverty/Diversity– Sue Dodge, Washington School Counselor (15 minutes)
6. 10:35-Legal issues: Confidentiality, Reporting (when and who notify), Touching guidelines (10 minutes) -Sue Dodge
7. 10:45-School District Guidelines/ /Volunteer Expectation Agreement / General school info (10 minutes) Gary Yarne, VPS Volunteer Coordinator
8. 10:55-Safety (5 minutes) Mick Hoffman, Director Safety, Security and Athletics
9. 11:00-Student Learning, learning styles. Tips and techniques. (15-20 minutes) **Chris Fink, Title 1 Specialist, Special Services** employee Excellence Award for Oct 2009
10. 11:20-Encouraging and motivating students –examples of positive, encouraging language (10 minutes) Barbara Nordstrom
11. 11:30-Thank for coming- Barbara

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Our mission is to improve people's lives by connecting them to opportunities, information and services that respond to their individual and family needs.

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Every connection has the potential to change a life.