

Conference Agenda

Saturday, February 8, 2014

- 8:00 a.m. **BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING** *Anacapa*
Directors Only; Includes Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. **WELCOME** *Sierra Madre*
» Dr. Wayne Powell, Presiding
President, Lenoir-Rhyne University; Chair of Board of Directors, LECNA
- DEVOTIONS** *Sierra Madre*
» Rev. Dr. Andrew Weisner, *Dean of Campus Ministry*
Lenoir-Rhyne University
- 1:15 p.m. **LENA MEYER LECTURE** *Sierra Madre*
"Why the Liberal Arts College Will Save Higher Education"
» Brandon Busteed, *Executive Director*
Gallup Education
- 2:00 p.m. **SPOUSE SESSION I: CONNECTING AND GATHERING**
Fiesta
- 3:00 p.m. **COFFEE BREAK** *Sierra Madre Foyer*
- 3:15 p.m. **THRIVENT FELLOWS LEADERSHIP PROGRAM UPDATE**
» Dr. Paul Dovre, *Co-Director*
- 3:20 p.m. **AFTERNOON SESSION** *Sierra Madre*
"Project David: Showcasing Reinvention and Collaboration in Liberal Art Colleges"
» Dr. Ann Hill Duin, *Professor of Writing Studies and Director of Graduate Studies, University of Minnesota*
» Rev. Dr. Eric Childers, *Pastor, St. John's Lutheran Church, Cherryville, NC*
- 5:30 p.m. **ADJOURNMENT**
- 6:00 p.m. **WELCOME RECEPTION** *Rotunda*
DINNER ON YOUR OWN

Sunday, February 9, 2014

- 8:30 a.m. **WORSHIP SERVICE** *Reagan Room*
» Rev. Dr. Andrew Weisner, *Dean of Campus Ministry*
Lenoir-Rhyne University
- 9:30 a.m. **BRUNCH** *Reagan Room*
- 11:00 a.m. **SPOUSE SESSION II: CONNECTING AND GATHERING**
Fiesta
- 11:00 a.m. **WATER TO THRIVE** *San Rafael*
» Ed Scharlau, *Volunteer*
» Lizzie Kovach, *Marketing and Outreach Manager, Water to Thrive*
- LUTHERANARTS.ORG** *San Rafael*
» Douglas Koons, *Publisher*
- THRIVENT FINANCIAL FOR LUTHERANS** *San Rafael*
» Laurie Wilkinson, *Vice President for Church and Community Engagement, Thrivent Financial for Lutherans*

Including information on Thrivent's new student loan program and college planning program
- U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES** *San Rafael*
» Congresswoman Lois Capps
- 2:45 p.m. **GREETINGS** *San Rafael*
» Rev. Dr. Dean Wenthe, *Interim President*
Concordia University System
- 3:00 p.m. **GREETINGS** *San Rafael*
» Rev. Elizabeth A. Eaton, *Presiding Bishop*
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
- 3:30 p.m. **BUSINESS MEETING** *San Rafael*
- 4:00 p.m. **REMAINDER OF AFTERNOON FREE**
DINNER ON YOUR OWN

Monday, February 10, 2014

- BREAKFAST ON YOUR OWN**
- 8:00 a.m. **ELCA GROUP MEETING** *Sierra Madre North*
LCMS GROUP MEETING *Sierra Madre South*
- 8:30 a.m. **SPOUSE SESSION III: EXCURSION**
See Separate Schedule
- 12:00 p.m. **LUNCH** *Vineyard Terrace*
Presidents and Spouses
- 1:30 p.m. **SPOUSE SESSION IV: ACTIVITIES**
See Separate Schedule
- 6:00 p.m. **RECEPTION** *Reagan Patio*
- 6:45 p.m. **BANQUET** *Reagan Room*
» Dr. Wayne Powell, Presiding
President, Lenoir-Rhyne University; Chair of Board of Directors, LECNA

Recognition of Dr. Jack and Kris Ohle
Gustavus Adolphus College
» Dr. L. Jay Lemons, *President*
Susquehanna University

Recognition of Dr. Thomas and Penny Cedel
Concordia Texas University
» Rev. Dr. Patrick Ferry, *President*
Concordia University Wisconsin

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