



*Vermont School Counselor Association's  
Annual Fall Conference  
Wednesday and Thursday  
September 21 and 22  
At the Lake Morey Resort*

## **Schedule for Wednesday**

*5:30 - Cocktail Hour and Networking Time*

*6:00 – Pizza and Salad and More Networking*

## **Schedule for Thursday**

*8:00-9:00 - Registration and Breakfast*

*9:00-9:15 - Welcome Address*

*9:15-10:15 - Panel Discussion: Policy Makers and Stakeholders Answer our Questions*

*10:15-10:30 - Break and Vendor Visiting*

*10:30-11:45 - Morning (A) Workshops*

*11:45-12:45 - Lunch, Awards, Check out our terrific vendors, and Annual Meeting*

*12:45-1:45 – Afternoon (B) Workshops*

*1:45-2:45 – Afternoon (C) Workshops*

*2:45-3:00 - Closing, Evaluations, Drawings of Door Prizes*

**\*\*Fabulous prizes will be drawn. You can enter the drawing up to SIX times! Tickets will be given out for each of the following:**

*\*Come for both days*

*\*Stay overnight*

*\*Register online*

*\*Register by July 15, 2011*

*\*Bring your principal*

*\*Complete the Exhibitor Scavenger Hunt*

### ***Thursday AM Session Choices – 10:30-11:45***

**Care for Kids:** Early Childhood Healthy Sexuality and Abuse Prevention Curriculum  
Robin Castle, Prevent Child Abuse VT  
*Elementary Level*

**School Climate across Middle School, High School, and College: Preliminary Findings from Ongoing Research in the Leahy Center-w/Heather A. Bouchey, Ph.D.;** Leahy Center for Rural Students, LSC; Director  
*Middle to Post Secondary Levels*

**Mindfulness and Self-Care for Educators and Their K-12 Students** - Anthony Quintiliani will cover core areas of mindfulness-based education skills as they apply to educators and students.  
*All levels*

**How To Be An Ally: Working with LGBTQ Youth**  
- Saben Littlefield from OutRight Vermont will lead training for counselors of LGBTQ students  
*Middle and High School levels*

**U-Matter 1** - Brian Remer will present **Umatter, youth suicide prevention, for Administrators and Educators**  
*Middle and High School Levels*

**Mandated Reporting Updates** - Guyla Jobek, DCF, will bring newest suggestions, requirements, and supports for school counselors and other school staff who need to report abuse.  
*All levels*

### ***Thursday PM (B) Session Choices – 12:45-1:45***

***"Ask Us Who We Are" Film Screening – done in both B&C time slots***  
Bess O'Brien and friend will take questions following this award winning documentary on foster care in Vermont.

**Teen Lures - An Innovative Approach to Teen Personal Safety: Peer Teaching via Student TV Newscasts** - Jennifer Mitchell reviews Risk and Protective Factors for both bullying and sexual violence, and addresses abusive behaviors by peers and adults alike  
*Middle and High school levels*

**SAFE-T** - Rachel Gartner brings Sexual Abuse Prevention to Middle School Communities with **The Sexual Abuse Free Environments for Teens™ (SAFE-T) Program.**  
*Middle School level*

**ACT 1- Application and Action:** Aligning sexual violence prevention education with 9 principles for effectiveness  
*All levels*

### ***Thursday PM (C) Session Choices – 1:45-2:45***

***"Ask Us Who We Are" Film Screening, continued – done in both B&C time slots***  
Bess O'Brien and friend will take questions following this award winning documentary on foster care in Vermont.

**ACT 1- TEEN - Application and Action:** Aligning sexual violence prevention education with 9 principles for effectiveness - *All levels*

**Child Lures** - Rosemary Webb presents **Keeping PreK-6 Students Healthy & Safe: Meeting VT's Act One Mandates.**  
*Elementary and Middle levels*

**Technicool** - Alyssa Berthiaume teaches how to Prevent Harm and Promote healthy Online Behavior  
*Elementary and Middle levels*

**Check your workshop session preferences (1-3) for each session time.**

Thursday AM Sessions:  Care For Kids - Prevent Child Abuse VT  
 Leahy Center for Rural Students  
 How To Be An Ally: Working w/LGBTQQ Youth  
 Mandated Reporting - DCF  
 U-Matter 1  
 Counselor and Student Mindfulness & Wellness

Thursday PM (B) Sessions:  "Ask Us Who We Are" Film Screening  
 ACT I  
 Teen Lures  
 SAFE-T

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 Child Lures  
 Technicool