

Leadership Asheville 27 Program

Meeting Date: September 18, 2008

Meeting Location: The Crest Center and Pavilion, 22 Celebration Place, (828) 251-1820

Featured Website: www.civics.org

The ability to think straight, some knowledge of the past, some vision of the future, some skill to do useful service, some urge to fit that service into the well-being of the community—these are the most vital things education must try to produce. If we can achieve them in the citizens of our land, then, given the right to knowledge and the free use thereof, we shall have brought to America the wisdom and the courage to match her destiny.

~ Virginia C. Gildersleeve

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| 8:00 a.m. | Continental Breakfast and Slide Show |
| 8:30 a.m. | Welcome and Website Review
<i>Laura Shiver, Leadership Asheville</i> |
| 9:00 a.m. | LA 27 Program Review
<i>Gerry Goertz, Leadership Asheville</i> |
| 9:45 a.m. | Break |
| 10:00 a.m. | Inclusive Leadership: New Competencies for the 21 st Century
<i>Patti Digh, Co-Founder and President
The Circle Project</i> |
| 12:00 p.m. | Lunch: Assigned Seating
Discussion: <i>What Leaders Really Do</i> by John Kotter |
| 1:00 p.m. | Communicating Your Vision
<i>Laura Shiver, Leadership Asheville</i> |
| 2:00 p.m. | Do You Really Know Your Community?
<i>Lewis Isaac (LA 11), City of Asheville</i> |
| 3:10 p.m. | Break and Snack |
| 3:25 p.m. | The Leadership Corner: Myths about Leadership?
<i>Gerry Goertz, Leadership Asheville</i> |
| 4:00 p.m. | Discussion: LLT Strengths and Weaknesses Assessment
Discussion: <i>Secrets of Great Groups</i> by Warren Bennis
<i>Leadership Learning Teams</i> |
| 4:50 p.m. | Wrap Up
<i>Laura Shiver, Leadership Asheville</i> |
| 5:00 p.m. | LA 27 Reception |

