

Saturday August 12, 2006

9:00 – 9:30 Coffee

9:30 – 10:00 Welcome

10:00 – 12:00 Dr. Irene Herremans

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch (on your own)

1:00 – 2:30 Sara Mitchell Banks

2:30 – 2:45 Coffee

2:45 – 4:30 Sara Mitchell Banks

Sunday August 13, 2006

9:00 – 9:30 Coffee

9:30 – 12:00 Susan Shisler

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch (on your own)

1:00 – 2:30 Dr. Irene Herremans

2:30 – 2:45 Coffee

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Leading the Way will prove to be informative and invaluable. The program is open to all members and prospective members. The skills and concepts covered over the weekend will enhance your club and carry over to your professional life.

Please join the region team for this enriching weekend. You will have the chance to meet other members from the region to renew and recharge for the upcoming year.

There is no cost for the sessions. Transportation, accommodations and meals are not included but there will be a subsidy available to members that are traveling from outside the Lower mainland area.



***SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL
WESTERN CANADA REGION
LEADERSHIP RETREAT***

Leading The Way

August 12 & 13th, 2006

University Of British Columbia Campus

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Vancouver, BC V6T 1K2**



Dr. Irene Herremans, Associate
Professor Haskayne School of Business,
University of Calgary

Dr. Herremans is an adjunct professor in Environmental Design. She also teaches in the UofC's Masters of Degree in Sustainable Energy. She holds several degrees including a MBA, Masters of Science in Accounting and a PhD that included studies in accounting, marketing and international business. She holds a professional designation as a Certified Public Accountant.

Dr. Herremans will facilitate sessions on Leadership training that she has designed specifically for non-profit organizations.

Sara Mitchell Banks

Dragonfly Consulting, Powell River, BC

Sarah will reveal the process of running an effective meeting. What was the best meeting you have attended? What made it work? What was the worst meeting you have attended? This will prove to be an entertaining session.

Sarah will also share the secrets of a proper presentation. "Presentations should not be an exercise in terror for those that give them, nor should they be exercises in boredom for those who hear them."

Susan Shisler, Membership Director,

**Soroptimist International of America,
Headquarters**

Registration:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Club: _____

- All Sessions
- Saturday Only
- Sunday Only
- Saturday AM
- Saturday PM
- Sunday AM
- Sunday PM

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