Facilitator Workshops 2005

Tournament of Minds is a creative, team-based problem-solving program for Primary and Secondary schools in Australia. It is an ideal vehicle for school based extension activities and involves teams of 7 students. Participating schools receive their Long Term Challenge at the beginning of Term 3, and present their Challenge solution at the Regional Finals to be held on Saturday, August 27\textsuperscript{th} (Metropolitan) and Sunday August 28\textsuperscript{th} (Country). The top teams from each division and discipline will be invited to participate in the State Final in Perth on 11\textsuperscript{th} September. From these participating teams, six State representatives will be selected to represent WA at the Australian Final to be held in Sydney in October.

In 2005, Tournament of Minds (WA) will be running a series of workshops for teachers or parents facilitating teams in this year's competition.

There are currently 3 workshops planned - two for first-time facilitators, and one for experienced facilitators (including those who have previously attended one of the ‘first-time’ workshops).

Workshop Presenters
- Dawn Lindsay is a very experienced ex PEAC teacher and former Director of TOM WA. Dawn has run a large number of workshops in schools for students and teachers.
- Don Weber (Teacher) and Kathy Boyatzis-Pascoe (Parent) have previously been involved with successful Tournament of Minds teams at Regional, State and Australian Final levels.

Workshops will include:
- An introduction to Tournament of Minds;
- Team building activities;
- Practical sessions on thinking skills strategies, including:
  - SCAMPER
  - Forced association
  - PMI
  - Brainstorming
  - Co-operative learning
  - Creative problem solving
  - 6 Hat thinking.

This year TOM (WA) is also providing workshops for students. See www.tom.edu.au for further details.
**First Time Facilitators**

**Workshop One**
- **Date:** Wednesday 11th May, 2005
- **Time:** 4.00pm - approx. 6.00pm
- **Venue:** Constitutional Centre – Havelock St, West Perth
- **Cost:** $30 (this includes afternoon tea)
- **Presenters:** Dawn Lindsay/Don Weber/Kathy Boyatzis-Pascoe

**Workshop Two**
- **Date:** Wednesday 18th May, 2005
- **Time:** 4.00pm - approx. 6.00pm
- **Venue:** Constitutional Centre – Havelock St, West Perth
- **Cost:** $30 (this includes afternoon tea)
- **Presenters:** Dawn Lindsay/Don Weber/Kathy Boyatzis-Pascoe

**Experienced Facilitators***
* And those who have attended Workshop One or Two.

**Workshop Three**
- **Date:** Wednesday 1st June, 2005
- **Time:** 4.00pm - approx. 6.00pm
- **Venue:** Perth College Foyer – Lawley Crescent, Mount Lawley
- **Cost:** $30 (this includes afternoon tea)
- **Presenters:** Dawn Lindsay/Don Weber/Kathy Boyatzis-Pascoe

For $50, facilitators can attend Workshop Three AND EITHER Workshop One or Two.

**Questions?**
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**REGISTRATION / TAX INVOICE**
(No GST) ABN: 68 971 418 993

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*IFor facilitators attending Workshop One or Two AND Workshop Three the combined cost is $50.

I enclose payment of $____

Please make cheques to be made payable to Tournament of Minds WA.
Registration forms and payment should be mailed to PO Box 1353, MORLEY, 6943.