

CURB

Citizens

UPROOTING



RACISM

In Bermuda

OUR VISION

“A Bermuda where skin colour favours no one”

OUR MISSION:

“CURB is a non-governmental organization (NGO) of volunteers working to identify and dismantle racism in all its forms and to address its effects on our community.”

Teachers’ Workshop

Teacher, Know Thy Self (TKTS) Professional Enrichment Seminar

Professor Melodye Micëre Van Putten
Africalogist/Education Consultant

Created to energize teachers, TKTS utilizes self-reflection as a necessary and critical exercise for creating more joy, purpose, vigor and fulfillment. It encourages teachers to embrace self-care for self-empowerment; teachers examine their beliefs and practices, personal and professional, with the goal of living with intention, and living Life intentionally.

Educators teaching Black students, whether in a majority Black or majority White environment, need to provide adolescents with identity-affirming experiences and information about their own history and culture. This full day seminar will provide a fountain of Bermudian and global Black History, often surprising even seasoned educators with the wealth of knowledge they haven’t been exposed to.

“Your workshops for our teachers could not have come at a more poignant time. As the half way mark of the school year has just passed, teachers needed a “shot in the arm” to continue to inspire those they serve each day. By asking teachers to reflect on their own health, wellness, and empowerment, you provided a means for evaluating their effectiveness. Teachers appreciated the time to reflect, learn, and begin a new journey of understanding.”

*Lisa Pruitt, Director of Professional Development
Ravenswood City School District, Palo Alto, CA*

Tuesday, February 8, 2011

Fairmont Hamilton Princess Hotel

Doors open 9:00 am; workshop from 9:30am to 4:30 pm
\$25 fee includes workbook and lunch.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CREDIT:

This workshop has been approved for professional development by the Bermuda Educators Council.

WORKBOOK:

The Guide to Self Knowledge:
For Teachers Who Need To Know

TO REGISTER:

Space is limited so please email curb@northrock.bm as soon as possible.