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The Fourth Common Roots Conference

Speakers Include

The Future and Progressive Education:

A first post-Referendum, post-Trump conversation for all involved with alternative education

Albert Lamb (Ex-Summerhill) • Judith Suissa (Institute of Education) • Dick Jones (Ex-Wennington) • Hylda Sims (Ex-Summerhill) • Marc Jaffrey (Ex-Frensham Heights) • Dennie Briggs and Rod Odgers (veteran American educators) • Emile Bojesen (Centre for Philosophy of Education) • Mark Smith (Loughborough School of Arts)

THE FUTURE AND COMMON ROOTS 2017 • A FESTIVAL PROGRESSIVE FOR EDUCATIONAL ALTERNATIVES EDUCATION

A mid-day to mid-day conference taking place on
20-21 May 2017, at The Planned Environment Therapy Trust,
Church Lane, Toddington, Gloucestershire, GL54 5DQ

From Saturday, 12.30 hours, to Sunday, 14.00 hours.
To book, please e-mail: CommonRoots2017@wenningtonschool.org.uk

Conference fee and all meals, **£50**. Bed for the night (places limited), **£15**.
Alternatively, bring a tent (tent space, **£5**) or stay locally

Topics Include

Progressive Education: The British Experience • The American Experience • Education as an Entailment of Democracy • Historic Parallels of Today's Political Climate • Summerhill, the school that says, 'Yes!' • Dialogue, Democracy and the Disneyfication of Art Education • Finding Forward Paths

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