



# 35th Annual LYC Conference

## AGENDA

### LYC 35th Annual Civics and Law-Related Education Conference

Danfords Conference Center Port Jefferson, NY 11777

#### Wednesday, Oct. 19, 2011

**Hotel check-in** begins at 4 p.m. ~ Danfords Main Lobby

**Conference Registration** 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. (continues Thursday morning)

**Harborside Hospitality** 7 – 9:00 p.m. Brookhaven Ballroom; Relaxed reception, refreshments, conversation



#### Thursday, Oct. 20, 2011

**Conference Registration** 7:30 a.m. -- 4 p.m.

**Buffet Breakfast** 7:00-8:30 am Brookhaven Ballroom

Beautiful views of the harbor as you enjoy a sumptuous buffet of all your breakfast favorites.

<p><b>Session 1 (choose one of four) 8:45 – 10:15 am</b>            Conducting Mock Trials in Your Classroom            iCivics - Interactive Civic Education            The Curtisha Morning Case            Understanding News Media</p>	<p><b>Session 2 (choose one of four) 10:30 – noon</b>            The Trial That Never Was - mock trial demo            The Use of Political Cartoons and Satire in Teaching History            Teaching Civic Responsibility through Literature            Project Citizen - Teaching Public Policy</p>
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**Luncheon Buffet** 12:15 – 1:15 pm The Sail Loft at Port Jefferson Village Center

*Welcome: Richard Bader, Esq., Chair, LYC Committee of NYSBA*

Great chance to socialize, share what you've learned, and enjoy a spectacular panorama of the harbor.

<p><b>Session 3 (choose one of four) 1:45 – 3:15 p.m.</b>            Student-Centered Approach: Implications for a Democratic Society            School-Based Youth Courts            Conduct Your Own Youth Civics Conference            Ethics and Law Enforcement</p>
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**Dinner** 7-9 pm The Sail Loft at Port Jefferson Village Center

*Welcome & Remarks: LYC Chair Richard Bader*

*After-Dinner Keynote ~ Linda Monk, Esq.*

Linda R. Monk, J.D., is a constitutional scholar, journalist, and national award-winning author. A graduate of Harvard Law School, she twice received the American Bar Association's Silver Gavel Award. Her books include *The Words We Live By: Your Annotated Guide to the Constitution*, *Ordinary Americans: U.S. History Through the Eyes of Everyday People*, and *The Bill of Rights: A User's Guide*. For more than 20 years, Ms. Monk has written commentary for newspapers nationwide—including the *New York Times*.

Ms. Monk was appointed by Governor Tim Kaine to the Board of Trustees for the Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation, which commemorated the 400th anniversary of the founding of Virginia in 1607. She is on the executive committee of the Board of Trustees for the U.S. Capitol Historical Society. Her museum work includes Lead Curator for the McCormick Tribune Freedom Museum in Chicago, Visiting Scholar at the National Constitution Center in Philadelphia, and consultant to the Newseum, Washington, D.C. She has conducted teacher training seminars for National History Day, George Washington's Mount Vernon Estate, the National Archives, and the National Council for the Social Studies.



#### Friday, Oct. 21, 2011

**Conference Registration** 7:30 – 11:00 am

**Buffet Breakfast** 7:00-8:30 am Brookhaven Ballroom

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<p><b>Session 4 (choose one of five) 8:45 – 10:15 a.m.</b>            The Constitution, Law and News Literacy            Two Civics Programs are Better Than One            Community-Based Youth Courts            Haudenosaunee Influence on American Democracy            Develop and Assess Skills through Culminating Events</p>	<p><b>Session 5 (choose one of five) 10:30- noon</b>            Judging Jefferson, Judging History            Mock Trial 101            Teaching the Constitution to ESL Students            Political Cartoons and Satire in the Classroom            Criminal Justice and the Fourth Amendment</p>
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**Getaway Luncheon – noon – 1:30 p.m.** The Sail Loft at Port Jefferson Village Center

Enjoy the beautiful Port Jefferson Harbor and reflect on all you've learned. Giveaways, surprises.