

PRIMARY LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE *for* HEADTEACHERS

At the Avisford Park Hotel, near Arundel

Thursday 24 January – Friday 25 January 2019



Andy Mellor - serves as NAHT National President. He has been a member of the NAHT national executive for four years and is honoured to serve the profession having campaigned for a fairer funding and assessment and accountability system for schools and members. He remains a treasurer for the Blackpool branch.

Andy has been Headteacher at St Nicholas Church of England Primary School in Blackpool for 14 years. He has taken the school from 'requires improvement' to 'outstanding' and he has grown the school from 245 to 407. Andy is an NLE and the school was awarded teaching school status in 2017.



Helen Sharman - Helen Sharman became the first British Astronaut when, in May 1991, she launched on a Russian Soyuz spacecraft. She spent 8 days orbiting the earth, living and working on the MIR space station. Helen was selected from 13,000 applicants after hearing an advert on the radio. Following her

space flight, she became a science communicator - winning prizes for radio and television programmes and for her inspirational talks worldwide on teamwork, STEM science communication and motivation.



David Weston - David is the founder and chief Executive of the Teacher Development Trust, the national charity for effective professional development. he chaired the Department of Education's Teachers' Professional Development Expert Group and, alongside Bridget Clay, wrote

unleashing great teaching: the secrets to the most effective teacher development. David is a secondary school governor and taught maths and physics for nine years in two schools in London and the South East. David speaks and writes frequently for the education sector and national media and has had a number of radio and TV appearances on the subject of teaching, teacher development and LGBT issues.



Floyd Woodrow - What makes Floyd stand out isn't that he was among the youngest ever members of the SAS, that he received the DCM and the MBE for his work in Iraq and Afghanistan, that he led the UK's Counter Terrorism Unit and has 'Hostage negotiator' on his CV. It isn't even that his current clients include the Welsh and

Scottish Rugby Football Unions and the English Cricket Board. What makes Floyd stand out is that he has done it all with a clear focus on values, integrity and compassion and this is what comes through loud and clear in his work on leadership.



Dave Smith At a time when leadership models in education seem to be based increasingly on ideas from business, Dave shows that leading a school takes a very different sort of leadership. For Dave, a good school is an upside down school, one that starts with the people in it -where they are, where they come from, what they bring into the classroom, what they bring

to each lesson. From there you build up, to take into account whatever the government's flavour of the day is. Never the other way round. It is the formula that has helped Dave's school in one of England's most deprived boroughs become such a success.



Lucy Crehan -Lucy is a qualified teacher, an education explorer, an author and an international education consultant. She taught in London before becoming interested in education research and policy, completing a Masters and setting off on an educational exploration around the world's top performing education systems. She helped out in schools and lived with

teachers in Finland, Canada, Singapore, Japan, New Zealand and Shanghai, spending a month in each place. Since returning from her trip, she has published 'Cleverlands' recounting her findings, advised the UK government as part of a working group on teacher workload and spoken about her work at conferences in the UK, US, France and Sweden.

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Thursday 24 January 2019 - Headteachers – Day 1

08.30 – 09.00	Registration
09.00 – 09.15	Singing / entertainment - choir from Southway Junior School
09.15 – 09.30	Welcome - Bill Molloy
09.30 – 09.45	tbc
09.45 – 10.45	Andy Mellor, NAHT President
10.45 – 11.15	Coffee break
11.15 – 12.30	Helen Sharman
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch
13.30 – 14.45	Lucy Crehan
14.45 – 15.15	Break
15.15 – 16.30	Dave Weston
16.30 – 16.45	Bill Molloy – summary of the day
18.30 – 19.30	Pre-Dinner drinks, West Sussex Music
19.30 +	Dinner and entertainment

Friday 25 January 2019 - Headteachers – Day 2

09.15 – 09.30	Welcome - Bill Molloy
09.30 – 09.45	Head's Exec AGM
09.45 – 11.00	Floyd Woodrow
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee Break
11.30 – 12.45	Floyd Woodrow
12.45 – 13.45	Lunch
13.45 – 15.15	Dave Smith
15.15 – 15.30	Bill Molloy – summary, raffle and evaluation

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