

The Dyslexia Friendly Schools' Conference

Saturday 1st March 2008

Tiffin Boys School
Kingston Upon Thames

Opening Address

Speakers

Phil Beadle - Independent Thinking

In 2005, Phil Beadle won the Teacher of the Year award for his outstanding work in inner-city London schools. His controversial role in Channel 4's series, *The Unteachables*, led one journalist in *The Observer* to comment that Phil was 'either totally insane, or some kind of inspired prophet'. Since then, Phil has been in demand around the country to share his powerful and effective approaches to teaching with schools. He has proved that good and innovative teaching can achieve the seemingly impossible from failing or reluctant students – the desire to learn.

David Evans – Microlink PC

David Evans is an expert in the use of assistive technologies in mainstream education. He lectures widely on how the sensitive deployment of technology can help remove barriers to learning and embrace the values of digital inclusion. His hands-on guide to improving classroom practice will illustrate how to support and engage students with learning difficulties into the learning process.

Price £50

Includes a delicious lunch with a glass of wine

To register see www.kingstondyslexiaassociation.org.uk

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Programme for the Day

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8.30 Registration and coffee

9.15 Welcome by Carol Santer

9.20 Opening address

9.35 1st Speaker - **Phil Beadle**
Associate - Independent Thinking Ltd

'Inspirational Approaches to Multi-Sensory Teaching and Learning'

10.55 Coffee and biscuits

11.15 **Phil Beadle**

12.30 Lunch and time to see all the exhibitors and resources.

2.00 Introduction to afternoon session - Carol Santer

2.15 2nd Speaker – **David Evans**
Education Development Manager, Microlink PC

'Use Technology - Lose Barriers'

3.30 Close conference

(Programming is provisional and may be subject to change).