

**Date: Monday  
December 5, 2011**

**Schedule:**

8:30 A.M.

Registration and Continental  
Breakfast

9:00 – 11:45

Keynote Address  
Introduction to Quest & SEL

12:00 - 12:45

Lunch Included

1:00 – 3:00

Break Out Sessions

**Location:**

Adelphi University  
**Alumni House**  
154 Cambridge Ave.  
Garden City, NY 11530



Nassau TRACT Teacher Center  
and Adelphi University  
in conjunction with Lions Clubs International  
and The NoVo Foundation  
present

## Social and Emotional Learning

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Social and emotional development and learning (SEDL) has an important role to play in making schools safe and maintaining a caring school climate. This conference will introduce strategies and provide teachers with lessons to encourage students to utilize decision making skills, resist peer pressure and make good choices in the community; a crucial element of the Dignity Act. Social and emotional learning is essential to life, learning and work and, in keeping with the Common Core Learning Standards, will prepare students with college ready skills.

We are excited to bring together the Quest program from Lions Club International Foundation and the SEL staff from the NoVo Foundation. Lions Quest is a broad-based life skills approach that develops personal and social responsibility through service. It incorporates character education and service learning and recognizes that positive prevention requires creating environments that support healthy development. Presenter Sue Keister will bring her knowledge of CASEL to bear in her presentation.

The NoVo Foundation, created by Peter and Jennifer Buffett, aims to change the climate in schools to acknowledge the right to dignity for all students. The NoVo foundation is dedicated to serving as a catalyst to create a world that operates on the principles of mutual respect, collaboration and civic participation.

***“We are humbled and honored to be able to contribute to building a world based on peace, compassion, justice and love.”***

***Jennifer and Peter Buffett***

### Social Emotional Learning

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School District: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Registration fee is refundable upon attendance.

Send \$10 registration fee (payable to Nassau TRACT) and registration form to:

Nassau TRACT Teacher Center  
3000 Hempstead Turnpike  
Suite 303  
Levittown, NY 11756

OR

Register through My Learning Plan at [nassautract.org](http://nassautract.org) – click on

**Conferences**

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