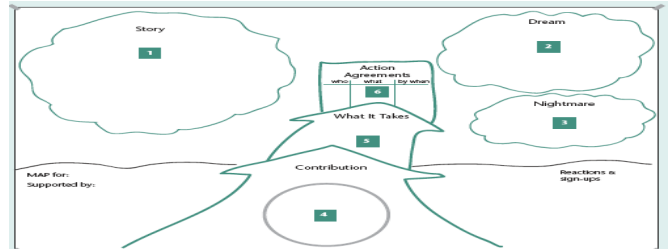
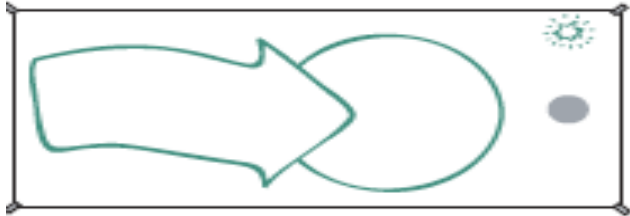


# PATH & MAPS

A Course in Facilitation and Person Centered Planning with PATH and MAPS

*Lismore NSW 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> May 2010*



**Venue: 296 Molesworth Street Lismore**

**Time: 8.30 – 4.30pm Morning, Afternoon and Lunch provided**

**Cost: \$850 (includes work booklet and materials)**

## Workshop Description:

This course introduces people to basic values of inclusion, community building and person centred work. The course provides an introduction to graphic facilitation and recording, builds skills in process facilitation, introduces and uses tools to deepen listening practice and offers a variety of other tools for strengthening facilitation practice, as well as teaches two of the family of approaches to Person Centered Planning - MAPS and PATH. This is 'hands on' learning. With a foundation of values, new and more experienced facilitators will spend a substantial portion of the two days practicing the tools on each other, before putting the future of other people in their hands.

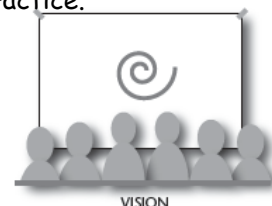
### This course is for:

- People who will be using person centered planning approaches with people, organisations and communities.
- People concerned about planning to give people a life, and are willing to step out of the box in order to make that happen.
- People who are willing to invest time and effort in building relationships for people who are relegated to isolation, or organisations that are imploding with miscommunication and lack of clear vision!
- People who want an introduction to Graphic Facilitation: Current person centered planning approaches (such as MAPS, PATH, etc.) require familiarity with graphic recording, mapping and facilitation.
- People concerned about improving communications and clarity in meetings of any kind.

Participants will not be 'MAPS or PATH' masters, but rather, emerge with a basic familiarity so they can 'practice, practice, practice' and develop their own skill set and competence. Course books will offer additional tools and for strengthening facilitation practice.

### Your workshop days will include:

- Drawing Stories
- Listening: with your ears - and your fingers
- Solution Circles



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- Person Centered Planning foundations
- An Introduction to PATH
- An Introduction to MAPS
- Opportunities to observe and participate as a graphic recorder, a process facilitator, a listener, a creative resource source, and more...
- Handouts include the PATH books and other support materials, featuring the Newest publication, January 2010, **The PATH and MAPS Handbook: Person Centered Ways to Build Community**

## About the Presenters.....

**Jack Pearpoint** is an independent Canadian Publisher (Inclusion Press) and catalyst for team work, diversity and change! Jointly with John O'Brien and Marsha Forest (deceased), Jack created person-centered approaches such as PATH, MAPS and Circles of Friends. Jack's forty years of organisation experience include seven years in Africa implementing post-war reconstruction; sixteen years as President of Canada's oldest literacy organisation, Frontier College; and nearly two decades as a full-time publisher and presenter. Jack is the founding director of the Marsha Forest Centre: Inclusion, Family and Community and remains its Executive Director. Jack with his wife and partner, Lynda Kahn, consult and learn with people with disabilities and their families, and organisations engaging in positive change, through planning events and workshops. Work in several countries has expanded their network beyond Canada and the United States to include people in Australia, England, India, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Scotland, and Uganda.



**Lynda Kahn**, is a co-leader at Inclusion Press International, Toronto, working with individuals, families, organisations and governments interested in positive change. She served in the public sector in the United States, as Rhode Island's Director of the Division of Developmental Disabilities (1996-2005) and as President of the National Association of State Directors of Developmental Disabilities Services (NASDDDS). Lynda is passionate about leadership, change and personal engagement to realize a more just world where everyone's voice and gifts are welcome. Her experience has taken her from institution to community settings, involving values-based person-centered practice as a means to facilitate individual and organisational change. Lynda, with her partner, Jack Pearpoint, design learning and planning processes created to engage people in action for social change.

