Institute for Reading and Writing Instruction
April 16, 2010

Agenda

8:30-9:00 Registration and Breakfast

9:00-9:30 Establishing Institute and Group Goals (Mary P. Sheridan, University of Wyoming)

9:30-9:50 The State of Reading in Wyoming (April Heaney, University of Wyoming)

9:50-10:10 The Rise of Social Media (Kaijsa Calkins, University of Wyoming)

10:10-10:30 How Can Schools Use Social Media to Help Reluctant Readers? (Carol Stewart, Sheridan County School District #2; Rick Fisher, University of Wyoming)

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-12 Samples of Social Media Projects Helping Reluctant Readers
- Ryan Schasteen (Sheridan County School District #2)
- Stoney Gaddy (Northern Wyoming Community College District)
- Rick Fisher (University of Wyoming)

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-3:00 Hands-on, small-group sessions

3:00-3:30 Recap and Next Steps (Mary P. Sheridan, University of Wyoming)