

## Professional Development Workshops for Steiner Communities

1. [Everyone a Leader - The Art of Shared Leadership](#) (April 2024)
2. [Building the Social Fabric of the Organisation – Transforming Relationships and Energising Work Life](#) (September 2024)



The workshops take a fresh look at enlivening our understanding and practice of collaborative work, while also developing the self. They are facilitated with a lively mix of lecturettes and group discussions, small group work, self-reflection, experiential exercises, and other artistic and creative processes. Each workshop stands alone, and you can participate in one or both. The two together will give a full and rounded experience.

### **First workshop: Everyone a Leader - The Art of Shared Leadership**

Leadership is an activity that is relevant to everyone, from principals and teachers, to parents and board members. The workshop covers emerging concepts of leadership, the dynamic nature of leadership, and how to lead change, shape organisational culture and support individuals to take initiatives and flourish at work.

### **Second workshop: Building the Social Fabric of the Organisation – Transforming Relationships and Energising Work Life**

Interpersonal collaboration is a crucial foundation for building a resilient organisation. The workshop includes insight and skills into group dynamics, building trust, developing empathic and cooperative relationships and facilitating healthy dialogue, so as to foster and maintain a healthy social life.

## Dates and times

Each three-day workshop will be run in the Sunshine Coast. In order to ensure full participation on all the days, it is suggested that participants schedule some relaxing time both before and after each workshop, so that participation is not pressured and overly dependent on flight arrivals and departures. It is also an opportunity to have some nourishing time for yourself in a beautiful environment.

- Everyone a Leader - The Art of Shared Leadership  
**April:** Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup>: 5.30 - 8.30 pm; Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> & Friday 12<sup>th</sup>: 8.30 am - 4.30 pm daily; Saturday 13<sup>th</sup>: 8.30 am - 12.30 pm.
- Building the Social Fabric of the Organisation – Transforming Relationships and Energising Work Life  
**September:** Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>: 5.30 - 8.30 pm; Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> & Friday 27<sup>th</sup>: 8.30 am - 4.30 pm daily; Saturday 28<sup>th</sup>: 8.30 am - 12.30 pm.

## Venue

The Eurythmy Hall at **Noosa Pengari Steiner School**

## Accommodation

For those who need it, we will try to arrange special accommodation packages at B&Bs close to the school, as well as billeting possibilities.

## Cost

Cost of each workshop (not including accommodation, but including a light evening meal on the first day and light lunches and teas on the subsequent two days): **\$825 per person**. No GST is payable. Concessions available on application.

## Workshop facilitator



**Dr David Liknaitzky** has had decades of experience empowering people to think creatively about individual and organisation development, and to build ethical and collaborative workplaces. He has an MA in Professional and Applied Ethics and a PhD from the University of Melbourne. David is a Professional Support Panel Member of *Steiner Education Australia*. He runs **spiritatwork**, a consultancy with an anthroposophical foundation, and works with Steiner schools and other organisations nationally, customising approaches to address their needs.

## Some testimonials

- *With practical exercises and many opportunities for artistic expression, David's course was holistic, enlightening and affirming.*
- *At the end of this workshop there was a sense of empowerment, personal development and insightful tools that could be used in our own processes. There was a sense that we were all changed and enriched through the journey that we took together.*
- *I found it one of the most enriching and educational courses that I have done.*
- *It has been a productive, positive and engaging few days. I have thoroughly enjoyed your approach. It has been a marvel to have sensitive matters gently raised to the surface in the way you have facilitated it.*

## Enrolment

Click on the following link to enrol: <https://tinyurl.com/y8ksc75y>

## Further information

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