

Save the date...



The fifth, annual Professional Development Specialist (PDS) Forum



When: Thursday April 19, 1:00 — 5:15 & Friday April 20, 8:00 — 3:15

Where: Chico Hot Springs, Pray, Montana ...in the heart of the beautiful Paradise Valley, 25 miles south of Livingston

Rooms are available. Call 333-4933 to reserve one under the Early Childhood Project/PDS Forum block.

We hope to see you all there! We can accommodate up to 60 PDS.

Registration Open: March 5 — April 6.

The forum is open to all current PDS and will focus on understanding bias and diverse thinking. We will also have a round table session around topics of YOUR choosing (*stay tuned for more on that*).

Highlights will include:

- ◇ Libby Michaud as our guest presenter. She will address bias, diverse thinking, gender equity and cultural awareness.
- ◇ A round table session on topics that are identified, at the forum by you, that are of interest/concern to PDS. Come prepared to help select and prioritize topics for the tables.
- ◇ Updates from the Early Childhood services Bureau and Licensing! There's a lot going on !!!
- ◇ A social on Thursday evening with light appetizers. Watch for info about the 5 dining options at and around Chico.
- ◇ Nine hours of professional development
- ◇ Time for networking with others

