

## TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

### 5:30 p.m. Reception

*Cello Music by Skip VonKuske*  
*No-host Bar and Hors d'oeuvres*  
*Partner Exhibits*  
*ZooTeens Activities*

### 6:15 p.m. Dinner and Program

Opening Ceremony  
*Karen Kitchen, Wisdom of the Elders*  
*Jayna Gieber, People of the Heart*

Welcome  
*Kim Smith, GPSEN Coordinator*

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*President Jeremy Brown, Portland Community College*  
*Dr. Steve Kolmes, University of Portland*  
*Adam Winston, Waste Management*

Dinner  
*Vibrant Table*

Guest speakers  
*Debra Rowe, US Partnership on ESD*  
*Lyle Benko, RCE Saskatchewan*  
*Oregon Senator Michael Dembrow*  
*Ben Duncan, Multnomah County and OPAL*  
*Youth Virtual Conference team*

### 7:40 p.m. Art and Musical Performances

*Amanda Richards*  
*Amy Livingstone, GPSEN mandala*  
*One World Chorus*

### 8:15 p.m. Thank You

*Kim Smith, GPSEN Coordinator*

## THE GREATER PORTLAND SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION NETWORK

GPSEN is a growing network of regional educators, students, non-profits, political and industry leaders, and community members collaborating to promote sustainability education in the Portland Metro region, including Washington, Clackamas and Multnomah Counties in Oregon and Clark County in Washington.

### Vision:

We envision a healthy, just, and thriving region where sustainability education is prioritized and integrated across sectors; and where everyone has opportunities to shape a more sustainable future.

### Mission:

GPSEN connects diverse organizations in a collaborative network that multiplies our collective capacity to educate for a more sustainable future.

Our goals include:

- Developing collaborative partnerships
- Supporting outreach
- Offering transformative formal and informal educational and research opportunities
- Leveraging our communities' talents and resources to help us all achieve our sustainability education goals

### Keynote Speaker Bios: ??

*Oregon Senator Michael Dembrow*

*Ben Duncan, Multnomah County and OPAL*

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## GPSEN LAUNCH CELEBRATION

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 2014

5:30-8:30

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