

# Rochester Area Literacy Council (RALC)

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## 2016 Sail into Summer: Creative Teaching Workshop

Join us for engaging and hands-on presentations guaranteed to energize your creative teaching side!

Wednesday, May 18

4:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Rochester Yacht Club

555 St. Paul Avenue, Rochester 14617

Networking, yummy  
hors d'oeuvres,  
collegial atmosphere, &  
an unbeatable view!

**Daniel Hart:** "Improv to Foster Literate Identities" Improv theory and literacy pedagogies draw upon many of the same ideologies; hence, improv exercises can function as strategies that help students make meaning of text, co-produce texts, and understand literacy as a social practice. Participants will learn the foundations of improv theory and take-away innovative skills, strategies, and resources that can be applied to their literacy teaching across content areas.

**Christine Green:** "Creatively Engaging Students with Text-based Literacy Instruction" Research tells educators that students' literacy experiences are evolving due to access to digital technology. Connections between multimedia and literacy provides an engaging way to develop comprehension. Strategies for imbedding multimedia into lessons for all ages will be shared.

**Melanie Martinek:** "Integrating Art and Literature" Visual art skills play an important role in conjunction with traditional language arts instruction. In this presentation, participants will generate creative visual art and literacy curricular connections that will be useful and engaging.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ District/Position \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

**RALC Members: \$30.00 Non-Member: \$40.00 Student: \$25.00**

Personal checks made out to RALC. District Purchase Orders are acceptable.

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