

Don't miss the most important
PARENT NETWORKING EVENT of the year!

PARENT LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

Monday, May 15, 2006
8:00 am – 3:30 pm

at the TIES building Grand Hall
1667 Snelling Ave. N., Saint Paul
(southwest corner of Snelling & Larpenteur)

Pre-registration is requested for this event.

Registration & Continental Breakfast – 8:00 am

Program – 9:00 am

Mary Brainerd, President and CEO of HealthPartners, on the “Mind the Gap” Study

Mary Brainerd is one of the founding CEOs of the Itasca Project, a group of 40 government, civic and business leaders addressing the issues that impact Minnesota’s long-term economic growth. She will present the Itasca Project’s findings on the gaps in race, place and class in our communities.

Responders Panel

Education and policy leaders will talk about the significance of the “Mind the Gap” study for public schools, public policy, and greater Minnesota:

- **Jennifer Godinez**, Associate Director, MN Minority Education Partnership, and Director, MN College Access Network
- **Bill Green**, Interim Superintendent, Minneapolis Public Schools
- **Vernae Hasbargen**, Director of Legislative Action, MN Rural Education Association

Special Recognition to Senator Mark Dayton for his Excellence in Education Program

Lunch (provided)

Mary Cecconi, Executive Director, Parents United for Public Schools
”Great Schools Begin at the Ballot Box”

Meet with the Leaders – 1-3 pm

The afternoon will be spent at the Capitol with legislative leaders.

REGISTRATION

Cost for this day of networking and learning is just **\$15**. Find the registration form at the Parents United website: <http://www.parentsunited.org/060515.html>. Just print it out and mail the form and check to: Parents United, 833 Nordic Avenue, Stillwater, MN 55082.

For more information, contact Eunice Slager, 612-385-4501, or eunice@parentsunited.org.

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