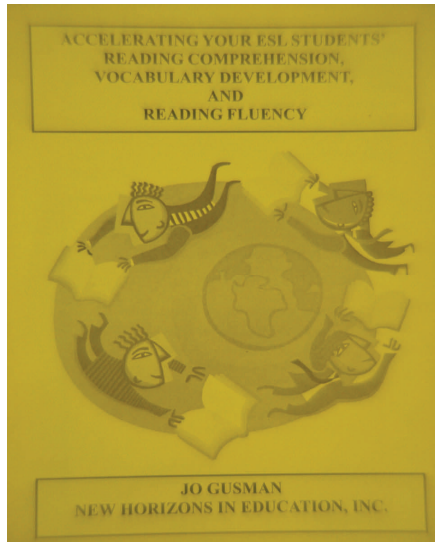




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**Jo Gusman** presented a dynamic 4 hour workshop on accelerating reading comprehension, vocabulary development, and reading fluency of ELL students. Those attending were empowered with strategies that can be effectively implemented regardless of the age and stage of their students.

The afternoon of the Literacy Conference was organized into three sessions featuring teacher presenters from our five county area.

**Kathy Balliet:** Tic-Tac-Toe to Differentiate

**Becky Berg:** Integrating Technology and D.I. into the Content Areas.

**Pami Briggs:** Readers Workshop Grades 1-3

**Becky Fisher and Lisa Petersen:** Meeting the Needs of all learners through Whole Group Instruction

**Deb Fullmer:** "Bibliotherapy" and Mutual Story Telling

**Todd Hagness:** The Joy of Assessment

**Aaron Hansen:** Making Professional Development

**Cheryl Hecht:** Tiered Activities to Meet the Needs of all Learners

**Nancy Heredia:** How to Organize a Math Fair

**Kilea Karlinsey:** Do You Hear What I Hear?

**Gretchen Lutes:** Smartboards K-12 ; Go Solve Word Problems

**Sid Miller:** Altered Books and Journals

**Susan Neal:** Unitedstreaming

**Kim Paris:** Meeting the Needs of Advanced Learners in the Regular Classroom



Michelle Hartley from McDermitt K-12 School helped Wavelength entertain over 100 educators in the Great Basin College Theater on Friday January 27th. Teachers relaxed, laughed, and enjoyed dinner between two hilarious performances. Many commented that laughing and talking with fellow educators was a delightful way to end the sometimes bleak month of January. Wave Length was brought to our region by the Northeastern Nevada Professional Development Program and the Great Basin Writing Project.

#### Literacy Conference Presenters continued:

**Joy Redfern:** Remediation Strategies and Writing K-12

**Linda Uhlenkott:** Teaching Grammar in Context: Grades K-12

#### Upcoming:

#### Key Components of Reading 3-12

Instructors: Vicki Rossolo and Robert McGinty

Deadline February 17;

Meeting Dates: Feb. 23, 24, 25

#### Private Universe Science (Annenberg)

Coordinator: Teresa Noland

Deadline: February 22

March 1-May 3

#### Differentiated Instruction

Deadline: March 30 Meeting April 7-8

Instructors: G. Cunningham and K. Ash