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# **Growing Up on the North Shore: What's Important for Parents to Know?**

## **Dr. Rebecca van der Bogert**

Hear words of wisdom from retiring Winnetka Superintendent Becky van der Bogert. Benefit from the unique experience of this long-time educator and learn what she has gleaned about raising children in over 10 years on the North Shore. Dr. van der Bogert will address a variety of topics including:

- how we can best help our children navigate the waters of education?
- how we can foster life long learning in our children?
- what are the most important tools and resources that we can give our children?

Bring your questions for a lively discussion!

**Wednesday, March 22, 2006  
12:45pm to 2:30pm  
New Trier High School, Northfield Campus  
7 Happ Rd., Building C, Room 234**

Dr. van der Bogert has been superintendent of Winnetka Public Schools since 1994. She graduated from Harvard University with a Doctorate in Teaching, Curriculum and Learning Environments. A passionate researcher and writer, Dr. van der Bogert has published books, journals and numerous articles on the topics of leadership, democracy and learning communities. She serves on the Board of Directors of the Center for Teacher Transformation at the Fetzer Institute, the Advisory Board of the Illinois Collaborative for Academic Social and Emotional Learning, the Advisory Board of Erika's Lighthouse, and the Board of NSSSED.

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