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You are cordially invited to attend LILAC's second luncheon/workshop of the 2004 – 2005 school year. Please join us and fellow colleagues at our **new location, The Maine Maid Inn** in Jericho from **12:00 – 3:00 p.m. on Friday, December 17, 2004**. To reach The Maine Maid Inn, take exit 41N (LIE) or exit 35N (Northern State Parkway) and continue up Broadway until it splits as you pass under Jericho Turnpike. Stay to the right (Route 106) and immediately watch for a small sign on the right leading you to turn right for The Maine Maid Inn. For additional directions, call The Maine Maid Inn directly at (516) 935-6400.

Our workshop speaker will be Larry Scanlon, an AP Language & Composition teacher at the Brewster Central School District, a College Board consultant, and the co-author of a soon to be published AP teacher's manual to accompany *50 Essays*, a Bedford/St. Martin's literature anthology.

Larry will discuss the proposed changes to the AP Language & Composition exam. In addition, Larry's presentation entitled "Non-fiction in the Multi-genre Classroom" will describe and demonstrate methods of reading various kinds of literature in different contexts and with different approaches. Selected short texts representing a variety of voices and genres, including poetry and non-fiction, will be examined. Larry will also discuss and model an intertextual approach, analyzing stylistic and rhetorical differences among pieces centered on a common subject or theme while engaging them in a conversation with one another. This heuristic method is designed to effect for students a process of discovery and synthesis, and to promote cogent written responses. While this approach to texts was developed in an AP classroom, its strategies may be used at any level of instruction. Our sponsor for this luncheon will be Bedford/St. Martin's. Each workshop participant will receive a complimentary copy of *50 Essays*, and a draft of selections from the manual for teachers he co-wrote with Renee Shea.

Lunch will include a Fresh mozzarella and tomato appetizer, Tossed green salad with buttermilk ranch dressing, a choice of Chicken Marsala, Sliced London Broil, Broiled Atlantic Salmon Fillet, ice cream sundaes and coffee/tea.

We hope you will join us for Larry Scanlon's presentation and the opportunity to discuss methods of reading a variety of genres with colleagues from across Long Island. Pricing for the luncheon will be \$22 for LILAC members and \$26.00 for non-members. Please tear off the registration form below and send it, with a check (payable to **LILAC**) to LILAC, c/o Jim Fisher, Carle Place School District, 168 Cherry Lane, Carle Place, NY 11514. Unfortunately, we **do not** accept purchase orders.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (516) 622-6404.

Sincerely,

Jim Fisher
Secretary

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Members: \$22.00 Registration Due: Friday, December 10, 2004
Non Members: \$26.00

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