

### **Children's Peace Summit Thursday 21 September**

To celebrate International Peace Day, and our 30th birthday, we are hosting a Children's Peace Summit at mac Birmingham (<u>https://macbirmingham.co.uk</u>), on Thursday 21 September. We are inviting nine schools to bring eight Key Stage 2 pupils and two members of staff to the Summit. Children will discuss peace, and together, we will come up with a pledge and a communique - a message to decision-makers in Birmingham and the West Midlands about what children would like to see happen in our region, to build more cohesive communities.

During the day we will be exploring peace through four themes:

- Inner peace
- Peace at school
- Peace on the streets
- Peace in the world

We will be joined by guests who will help us facilitate the day including Ray Douglas from Gangology and representatives from BeatFreeks.

There is no cost for schools to attend the day as we have raised funding to cover the costs of the event.



Places are offered on a first come, first served basis so please return your booking form (download from: <u>http://www.peacemakers.org.uk/events</u>) as soon as possible to confirm your places. Four schools have already booked, so there are five slots available. We will operate a waiting list if the event is oversubscribed.

We hope to see you on Thursday 21 September!

### Book now for our 30th birthday party

Immediately following the Children's Peace Summit we are having a 30th anniversary birthday bash at

mac Birmingham, from 4.30pm until 6.30pm on Thursday 21 September. Please join us to celebrate 30 years of supporting schools to become more peaceful places, and to look ahead to what is next for Peacemakers. We'd love it if people connected to Peacemakers (past and present) could join us over a cup of tea and some cake. There will be presentations, activities and active participation - although we promise not to make you play musical chairs! You will also be invited to look at the pledges the children will have made to the people of the West Midlands to help make their world a more peaceful place.

### Book now on Eventbrite:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/peacemakers-30thbirthday-party-celebration-tickets-34467960598





# Video: Restorative Approaches in The Oaks school

You may already have caught this video on our facebook page or twitter feed, but we want as many people as possible to have the chance to watch. So grab a cuppa and turn the volume up... watch it on our vimeo channel: <u>https://vimeo.com/222820616</u>



## Job vacancy: Programme Administrator

We are looking for an enthusiastic and interested Programme Administrator to help us to deliver more work across the West Midlands.

- Part-time (15 hours), permanent contract
- Birmingham-based (at 41 Bull Street B4 6AF)
- £19,000 (pro-rata = £7,600) plus 6% employer pension contribution
- A total of 35 days annual leave (pro-rata = 14 days)

Find out more about this exciting opportunity (<u>http://www.peacemakers.org.uk/jobs</u>). Completed applications should be submitted before the deadline: 9am Monday 3 July 2017

### 2016 Annual Report

The 2016 Annual Report is now available. Printed copies will be sent out to all our schools, donors and supporters in late June/early July. Please contact us at the office (<u>http://www.peacemakers.org.uk/contact</u>) if you would like to receive a printed copy and we will be happy to send you one. Download a pdf of the report from: <u>http://www.peacemakers.org.uk/about-us/annual-reports</u>

#### And finally...

- If you haven't bought Learning for Peace yet, what are you waiting for? Buy your copy now:
- <u>http://www.peacemakers.org.uk/resources/learning-for-peace</u>
  Last chance to respond to our strategy consultation exercise: https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/2SN5G56



Best wishes,

Adrian, Anna, Jackie, Sara The Peacemakers Team