

A DAY WITH AIMEE BUCKNER

The Maine Reading Association invites you to the Senator Inn, Augusta, on
Thursday, April 10, 2008
for a day-long workshop with teacher-writer Aimee Buckner.

A copy of Aimee's book NOTEBOOK KNOW-HOW: STRATEGIES FOR THE WRITER'S NOTEBOOK will be included with each registration. Professional publications will also be available for purchase.

8:00-9:00 A.M. Registration; coffee and pastries
11:45 A.M. Catered lunch
2:30 P.M. Concluding remarks; autographing session

Aimee will work with us on how the concept of notebooks supports writers and writing standards. In her book, the strategies are organized by the writing process—launching the notebook, developing a topic, revising, etc. She will show how the strategies can be used to pinpoint different qualities of writing like content development, organization, style, and conventions. We'll take a look at using mentor texts. Hopefully, Aimee will be able to give us a sneak preview of her new video due out in June. Then she'll help us stretch a bit to look at reading notebooks and how we might use writing strategies to think more deeply about reading.

Fee: \$100

RSVP: Reservations are required by April 1st. Reservations may be made by phone to Anne Thompson at 268-3286 or by e-mail to anne.thompson@schoolunion44.org. Purchase orders, cash, or checks will be accepted at the door on the day of the workshop, or you may pre-pay by completing the form below.

Pre-registration Form

Complete this form and enclose it in an envelope with a purchase order or check made out to MAINE READING ASSOCIATION, and address it to: Anne Thompson, 15 Jungle Lane, Litchfield, ME 04350.

Name _____ Home Tel. Number _____

Preferred e-mail address _____

School _____ Amount enclosed _____