



# Snow Good? Oh, yes it is!

Active, hands-on winter educational units



## Sled Dogs! Adventure Learning!

An Atii Sled Dogs Educator Workshop for Grades k to 12

**Need exciting winter-themed study units?** Introduce your students to another culture and way of life. Learn about winter study units that can also include the Inuit and other First Nation people of the Far North.

### Teaching about Global Warming and Climate Change?

Bring real-time science and exploration, simulation activities, and hands-on learning experiences to your students! Network with like-minded educators in an exciting Arctic adventure learning online series. Celebrate and honor traditional sled dog travel while using the internet to enhance your students' learning experience.

*It's like being in the Arctic without leaving Vermont!*

### This Workshop is a Special Package Deal!

Nine hours of formal workshop activities and content (*recert. credit eligible*) plus informal networking and resource sharing in a renowned Vermont Inn—with fabulous, fresh meals included! Lodging, all meals, workshop fees and time with sled dogs are all part of the specially-priced package. You must stay at the Lareau Farm Inn to participate in this workshop. If you are unable to include this unit in your curriculum this school year, take the workshop anyway and get a head start for next year.

#### Sunday, February 7, 2010

- 12:30-5:00: An afternoon of outdoor learning time with the sled dogs. (Bring snowshoes or xc skis, if you have them.)
- 5:00 to 6:30 pm: Check in at the Lareau Farm Inn. Relax, shower, and get ready for a group dinner.
- 6:30-8:30 pm: An American Flatbread dinner in the Lareau Farm Inn dining room.

#### Monday, February 8, 2010

- Breakfast Buffet with Lareau Farm's gourmet selections
- 9:00 to 12:00 Workshop Content Sessions
- 12:00: Lunch (Lareau Farm's fabulous soup, salad, cheese, bread, & cookies)
- 1:00-3:00 Workshop Activities and Content Sessions

Online communication, networking and support available after the workshop. At least 10 teachers must be registered by Feb. 4 for this workshop to happen. Maximum of 24 teachers. No children or guests may be accommodated at this workshop.

*For the ease of the Innkeeper, registration is a 2-part process.*

### Workshop Reservation

Workshop fee: \$125/person (includes Workshop, Sun. dinner and Mon. lunch)

**Completed reservation form must be received by 5 pm, Thurs., Feb. 4.** (Via email, fax or snail mail.) **Registration payment must be received by Friday, Feb. 5.** Please pay by Personal Check, Money Order or Traveler's Cheques only, made payable to "Atii Sled Dogs." No purchase orders can be accepted for this workshop.

### Lodging Reservation

 (Special 1-night rates include breakfast and snacks)

Single occupancy (1 person): \$60 + tax

Double occupancy (2 people sharing room): \$50 + tax/person

Super-tight budget? One guest room holds 5 people at \$35 pp + tax

**Lodging reservations must be made by 9 pm, Thurs., Feb. 4 by phoning the Lareau Farm Inn** at 800-833-0766 / 802-496-4949. Credit card needed to hold room reservation. Mention *Atii Sled Dogs Education Workshop* for the discounted room rate. Rooms may be viewed online at [www.lareaufarminn.com/walkthru.htm](http://www.lareaufarminn.com/walkthru.htm)



*"KidQuest," a Yukon Quest hands-on learning experience, at a Vermont middle school. Classroom visits with dogs and gear may be scheduled for an additional experience (and fee). Hold a "KidQuest" or "Kid-Iditarod" at your school!*



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**REGISTRATION**  
**Atii Sled Dogs! Adventure Learning! Educator Workshop – February 7-8, 2010**

Each participant must complete a registration form—even if multiple educators will be attending from the same school. Minimum of 10 teachers needed to hold workshop. Maximum of 24 teachers accepted. Registrations accepted in the order received. Confirmation for workshop attendance will be sent to the email address provided.

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY. Thanks!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position: Administrator? \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher? \_\_\_\_\_ Grade(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Subject(s) \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Workshop Registration \$125/person *Payment & registration form must be received by Thurs., Feb. 4.***

Payment by:  Personal Check  Postal Money Order  Traveler's Cheque  
 \$125 includes Workshop and follow-up electronic communication @ \$83, Sunday dinner @ \$26, Monday lunch @ \$16 including meal tax and gratuity)  
 Upon completion of the workshop, a "Certificate of Attendance" will be provided for your use for obtaining CEU credits for your recertification.

**Lodging Reservation**

Did you call the Lareau Farm Inn directly to book your lodging reservation? \_\_\_\_\_. Lodging fee includes Monday breakfast and snacks.

Which room did you reserve? \_\_\_\_\_ Reservation Confirmation number received? \_\_\_\_\_

Roommates:  Preferred name of roommate, if possible \_\_\_\_\_  
 Assigned by Innkeeper, if possible  No roommate desired.

The Innkeeper/chef needs to know:  Any special dietary needs? (Vegetarian? Other?) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Any other special needs we need to be aware of? \_\_\_\_\_

**Packing List / To Do**

- On Sunday, Feb. 7, I will come dressed in warm winter boots and multiple layers of clothing, with hat and warm gloves or mittens, prepared to be outdoors for the entire afternoon.
- I've packed my water bottle and snow shoes (or xc skis, boots and poles) for Sunday afternoon.
- I DO NOT have snowshoes (or xc skis, boots and poles).
- I've packed my laptop and cords (or other internet access device) and camera. (A laptop is not necessary to take this workshop.)
- I will bring some of my favorite winter books or other classroom resources that I use with my students or use for planning my winter units—or that I simply enjoy for my own learning and pleasure.

Space is limited; registration will be accepted in order received. Payment must accompany registration and be received by Thursday, Feb. 4. Sorry, no telephone registrations. We cannot refund for cancellations.  
 Special dietary restrictions, including any food allergies, must be included in this registration.  
 A confirmation letter and directions will be sent via email prior to the workshop.

**Please complete and mail this form, with a \$125 check made out to Atii Sled Dogs, to:  
 Atii Sled Dogs, PO Box 550, Moretown, VT 05660  
 or fax form to 802-496-3765 and mail check.  
 Payment & registration form must be received by Thurs., Feb. 4**