

ONE PLANET PEACE FORUM 2023

FOUNDATIONS OF GLOBAL HARMONY & PLANETARY PEACE

FRIDAY OCTOBER 6

5PM

Opening Ceremony & Orientation (in garden, around Peace Flag)

6:00 – DINNER

7:00

Opening Session – **Julie Krull**, Emcee
Pihcintu Multinational Girl's Chorus

8:00

Keynote – *Timeless Wisdom for a Peaceful Future*
Sherri Mitchell, Indigenous rights activist, author of *Sacred Instructions*

8:30-9:15

Synergy Circle Tracks

The Common Good – **Robert Shetterly**, portrait artist, author, activist
Inner Harmony – **Swami Tyagananda**, head, Vedanta Society of Boston
Peace Action - **Tim DeChristopher**, environmental justice activist

SATURDAY OCTOBER 7

7:30AM – BREAKFAST

9:00

Contemplative Practice Session – *Breathing Peace*

9:15

Peace Talk - *Why is Racial Healing a Prerequisite to World Peace?*
Julie Krull, moderator, author, psychotherapist
Betty Burkes, peace educator and advocate for racial justice

9:45

Peace Talk 2 - *How Does Inner Harmony Contribute to World Peace?*

Swami Tyagananda, head, Vedanta Society of Boston

Philip Goldberg, interfaith minister, author of *American Veda*

10:30 – BREAK

11:00

Peace Talk 3 - *How is the Common Good Foundational to Peace?*

Robert Shetterly, portrait artist, author, activist

Sherri Mitchell, Indigenous rights activist, author of *Sacred Instructions*

Tim DeChristopher, environmental justice activist

12:00 – LUNCH

1:15

Contemplative Practice Session 2 - *Lovingkindness (Metta)*

1:30

Hybrid Session 1 - Live Stream Conversation

Visions of Global Harmony and Planetary Peace

Ervin Laszlo, world renowned systems thinker, author of 100 books

Jude Currivan, leading cosmologist, author of *The Story of Gaia*

Julie Krull, host of All Things Connected, author, and psychotherapist

Robert Atkinson, author, educator, and founder of OPPF

2:30

Hybrid Session 2 - Live Stream Conversation

How Are Contemplative and Activist Roles Complementary in Peace Building?

Swami Tyagananda, head, Vedanta Society of Boston

Philip Goldberg, interfaith minister, author of *American Veda*

Robert Shetterly, portrait artist, author, activist

Sherri Mitchell, Indigenous rights activist, author of *Sacred Instructions*

Betty Burkes, peace educator and advocate for racial justice

Tim DeChristopher, environmental justice activist

3:30 – BREAK

4:00 – 5:30

Synergy Circle Tracks 2

Peace Education for Building a Beloved Community – **Betty Burkes**

Tools to Cultivate Calm, Courage, and Peacefulness – **Philip Goldberg**

A Framework for Racial Healing – **Kim Kelsey**

6:00 – DINNER

7:30

World Fusion Music with **Randy Armstrong** and **Marty Quinn**

SUNDAY OCTOBER 8

7:30 – BREAKFAST

8:45

Contemplative Practice Session 3 – *Imagining the Best Possible Future*

9:00

Round Table – *What Common Peacebuilding Principles Can We Identify?*

All Presenters

Common Principles as Steppingstones to Peace

10:30 – BREAK

11:00

Closing Session ~ *What Action Steps Can We Carry Out in Our Communities?*

All Presenters and Synergy Circles

Converging Common Peacebuilding Principles & Practical Action Steps

12:00

Closing Ceremony (in garden, around Peace Flag)

12:30 – LUNCH