

President's Report to the AGM on May 28th, 2011

I apologize for not attending the AGM today as I am in England celebrating my Aunt's 90th birthday. She is the last of my parent's generation and this is an important celebration for our family.

A major thrust for SIP this year has been initiatives to increase the visibility and profile of the Institute, its relevance within BC and around the world able to provide high quality effective training in Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy. As always it is a work in progress as new and creative opportunities present themselves.

Our Internet presence has been enhanced by the development and launch of our new website www.satirpacific.org and an invitation to advertise our training programs on www.goodtherapy.org under Therapist Training. John Banmen is working with me and goodtherapy.org to make this happen. This will place our programs for therapists alongside those currently advertised by Narrative Therapy, Internal Family Systems, Imago Relationship Therapy and Lifespan Integration. My thanks go to the SIP website committee of Alper Caglayan, Trace Hobson, Cindi Mueller, and Bradley William Saunders who worked closely with me and Aroma Web Design on this almost year long project. Alper, Bradley and Trace without your contribution, ideas, help, choice of banners and persistence this would not have happened. Cindi, the Institute's debt to you for figuring out the Content Management System and inputting all the information is immeasurable. In the future we will add some video clips, photos, bios of trainers, Satir Model (STST) Leadership Awardees, etc. New ideas are always welcome. Anne Morrison, Assistant Director of Training, wrote to say:

"Our new website is so impressive: professional, inviting, clear to follow, Inspirational, and such a living representation of what the Model means to us and the deep commitment of everyone through the Institute to carry out our vision and mission here and around the world. I will be proud to extra-promote the Website now"

Kathlyne Maki-Banmen has continued to spearhead our Level 1 and Level 2 programs in the Lower Mainland with the help of Linda Lucas and Jennifer Nagel. Florence Westeringh, Al Wiebe and Teresa McLellan have assisted as interns. Don Potkins, Klaus Klein and Linda were interns for the intensive residential program. Anne Morrison promoted and ran our first Level 1 program in Nanaimo on Vancouver Island with Wendy Lum, Joey Worthington and Carolyn Nesbitt as interns. These programs have successfully attracted individuals and small groups of participants from various agencies for many years and are the backbone of our training programs. We also held a number of well received Level 3 programs.

I would like to see our programs become more embedded and a significant part of the accepted training for employees and students in some of BC's major social agencies and Ministries e.g. MCFD, School Boards, Health Authorities, Universities, etc. SIP members working in these agencies have been bringing change and awareness of the Satir Model into these environments with their effective practice and skills.

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Where Have All the Flowers Gone

By Dr. John Banmen, Director of Training

It is the month of Virginia Satir's Birthday. She would have celebrated her 95th birthday this year. She only saw her 72nd birthday before cancer claimed her life in her physical form. Many people were touched by her and her teachings. She not only believed change was possible. She practiced her beliefs with all of us who had the great fortune to spend much time with her. Many of us took up some of her tasks and did as much as we could to spread her message of peace within, peace between and peace among.

But the years are rolling along. Some members of her training team have followed her steps beyond, some have reached their retirement and probably still glow in memory of their past. Then there are a few like Maria Gomori, now 91 years old, who is still travelling regularly to foreign places spreading Virginia Satir's message of peace.

Someday all direct students, colleagues and personal friends will follow Satir's footsteps and part from this earth.

One of these students and colleague of Virginia Satir called me recently and asked me how we are preparing the next generation of Satir Model trainers and leaders. She is planning to retire after nearly 30 years of spreading the word of Virginia Satir. She is looking at who will replace her? Who will take on the task? How do we prepare them?

I consider this a very urgent and important task? Who from the next generation, many who have never spent time with Virginia Satir, will take on the leadership roles of teaching and promoting the Satir Model after the first generation has retired?

When I contemplated this situation, I realized that many of the greatest Satir Model leaders actually spent no time with Virginia Satir. These people have basically learned from the first generation of Satir Model Practitioners and are doing a great job. Maybe we need to do much more before all of us retire.

As so many of the first generation are in the process of slowing down or even retiring, or even leaving this place, what can we still do that will provide the world with more adequate, competent, congruent Satir Model trainers and leaders?

After my friend called me and asked me her question, I have been thinking about some answers. In September when the Satir Institute of the Pacific Board of Directors have their retreat, I will ask them. I will ask Sharon Loeschen, president of Satir Global to ask her Board Members at their early October meeting, what they are doing and willing to do. Maybe my friend has voiced a very important concern.

I ask Wisdom Box readers who are trained and committed to the Satir Model: what is it you need for you to step ahead of us, the first generation, and basically take over the torch from us and move the Satir Model into the next stage of its development and application?

If we can help you, please ask for what you want and need. Some of us might be able to help you. Getting out of your way might be one step in the right direction. Give us more.

Welcome to our Newest SIP Members

Tricia Antoniuk - Affiliate
 Arloene Burak - Community
 Betty Conroy - Affiliate
 Gail Franklin - Community
 Neva Goquingco - Affiliate
 Rick Miners - Affiliate Memers
 Judy Oakes - Professional Member
 Susan Robin - Community
 Florence Westeringh - Upgraded to Clinical
 Al Wiebe - Clinical Member
 Fran Willgress - Community Member
 Harmony Zou - Professional

Presidents report continued

The Satir Model is beginning to have a larger institutional impact in some of these agencies. Jennifer Nagel and Teresa McLellan presented successful programs for the Settlement Workers for Immigrants in Schools for both the Burnaby and Vancouver School Boards. There are plans to bring this program into other School Districts. We are in negotiations with MCFD in Ashcroft to provide a program for their staff. For a number of years Anne Morrison has taught a Level 1 program as part of the curriculum for students at Nicola Valley Institute of Technology. There are probably other examples which have escaped my memory.

Our influence beyond the borders of BC continues with links to thirteen other Satir Institutes around the world where our members are presenting programs. SIP has inaugurated a new initiative, The Satir Model (STST) Leadership Award. This is a once in a lifetime award to recognize the leaders in the Satir Model for their work in their own countries. The awards will be made every three years. Initially 14 recipients will be honored; pictures and information about each awardee will be published on the SIP website and in the Wisdom Box. Several of the recipients will be honoured and receive their award one evening during the week long Master Class Program in July at Rosemary Heights. (see page 7)

The Board has been short handed during most of the year, Pindy Badyal resigned just after the AGM, and then in July Shelley Jensen due to ill-health in family members, Enrique Monje-Alvarez attended the Board retreat in September but resigned in November due to his own health problems and Trace Hobson moved to Alberta in the New Year. Florence Westeringh, as a new Board member, bravely and enthusiastically took on the role of Director of Membership Services. Her report will outline her goals and activities this year. Teresa McLellan took on the role of Treasurer and you will hear in her report that we achieved a small surplus and made some other financial initiatives to ensure the Institute remains on a solid financial base. Linda Lucas became Secretary and is always willing to step in and contribute in all sorts of ways. Madeleine DeLittle has given us some great issues of the Wisdom Box and John Banmen continues his work as Director of Training. Trace Hobson challenged us with his business background and new perspective. I think your Board worked well together and although small in numbers steered the Institute through another successful year. I appreciate the gift of working with each of you and thank you for your contribution to SIP. Mary Leslie deserves a special mention for her work with Cindi and Dogs Kitchen in streamlining the production of our DVDs for sale. No report would be complete without acknowledging and thanking Cindi Mueller, our admin assistant, for all her work managing our book-keeping accounts, training programs, numerous emails, requests for DVD's, books etc. Knowing you are there in the office looking after much of the day to day business of the Institute has made my job as President easier and enabled the Institute to develop a higher profile and reputation here in BC and around the world. Finally, I would like to thank all the SIP members for being part of the Institute and their contributions large or small to another successful year for SIP.

Michael Callaghan, President
May 28th, 2011

International Family Therapy Association Conference Holland April 2011



Well it was an amazing week. I took the early commuter flight from London to Amsterdam and saw all the dykes, windmills and bulb fields from above. On landing I made my way by public transport to my hotel and "power-touristed" Amsterdam for two days. Not a museum was left un turned. (The top left on the next page is of the kind of paints Rembrandt used) After two amazing days of walking the streets of Amsterdam, I made my way back to the railway station and waited for the shuttle to the conference. This was situated in the middle of thousands of acres of bulb fields, but near to a wonderful Dutch seaside town on the channel coast line.

Oh yes the conference—I set up my poster (see below right) and checked out the others afterwards. They were serious stuff, with lots of numbers and funny hieroglyphics. My poster was describing through pictures, how children transform their internal pain. I showed pictures of their struggles and then the transformed pictures. Lots of people were moved by this because it was not numbers and was about real children experiencing real change. (Kathlyne says it was the best)



I went to every session and found some extremely difficult to follow—there was so much research by young folks who were more into statistical significance than I ever will be. The conclusions were great however and I learned so much.

I loved the key note and plenary speakers, in particular Monika Mc Goldrick who uses figurines to develop genograms and another on ‘Sexual desire, Interpersonal Neurobiology and Marital Therapy’. Of course I went to Seibel's great workshop on ‘Family peace building: Resolving parent-Child conflict Using the Satir Model’ and Kathlyne's on ‘The Use of Self of the Therapist in Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Model’. The Satir model is still so relevant and respectful yet I felt like parts of it have been taken up post Satir and used in much more complicated, form filling, more prescriptive ways.

The Satir model emphasizes the role of the therapist connecting with the client at a deep spiritual, life energy place, but now seems to have been forgotten in other approaches and replaced by techniques or the emphasis is on the fixing problem. (eg ‘Step Families: barriers to Integration, or “Triangulation, Overt parental Hostility and Adolescent Behavioral problems’). I came away full of ideas but the Satir Model works for everyone I

mostly a sense that come in to contact with. It is such a deeply respectful human approach to people in pain and it so effective!

I urge all of you to think about your practice and what part of the Satir model you would like to share at the next IFTA conference here in Vancouver. I suggest that we run them all by one individual so that we are not duplicating our ideas

Back to Holland. On our night out in Amsterdam I offered to be the tour guide to a number of folks who knew nothing of the local

environs. I took them over canals and showed them the sights and the invited them to an “anthropological study.” This comprised walking through the red-light district and with little persuasion, a sex shop. My peers were most interested but seemed to know less about the contents of said shop than the local environs. And so began my life as a tour guide and sex shop expert. I have never laughed so much in my entire life!!

So next year I shall be arranging tours of Vancouver and Davie street as IFTA and Co-Sponsor SIP welcome the Family Therapy world to Vancouver in 2012. I am already paid up. FYI there is a special rate for Satir members. I guarantee you will have tremendous fun and you will learn some things as well.



The Todd Clark Unsung Hero Award

It was my great pleasure and privilege to present the Todd Clark Unsung Hero Award to Linda Prochaska at her home after the AGM which she was unfortunately unable to attend. I felt somewhat sneaky, because of



course the recipient is not supposed to know beforehand about the award until they receive it. With this secret surprise in mind, I phoned her up and said that I had attended the AGM and was thinking of helping with the fireside chats so could I come by and pick her brain. (I think tea was implied at this time, certainly in my mind).

I arrived at Linda's place, and happily we had an audience in the shape of her husband. I began by asking Linda what were some of the roles that she had taken on over the years for SIP, and she mentioned the registering of course participants, keeping the participant name lists current, organizing the educational evenings, and helping with and hosting some of the Fireside Chats to name just some of the tasks that she's undertaken over the years. (I thus got Linda to do her own speech, which meant that of course being modest, she left things out. However, I then stood up which

probably gave her a nasty turn, and pulled out the very lovely crystal award and presented it to her.

Needless to say, she had not been expecting it, and was thrilled. I honestly cannot think of a more deserving hero, or in this case heroine that embodies the intention of the award which was named after Todd Clark who was the quintessential unsung hero.

Congratulations Linda, SIP really appreciates you and what you have done!

Pauline Mullaney



Photo of John Banmen and Kathy Maki-Banmen
At the Agm on May 28th 2011

IFTA in 2012 call for papers in Vancouver

This year the theme of the International Family Therapy Conference is working with couples but they will accept other areas of interest as well. As SIP is a co-sponsor of the conference we would like as many of you as possible to be present and in addition to pre-sent. This could be a poster presentation or an hour workshop. Please think about what you do every day and what you would like to share of it with the world. (Psst—keep it on the QT, but a little bird told me that John Banmen is helping with the selection of workshops!) Follow this link:

<http://www.ifta-congress.org/docs/vancouverpromoflyer1page.pdf>

<http://www.ifta-congress.org/docs/vancouverpromoflyer2page.pdf>

Review of the Satir in the Sand Tray workshop

I attended the second sandtray training given by Madeleine De Little at her wonderful welcoming home in Langley. When I heard that Madeleine was doing a sequel I knew that I had to be there, not only for the training I have to confess, but I had been going through a very challenging time, and knew that I wanted to be in that very safe accepting atmosphere where I could use sandtray to work through a few things. I therefore came with my agenda, and Madeleine came hoping to teach and also provide a very safe atmosphere to do it. So far so good.

For my agenda, when we got to practice, I immediately chose Dellrae Butler to be my 'therapist' because I've been in a triad with her, and she is quite wonderful. So far so good. Dellrae hadn't done level one, so she obviously fell back on many tried and true Satir techniques, and as I wrestled dinosaurs, and very large black snakes in the sandtray, she was with me in the sandtray, metaphorically speaking, and then attempting other techniques that I would have none of. I needed to wrestle my snakes and monsters. Anybody who knows me realizes that if I'm set on something it's nigh impossible to move me, so she heeded Madeleine 's words to stay with the sandbox. My wrestling decreased, and I moved on, and I left after the first day feeling like I had left the monsters in the sand. Thank you Dellrae, thank you Madeleine. The training was wonderful. I feel that it is a really useful adjunct to my repertoire that I will use with children and adults alike.

Pauline Mullaney



An example of Transformation of yearnings . The eagle represents freedom to choose

Satir Model (STST) Leadership Awards.

The Satir Institute of the Pacific has decided to honour and recognize Satir Model Leaders, primarily in Asia and Europe, for their leadership and contribution to the development and spread of the Satir Model in their own countries. The awardees are recognized in their own countries for their contribution in training professionals in the Satir Model, their organizational roles in promoting the Satir Model, writing and resource development. The awards are given only once to any person in their lifetime. The awards will be offered by SIP every three to five years. This year, the first year, SIP is pleased to announce that there are 14 recipients, in later years there will be less. Each of the recipients was asked to write a short piece about themselves and their work which is reproduced here, along with photos of 12 of them.

Presentations were made of a certificate and an engraved glass trophy by the President of SIP at the recent Master Class to 8 of the awardees: Tali Aharony (Israel), Somrak Choovanichvong (Thailand), Sibel Erenel (Turkey), Marie Lam (Hong Kong), Anna Low (Singapore), Milada Radosova (Czech Republic), Hana Scibranyova (Slovakia), Karin Tschanz (Switzerland).

The remaining six will receive their awards in their own countries from a visiting SIP Member. They are: Mother Superior, Sister Susan Chia (Rome, Italy), Young Ae Kim (Korea), Ilona Kotakova (Czech Republic), So Fun Lam (Malaysia), Nonpanga Limsuwan (Thailand), Nancy Wong ((Taiwan).

Satir Model (STST) Leadership Awards 2011



Here are the biographies of these amazing women who have won Leadership Recognition Awards from the Satir institute of the Pacific

Tali Aharony, MA Clinical Psychologist-Israel

I am a clinical psychologist, practicing individual and family therapy in Israel. I am a happily married mother of three lovely daughters. I teach Family Therapy and the Satir Model. I love music and am deeply involved in classical singing. I integrate voice work in my therapy and teaching.



I started on my professional path in California in the early 80s. There, I was greatly influenced by one of my teachers, student of Virginia. I internalized the systemic way of thinking as well as the Growth Model right from those early days.

Back in Israel, I continued my professional development as a clinical psychologist working in mental health, specifically with children diagnosed as having developmental and emotional problems.

However, my internal voice led me back to systemic work. I specialized in Family Therapy and became a teacher and supervisor in this field.

In 2006, John Banman came to Israel with Nitza Broide Miller (who is my sister) to voluntarily teach the Satir Model. This was my first real introduction to the Satir Model. I immediately felt at home.

Since then, I have devoted myself to creating, promoting, developing and leading a Satir group in Israel.

This I do voluntarily. I feel that my enthusiasm helps bring people together.

Presently, the Satir group in Israel has grown to about 70 members. We have various training programs as well as open monthly group meetings. The Satir group in Israel has developed into a very special, connected community. I feel like I have gained a loving family to grow with. Presently, we are in the process of becoming an independent center within the Israeli Association for Family Therapy.

My desire is to continue connecting to life energy and help others connect as well.

PhDr. Hana Scibranyova-Slovakia



Hana is a licensed clinical psychologist and psychotherapist, with private practice for individuals, couples and families in Bratislava, Slovakia.

Before she worked in Child Clinic Hospital in Bratislava for high risk newborn babies and their families, lectured programs for healthcare professionals in Postgraduate Medical Centre in Bratislava. She was involved in a longitudinal research for development of premature born in Slovakia.

She studied Ericksonian hypnotherapy and Satir Model Transformational and Systemic Therapy. She is a director, a trainer and a lecturer and supervisor of short and long term training programs in the Satir Model in Czech Republic and Slovakia. She is also contributing to the development of the Disaster and crisis psychology and trauma-therapy and building the network of crisis management in Slovakia. She is the President of Satir Institute in Slovakia, the former Board Director of Avanta, the Virginia Satir Global Network, an ex-President of the Slovak Chamber of Psychologists, member and the national delegate for Slovakia of the Slovak Psychotherapy Association in European Association of Psychotherapy (EAP), and a member of the Disaster, Crisis and Trauma Committee of the EFPA (European Federation of Psychology Associations) for Slovakia. She is happily married and with her husband Miroslav they have a daughter Lucia and two sons, Daniel and Radovan.

Ilona Kotakova *-Czech Republic



I am 55, and I am grateful for times spent with my beloved husband Zdenek, having two grown up children -Veronika and Jakub; and as a family going through the hard and good times that life brings. I treasure the moments when all of us meet together, that is when I am the happiest. I love the place my husband and I choose to spend our middle-life. In our house, surrounded by mountains, with a big garden where I do my gardening and look after our pets.

I am grateful to live to see the end of the totalitarian system (1989) in our country; therefore I can enjoy things I never hoped to experience, such as travelling freely around the world, to develop my own private practice and to live in free society. Despite this, I was lucky even in a totalitarian system, which suppressed and devalued psychology, to meet open minded people with enthusiasm for new ideas, people with interest in a human soul. Their influence connected with my desire to find new ways to care for the human soul.

During my psychology studies I have visited lectures on dream- psychodrama. In summer breaks I also have worked at a police custody, which was one of the first in the World with specialisation on drug and alcohol misuse, being linked to a famous Drug and Addiction Clinic.

As a newly qualified Clinical Psychologist, my first job was on a Paediatric ward in a hospital. Even in those days, it was unusual for the mother to be hospitalised along with her child (very unique in a totalitarian system), especially for prematurely born children. My role was to support the mother in developing healthy bond with her child. I looked after children with psychosomatic illnesses who were hospitalised and also provided support to their families, who came to visit.

After that, I worked as Clinical Psychologist on Gynaecological -Maternity ward in a General hospital. I looked after women with oncological problems, women with psychosomatic illnesses, and women who were hospitalised before, during or after their pregnancy.

In the totalitarian system, the child was separated from the mother after the birth, and was frequently brought to the mother during feeding times. However I was lucky with a support of my colleague, to visit Sweden to observe the quality of care on maternity units there. We were able to slowly introduce 'natural birth' to the Czech units and with the support of the main physician (consultant) we achieved for the mother to stay with her child in a private room and for close family to visit. We noticed a rapid decrease of postnatal depression in women following that change.

I also worked as an Emergency hospital psychologist- looking after people who experienced traumatic events, people with severe burns, and people who experienced clinical death.

After the revolution (Velvet Revolution in 1989- the fall of Communist Area) I opened my own private practice in which I reflected my thirty years of experiences- working with individuals, couples and families. [I also work as a volunteer in a hospice-palliate care.](#)

My personal and professional grow is closely tied with the teaching of Virginia Satir and her followers- such as Maria Gomori, Walter Zahnd along with John and Kathlyn Banmen, which I had the honour to meet and work with.

Everything I have learnt on various workshops and trainings I passed onto my clients, and also onto students in psychotherapeutic trainings, which I have continuously run for twenty years now. I felt the importance of passing on and expanding the knowledge from workshops and trainings of V. Satir in the Czech Republic. I did lots of voluntary work towards the development of the Institute of V. Satir in the Czech Republic along with preparation of accredited training Movisa, worked on first training and guaranteeing work on other trainings.

I felt proud helping the Model of Grow (V. Satir) to seed and later grow in the Czech's laic and professional society. Nowadays, it is a well known and respected approach used in family and psychotherapeutic schools in the Czech Republic.

I am grateful for many rich friendships with people I met on this journey. I would like to contribute towards the development of a new generation of therapists working in the Systematic-transformation therapy of V.Satir to preserve the continuum of history, presence and future of this inspirational approach that helps people to be free and congruent.

Sibel Erenel, MA, MS, LMFT-Turkey

Sibel Erenel (Usluer) is a licensed marriage & family therapist, and supervisor. She is the founder, director and trainer of Satir İnsan Gelisimi ve Aile Terapisi Enstitüsü (Satir Human Growth & Family Therapy Institute) in Istanbul, Turkey. She received her M.Ed. degree in Counseling at Boğaziçi University and holds a second M.Ed. degree in Family, Marriage and Child Therapy, and School Counseling from California State University Hayward. She was licensed as a Marriage and Family Therapist in California in 2001.



Sibel was a student of Kaye Bishop LMFT-a first generation Satir trainer, for 5 years where she learned the Satir Model. She has worked with children with developmental disabilities and their families; at-risk youth, victims of violence, high conflict families and couples, She has also worked in child abuse, violence, and crime prevention programs. She has conducted group, individual, couple's, child and family therapies in schools, family counseling centers, and private practice.

In 2006 Sibel Erenel developed a 3 year Satir model based family therapy program providing training to counselors and therapists in Istanbul. She collaborated with the Satir Institute of the Pacific to enhance the training program as subsequently approved by Satir Institute of the Pacific (SIP) Director of Training John Banmen.

Sibel Erenel is a clinical member of AAMFT, CAMFT, IFTA and the Satir Global Network (formerly AVANTA) & SIP. She is also dedicated to working for the advancement of family therapy and the Satir Systemic Transformational Therapy in Turkey where she has her private practice and runs the Satir-based Family Therapy program.

Anna Maria Low *-Singapore



Anna Maria Low is a human being on a journey to becoming more fully human. She is grateful for the people in her life and also the people she meets at the different platforms offered to her now as therapist, supervisor and trainer, for helping her learn and grow.

Anna is the founding president of Satir Centre (Singapore), established in 2009. She accepts this honour from the Satir Institute of the Pacific on behalf of all Satir people in Singapore.

Anna holds a Masters in Social Science (Counselling), Post Graduate Diploma (Satir) Therapy, Diploma in Clinical Supervision, Bachelor of Accountancy and a Graduate Certificate in Theology. She is accredited as a Registered Counsellor, Approved Clinical Supervisor and a Registered Social Service Practitioner in Singapore. She is also a clinical member of the Satir Institute of the Pacific (SIP) and a member of the International Family Therapy Association (IFTA).

Anna has worked in different contexts including: auditing and accounting; residential care programmes for teenagers-at-risk, single women in pregnancy crisis, women who are in abusive relationships and their children, and foreign domestic workers who have been abused; and currently at a family service centre and a family violence specialist centre; and also at a pastoral centre.

Anna has been a Satir supervisor and trainer in Singapore since 2003. She is also a Satir trainer in China since 2009. She presented at the Satir conferences in New Jersey (2003) and also Hong Kong (2010).

On a personal note, Anna hopes to make a positive contribution to self, others and context.

MUDr. Milada Radosová -Czech Republic

I grew up in Prague during the communist regime, when many people's yearnings could not be met. I chose a career that allowed me to stay free (not participate in the communist party) – to study medicine at Charles University. In 1985 I got a degree in Psychiatry and started to work at children's ward, where psychotherapy was used more frequently. In 1988 I signed on to the first government approved family therapy training, directed by Virginia Satir's student Petr Bos. In 1990 I got an attestation in children's psychiatry and started to work at children's outpatient psychiatry clinic, where I still work to date. In 1994 I participated in Marie Gomori's four-day-long seminar. I also graduated training in marriage counselling, training in imaginative psychotherapy and long term training in systemic family therapy.



In 1996 I had the chance to see Walter Zahn from California direct a family reconstruction, which showed me my next therapeutic direction. In the following years I took part in many growth communities led by W. Zahn and in 1999 I got through the process of my own Family reconstruction.

In 2000 at the International Family Therapy Association conference I had a lecture on family reconstruction. Between 1999 – 2001 I passed Avanta supervision training, directed by John and Kathlyne Banmen. I was a member of the team who successfully defended four-year long Virginia Satir's Growth Model training's (MOVISA) accreditation for the Health Area.

In 2001 I passed out a functional specialization in systemic psychotherapy. I've been IVS Czech Republic director for three years. In 2003 I lectured on IVS Czech Republic history and Movisa training at the Avanta Meeting in the USA.

Later on I've worked for IVS as a member of the expert council and organizer of foreign lecturers' seminars and Movisa training supervisions. I lead Satir workshops and lecture on STST at various conferences, I'm also a supervisor and guarantee of the Movisa training. In the summer of 2006 I took part in an advanced training program at Vancouver, organised by SIP and directed by John and Kathlyne Banmen.

Rev. Karin L. Tschanz, M.Th.-Switzerland



Karin L. Tschanz is a Swiss-Canadian Marriage and Family Therapist, Supervisor AAMFT, Director of Pastoral and Palliative Care, Chaplain and Educator using the Satir Model. She studied Theology at the Universities of Bern and Basel, Switzerland, Lincoln, England and at the Wilfred Laurier University of Waterloo, Canada, and received a Masters in Theology from the University of Bern in 1985 and a Masters of Theology in Pastoral Care and Counselling from the Wilfred Laurier University in 1989. In 2011 she is expected to receive her Doctorate in Theology from the University of Bern. The topic of her Dissertation focuses on Virginia Satir and the integration of the Satir Model into pastoral care and counselling. She is an ordained pastor within the Swiss Reformed Church where she is working as a Director of Pastoral and Palliative Care and as a Chaplain.

As her second career she trained as a Marriage and Family Therapist and became an approved Supervisor with AAMFT in 2001. During her studies in family therapy she trained under Gloria Taylor in Kitchener, ON, and Maria Gomori on Gabriola Island, BC. With Dr. John Banmen and Kathlyne Maki Banmen she trained in the Satir Model, accomplishing Level I, II, the Training for Trainers and the Master course. She is a clinical member with the Satir Institute of the Pacific and is applying the Satir Model as a supervisor AAMFT. She is working as a teacher and Director of studies in the Master program in Pastoral care, counselling and pastoral psychology at the University of Bern, Switzerland, teaching family systems, family reconstruction and the Satir Model as it may be applied in pastoral care, counselling and pastoral psychology.

Susan Chia, MA. (Pastoral Leadership), SRN-Singapore

Susan Chia, MA. (Pastoral Leadership), SRN, is a Good Shepherd religious with twelve years experience operating outreach, residential and recovery programs for teenagers-at-risk and women in crisis. For ten years, she was the director of initial formation of the Good Shepherd religious women in the Singapore-Malaysia province. She was the province leader of Singapore-Malaysia for seven years before her election as a member of the international Good Shepherd leadership team in 2009. She is currently serving full-time in the same capacity.



Ten years ago, Susan adopted the Satir model to pursue self-growth and a deeper consciousness of life force within. This living model has had a profound influence on her. Convinced of the benefit of approach, including her passion to enable others to be co-creators of the Good Shepherd mission, she developed training programs encompassing self-transformation and interpersonal growth, team-building and leadership formation utilising the Satir Model. These programs took place in Singapore, Malaysia, Philippines, Sri Lanka, India, Indonesia, Madagascar, Kenya, Lebanon and France.

In November 2011, together with a team, she will be conducting a new ten-week "train the trainers" program which is a series of workshops for 150 formation personnel from 40 countries where the Good Shepherd mission is present. The training will be organized according to regions and will take place in the Philippines, Kenya and Chile. It aims to promote the growth model and build capacity for change in the organization as the religious sisters live out the Good Shepherd mission in today's context.

Susan had previously contributed to the Satir Journal, Vol.1, No.2, 2007, a research study on the value of the Satir Model as a means of self-empowerment for women experiencing spousal violence.

Somrak Choovanichvong, M.D.-Thailand

I graduated with a degree in Medicine and Thai Board of Psychiatry. I has been working as a psychiatrist for 19 years and was a



pioneer in establishing psychiatric patients' relatives club in Thailand. Currently, I'm the Chairperson of Thai Family Link Association, working with patients, relatives, and volunteers to promote potential of people who live with psychiatric disorders. Also I has founded Friend for Mental Health Magazine 11 years ago and has been the editor and has written the column "The Needle extracts the thorn" for layman and professionals who attended Satir workshops. In 1993 I first experienced Satir Model when I attended the workshop by Maria Gomeri in Bangkok. In 1994 I

traveled to Hongkong to attend the workshop by Maria Gomeri, John Banmen, and Jane Gerber. In 1999 I met John Banmen. John mentioned that he would be willing to do a short workshop using the Satir Model in Thailand for the professional community. The first workshop by John Banmen was held during 13-16 December 1999. In 2001 I coordinated the organizing of the workshop for members of Royal College of Psychiatrists of Thailand. After that there were teams organizing workshops for other personnels widely across Thailand. Personally, I use Satir Model in working. There are only a small number of psychiatrists in Thailand. Mostly they see each patient for 5-10 minutes and primarily treat patients with medication. But I tried to set up a special clinic, so I could have chances to treat patients with psychotherapy by using STST. Then I am happy that I can help patients be free from symptoms and grow. Now, I organize the workshops for universities and Bible colleges that invite me persistently. And I also applied Satir Model in organizing marital life enrichment retreats for many churches. I am willing to improve my supervision skills so I can promote ones who would like to use STST in Thailand.

Marie Ming Ying Shen Lam *-Hong Kong



She has her BS from Fu Jen University in Taiwan and Master degree in Public Health from UCLA

She started her learning of the Satir Model since 1986 with Dr John Banmen, Dr. Maria Gomori and Ms. Jane Gerber. Ever since 1987, she attended at least two workshops with them every year.

She started her translator work for Dr Gomori in 1988 after she attended Virginia Satir's workshop in Canada. Later, she also translate for Dr John Banmen both in Taiwan , Hong Kong and Mainland China.

She was born in Mainland China, grew up in Taiwan, got married in United States and now is living in Hong Kong. She is a mother of five grown up children.

She is a senior counselor and approved clinical supervisor for Hong Kong Satir Center.

She has been working for Hong Kong Satir Center from the beginning of its existing . She is one of the founders. She has been on the board of the Hong Kong Satir Center ever since Hong Kong Satir Center was founded in 1989. She was president, vice president and now is

the program director. She is also a bridge with other Satir Centers in Asia, such as Taiwan Satir Center and Satir Centers in China. She was a board member of the Taiwan Satir Center for many years.

She does professional training courses and personal growth workshops in Hong Kong, Taiwan, Mainland China, Malaysia, Singapore and Macau. This Summer she will be one of the assist trainers at the S. I. P. Master's Series in B.C. Canada.

Dr. Lam Sok Fun *-Malaysia

I am a doctorate degree holder for psychology counseling from Pillsbury College, USA. I am a family therapist and have many chances to meet families and help them to reconcile their relationships. Until now I had met more than 1000 clients and had written 7 books on counseling mainly to help the youths.

Since 2001 I had conducted a 20day STST course in Malaysia. Within these 10years, I had taught in 9 cities in the whole of Malaysia which covered almost all the important cities in Malaysia. Besides, there is one participant from Brunei and he is now the first family therapist in Brunei. Every year I have about 100 new students learning Satir model from different cities.

I have a counseling program in radio for 15years. I often take the opportunity to share the Satir model through the program and hence many Malaysians know the teaching of Satir model as well.

Since 2008, John Banmen has introduced me to China ,I have started to conduct a 20day Satir certification program and 6 day parenting course in China. Within these 3 years, I have taught Satir model in 8 cities of midland China and my dream is to go to all the main cities in China just as what I have done in Malaysia.

This is my aspirations and I hope that I will work diligently to excel in all my future endeavours.



Nancy Fong Lei Wong *-Taiwan Picture not shown

I would like to extend my gratitude to you for honoring and validate me with this award. It was such a big impact for me when I attended Dr. Maria Gomori's workshop for the first time on 1988. It was a family reconstruction workshop. I was so attracted to Satir Model since then. I never stop my learning of Satir Model from 1989. I organized satir workshops and took the chance to learn Satir Model as well. I also received NLP training. I applied whatever I learnt from the Satir Model into my living and use it to facilitate my clients so that they can experience Satir Model , apply to their lives as well. Just like how Virginia Satir said, we can not change the event, but we can change the impact from those events. I am the one who benefit from leaning and applying Satir Model most. I learnt to treasure my self and be more present. I become more humbler, respect, appreciate life. I believe that we all have capacity to be our own choice maker and be responsible for it. Other than appreciate my self changed my carrier from other field to use Satir Model into counselling and leading training groups. I appreciate those who supported and trust me on my journey even more. I think this honor is not for me but belong to my Satir peers in Taiwan, My mentors--Dr. Maria Gomori and Dr. John Banmen.

1. Be facilitators for Dr. John Banmen's Professional Training Course since 1996 until now.
2. Be facilitators for Dr. Maria Gomori's Family Reconstruction Training Course since 1998 until now.
3. Trainer of Professional Training Groups since 2010

Kim, Young Ae Ph.D. in Pastoral Counseling-Korea

Korea Satir Institute Director, Kimyoungae Family Therapy Center Director

Present President of Korea Satir Marriage and Family Therapy Association
 Past President of Korea Family Therapy Association
 Past Vice President of Korea Pastoral Counseling Association
 American Association for Marriage and Family Clinical Member
 Korea Counseling Association Supervisor
 Korea Pastoral Counseling Association Supervisor
 Korea Counseling Psychology Association Supervisor
 Korea Christian Pastoral Counseling Association Supervisor



Presently an affiliated professor of Dankook University which is MOU University with Korea Satir Institute

publish several books, translated several books, and produce videos.

books:

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy: Theory and Practice with John Banmen
 Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy: Application with John Banmen
 Personality Theories: Theory and Application
 Satir's Iceberg Communication Skills
 Satir's Iceberg Parenting Skills
 Translated Virginia's "Meditation", "Satir Model"

Videos:

Beautiful Journey: Seoul broadcasting Systems Documentary Program(A Family Therapy done by Young Ae Kim applying Satir Family Therapy.)

Aging Couple in Trouble : A couple therapy by Young Ae Kim applying Satir couple Therapy)

Several Banmen's and Satir's videos edited.

Now, the KSI is growing from an infant baby to a young person.

I hope KSI keep growing and hope that future generation of Korea will take over the responsibility to spread Satir's spirit to next generations of Korea continuously.

Prof. Nongpanga Limsuwan,M.D. Picture not available

I , (Professor) Nongpanga Limsuwan, M.D. I received my medical degree in Thailand and my psychiatric residency training in USA. I have been working at the Faculty of Medicine, Mahidol University since 1980. I was the Head Department for a period of 7 years.

I served as Scientific Chairperson for the Psychiatric Association of Thailand , the Royal College of psychiatrists of Thailand and was the president of the Royal College of psychiatrists of Thailand for 4 years .

Currently, I am the board examiner for Thai Board of Psychiatry and Thai Board of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

My background was psychodynamic oriented trained psychiatrist . In 1999, I first met Dr. John Banmen in Satir Model Workshop in Thailand - I was extremely impressed with John and Satir Model. Since then I have tried the best I can with Dr. Somrak and many other Thai Psychiatrists to train Thai Psychiatrists and counselors to use Satir Model to help their clients and patients. Up to present time, we have train more than 2000 people. I am proud that I am a part of the growth of STST in Thailand and Thai people have the chance of healing, changing and growing by STST. Now I am one of the Satir supervisors team in Thailand.

I am committed to use STST for my patients, to train people to use it and I feel very thankful to Virginia Satir, Dr. John Banmen and Kathlyne Maki-Banmen.

Annual General Meeting

Saturday, May 28, 2011 1:30 pm

Phoenix Centre 13686-94A Avenue, Surrey, BC V3V 1N1

Treasurer's Report

Having been a board member for 3 years previously and recently renewed for another 3 year term at last year's AGM, I was strongly encouraged to take on the position of Treasurer. While my passion for the Satir model and the Institute was high, my time available was not. However with the proposed changes that the board had (at that time) for the future of our finances, I agreed to take on the challenge.

Working very closely with our administrative assistant (without whom I could not have fulfilled my duties this year), I spent most of the summer of 2010 changing our cheque signatories, getting set up for online banking, and getting various other tasks completed with the bank such as cheques with stubs. At the time we had also transitioned from paper bookkeeping to online accounting which has saved us numerous extra hours of work every month and has made accessing reports more timely and efficient.

Our next big task was to transfer our previous GIC's into more accessible and useful investments with higher interest rates. This change coincided with a change in financial structure that allowed for a contingency fund to be created for larger purchases to come out of rather than affecting our annual operating fund. It has been set up with some funds from the previous GIC and will be added to on a monthly basis. Some of the major expenses that were not budgeted for last year but had a big impact on our finances were the website and replenishing our inventory with books and DVD's. We also purchased a multi-function printer/copier that has made



some of the office work much easier. Fortunately our extra training programs helped to keep us in the positive.

The goal of the board for many years was to have and maintain a balanced budget that is accurate and realistic. I believe we have been able to and will continue to do that this year with the aid of the contingency fund, the online accounting system, our accountant, and Cindi's our administrative assistant.

It has been an honouring serving the Satir Institute and it's members this year.

Sincerely

Teresa McLellan (*bottom line in the middle of the photos*)

Treasurer

Satir Institute of the Pacific

**SATIR INSTITUTE OF THE PACIFIC
Director of Training Report
Annual General Meeting May 28, 2011**

This year has been a busy time for the trainers of the Satir Institute of the Pacific. Here are the highlights of the year's activities:

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level I Surrey Residential

July 1 – 10, 2010

Trainer: Kathlyne Maki-Banmen

Small Group Facilitators: Linda Lucas, Don Potkins, Klaus Klein

2. **Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level I Surrey**

September 2010 – February 2011

Trainers: Linda Lucas & Jennifer Nagel

Additional Faculty: Kathlyne Maki-Banmen

Small Group Facilitators: Teresa McLellan, Florence Westeringh, Al Wiebe

3. **Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level I Nanaimo**

February – April 2011

Trainer: Anne Morrison

Small Group Facilitators: Wendy Lum, Carolyn Nesbitt, Joey Worthington

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level III Greater Vancouver

Satir in the Sand Phase I & Phase II

Trainer: Madeleine De Little

Dance and Movement Therapy

Trainer: Nitza Broide-Miller

Treating Addictions using Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy

Trainers: Linda Lucas & Teresa McLellan (June 4 & 5, 2011)

Vancouver and Burnaby School Districts – SWIS Team trainings

Trainers: Jennifer Nagel & Teresa McLellan

Summer, Fall & Winter Programs, 2011

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Master Class Surrey Residential

Trainer: Dr. John Banmen

Supervisors: Linda Lucas, Marie Lam

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level I Surrey Residential

Trainer: Kathlyne Maki-Banmen

Small Group Facilitators: Jennifer Nagel, Robin Beardsley

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level II Surrey Residential

Trainer: Kathlyne Maki-Banmen

Small Group Facilitators: Linda Lucas, Angie Dairou, Anastacia Metcalf

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level I Surrey

Trainers: Linda Lucas & Jennifer Nagel

Additional Faculty: Kathlyne Maki-Banmen

Small Group Facilitators: TBA

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level II Surrey

Trainers: Kathlyne Maki-Banmen

Requested Programs (not confirmed)

Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level I Ashcroft

Trainer: Linda Lucas

b. Satir Transformational Systemic Therapy Level I Mission

Trainer: Kathlyne Maki-Banmen

IFTA Conference 2012

IFTA will hold its annual international conference in Vancouver in March, 2012, the 25th anniversary of IFTA. Virginia Satir recommended Dr. Florence Kaslow to be the first IFTA president at the first International Family Therapy conference in Prague in 1987. IFTA would like to honour Dr. Kaslow in Vancouver in 2012. The Satir Institute of the Pacific will raise funds to bring Dr. Kaslow to Vancouver for the IFTA conference. SIP members are invited to submit proposals to present workshops or posters at the conference.

Training Directorate

The Training Directorate was expanded by naming three new members: Dr. Carolyn Nesbitt, Jennifer Nagel and Linda Lucas will join Dr. John Banmen, Kathlyne Maki-Banmen and Anne Morrison as the new Training Directorate. Their work will commence after the 2011 Annual General Meeting.

New Book to be Published

The SIP Board of Directors has decided to publish the most valuable articles of the Satir Journal. John Banmen and Carolyn Nesbitt are the co-editors. The work is in progress and is to be completed this calendar year.

Clinical Members Evenings: Anne Morrison was responsible for overseeing the Clinical members evenings. Linda Prochaska volunteered to organize and coordinate these evenings.

T4T Plan – STST Level I Trainers: This project is ongoing with no report to date.

Certification – Criteria And Implementation: This project is ongoing with no report to date.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

1. The Satir Institute of the Pacific develop a marketing plan to support the success of SIP's training programs and implement the plan.
SIP develop a working partnership with other websites (eg. Satirworks, Satir Global) to advertise programs to a broader audience.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. John Banmen, RPsych, RMFT
Director of Training



*Jane and Kathleen at level 2 at
Rosemary heights in July 2011*



level 2 at Rosemary Heights July 2011

Membership report-Annual General Meeting – Saturday, May 28th, 2011

1:30 to 5:00 pm at the Phoenix Centre

Florence Westeringh

1) Membership

- ✧ Several of the membership forms were updated and included in the new website.
- ✧ PayPal has become the preferred method of payment for memberships and was also included in the new Membership site.
- ✧ A letter was sent out with the wisdom box outlining the new benefits of membership.
- ✧ That same letter was sent out to the new Level 1 participants and will continue to be sent out as Level 1 participants complete their sessions.
- ✧ A beautiful “Seasons Greetings” and “Happy Valentine’s Day/Singles Day” letter was sent out to all members.
 - ✧ Membership renewal letters were sent out to all members
 - ✧ Reminder letters were sent out to those who did not respond
 - ✧ All members who had not renewed also received a phone call asking if there was anything they needed in order to facilitate their decision.

2) Clinical Evenings

- a. A decision was made to increase fees for non-members to \$20.00 and to leave fees for members at \$10.00.
- b. Linda Prochaska contacted members asking them to present at clinical evenings. Klaus Klein spoke in November on the “Take a hike” program that he runs for parents and teens.
- c. In January, Jim Smith presented on “Dead Kids Walking” which featured information on suicidal teens that he has worked with.
- d. Both sessions were attended by members and non-members.
- e. Clinical evenings at Phoenix are currently on hold as Linda is unsure whether she will continue to co-ordinate them.
- f. By September we hope to have a definitive answer from Linda or have found someone else who would be willing to take that on.

3) Fireside Chat

- a. Madeleine Delittle host . Cindi has circulated that information to the members.

4) Wisdom Box

- a. Madeleine Delittle also continues to publish the Wisdom Box every 2 months and does a spectacular job on it. It is always filled with interesting information about member’s activities and upcoming events.

5) Membership Directory

- a. Cindi is in the process of compiling a membership directory for members. She has sent out an email to all members requesting what information they are comfortable with including in the directory.
- b. She has received enthusiastic support for the idea from members and hopes to have that information out to members in the next few months.

6) New Membership site

- a. The updated forms were included in the new membership site
- b. The Library information is easier to access on the new site
- c. PayPal has been made the preferred method of payment so as to make payment for membership and books easier for both members and for Cindi.

7) Unsung Hero Award

- a. John Banmen suggested that Linda Prochaska receive the Unsung Hero Award. John said these words about Linda Prochaska: I would like to recommend Linda Prochaska for the 2011 Unsung Hero's award. She has been a long time member of the Satir Institute of the Pacific. As a result of taking some Satir Model training she went back to University to get her degree in Social work. She has been an excellent registrar for all of our programs, has been involved in excellent telephone registration, and attended the first day of each program to help complete the registration. She would help with mailings of our marketing material. She has been a very successful "Clinical Evening" coordinator and is always willing to help with many minor tasks when asked. "She walks the talk." She also shares her positive attitude and energy with all who meet her. She is a true unsung hero and greatly deserves the SIP award this year. I recommend her without any reservations and with a sense of appreciation for all she has done for the organization.
- b. Cindi has ordered a trophy for her which will be presented at the AGM.

Plan for the next year:

- 1) Put the membership directory together and encourage people to connect within their geographic region – either thru Fireside Chats, mentoring or clinical evenings.
- 2) Ask those who have completed Level II if they are willing to mentor new members beginning within their geographic region.
- 3) Ask those who are clinical or professional members if they would be interested in presenting at a clinical evening.
- 4) Encourage new memberships from Level I participants.
- 5) Continue to encourage membership with letters and information.

Florence



**Annual General Meeting
May 28, 2011**

Advisory Board Committee Report

The following people have accepted a three year term on the Advisory Board for the Satir Institute of the Pacific. The Advisory Board for 2010 – 2013 consists of:

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| Dr. Kwala Abu-Baker, Israel | Dr. Marilyn Peers, Canada |
| Dr. Somrak Choovanichvong, Thailand | Dr. Hilda Richards, U.S.A. |
| Dr. Hwang Kyung-Ae, Korea | Dr. Jeffrey Zeig, U.S.A. |
| Dr. William Nichols, U.S.A. | |

The Advisory Board members are to receive the following information:

1. All minutes of meetings of the Board of Directors of the Satir Institute of the Pacific
 2. All program brochures and notices
 3. All publications of the Wisdom Box
 4. Any other notices or correspondence that we send to the membership of the Satir Institute of the Pacific
- Any correspondence that the Board of Directors deems useful and/or necessary to send to the Advisory Board for their information so that they can give us feedback or advise us.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Board of Directors instruct the Director of Membership Services and the Director of Training to ensure that the above publications, brochures, notices and correspondence are sent to the members of the Advisory Board by the Secretary, the Registrar of Programs, the Editor of the Wisdom Box, and anyone else who sends information to the members at large.

The advisory Board be sent, free of charge, some of the past issues of The Satir Journal.

The Board of Directors inform the Advisory Board directly of any new initiatives or plans for the Satir Institute of the Pacific and ask for their input.

Kathlyne Maki-Banmen, Chair
Advisory Board Committee
May 28, 2011

**Meet your new board of Directors of
The Satir Institute of the Pacific
2011-2012**

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Michael Callaghan

Past President:

Linda Lucas

Secretary:

Linda Lucas

Treasurer:

Teresa McLellan

Director of Training:

Dr. John Banmen

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Mary Leslie

Director of Marketing:

Available

Wisdom Box Editor

Madeleine De Little

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Trace Hobson

Betty Conroy

Gail Franklin

Jennifer Nagel



Coming Events-Dates are also now confirmed for the rest of 2011 :

July 12 – 19, 2011 STST Advanced Intensive Master
Seminar (By Invitation Only) with Dr. John Banmen

Aug 12 – 21, 2011 STST Level 1 Summer Intensive
Training with Kathlyne Maki-Banmen **Now Registering**

The above programs will be held at Rosemary Heights Retreat Centre 3690-152 Street, Surrey, BC V3S 0L3

Level 1 training Fall 2011 starting September at the Phoenix Centre in Surrey. Training with Linda Lucas and Jennifer Nagel **Now Registering**

All applications are on our website at: <http://www.satirpacific.org/>

Research Papers

Are you doing a masters or PhD research on the use of Satir?
Please contact John Banmen

jbammen@dccnet.com

Who would like to collect the research papers and compile them?

News from Satir Global Network

Check out

The Virginia Satir Global Network |Conference in October 2011

<http://satirglobal.org/2011-annual-conference-and-meeting/>

Satir Global Network has two free on-line lessons, one on the Change Process and the other on the Temperature Reading. If you haven't had a chance, go to the website and click on Training. You will find them under Online Training. It is so wonderful to go to the site now and watch Virginia teaching.. <http://satirglobal.org/>

Global Network are making available the first video in the Satir Family Series, along with the transcript. In this video Virginia discusses how she came to work with families and her philosophy. It is a treasure.

Just press control and while holding down the control click on this link, [The Chico Tape](#)

Remember, you need to login:

Login: virginia

Password: holiday (Use small letters for both)

We just wanted to remind everyone that the Wisdom Box is your magazine and that we are always looking for information, updates, articles, pictures etc for the Wisdom Box. Below is a list of production Dates and Submission Dates for the Wisdom Box, but we will accept submissions at any time. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the office.

Publication Date	Deadline for Submissions
October 31, 2011	October 15, 2011

**Notice to all of you who attended the Master Class in July
2011**



I am hoping to do a special edition of the wisdom Box just on the Master Class Retreat

Please send me your pictures, memories, reflections and/or impacts about the week.

Send to mdelittle@gmail.com

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- w Half page — \$25
- w Quarter page — \$12

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If possible, please forward articles and advertisements via e-mail attachment (in Word for Windows format) and/or computer disc, camera ready, for the Editor at the address listed below.

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All Satir programs can be registered for by contacting Cindi Mueller at 604-634-0572 or from our website at www.satirpacific.org

Attention Advertisers:

The *Wisdom Box* is published four times per year: Summer, Fall, Winter and Spring. the next **deadline** for submission will be October 15th 2011.

Please submit any articles, ideas, gossip, poems or anything else to the Editor. We would love to hear from you.

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