

Challenger Update

North Central Regional Gifted Education

February-June 2013

Calendar

- **Fri. March 1:** Work team for creation of regional book study
- **Tues-Wed April 9-10:** Windsor School District CGER
- **Thurs. April 18:** NC Network Meeting, Thompson Admin. Bldg, 9-noon, Room 128, 800 S. Taft, Loveland
- **Tues. April 23:** CBOCES GT AU meeting 8-9, 2020 Clubhouse Dr., Greeley
- **Thurs. and Fri. April 25-26:** GT Directors' Meeting, location in Denver to be announced.
- **Thurs.-Fri May 2-3:** Poudre School District CGER

Highlights

- **Book Study in Pipeline for Region:** It was decided at the January Network Meeting to offer district book studies with the following books: Using the Common Core State Standards for English Language Arts with Gifted and Advanced Learners and Using the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics for Gifted and Advanced Learners. Each district in the region will receive a set of books along with a facilitator's guide and a stipend for two teachers to facilitate the book studies. A group of coordinators along with the GERC has volunteered to create the facilitator guides and begin work March 1st.
- At the April Network meeting stakeholders will make decisions around gifted professional development for the next school year. Coordinators are currently doing a needs assessment and collecting data on specific topics that they will share at our next meeting.



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