

BOY SMARTS

EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES FOR PARENTING BOYS



et's get beyond the headlines and the hype. This presentation will address what it takes for parents, caregivers & professionals to mentor boys to become exceptional men.



- **What are the varied needs of boys?**
- **How can we help boys navigate cultural realities like video games & Facebook?**
- **How can we mentor boys to express their struggles, thoughts, and feelings?**
- **How can we help our boys to become courageous, caring and ethical men?**

BARRY MACDONALD is an author, teacher and counsellor/coach who is a champion for strong families, strong schools – and boys. A sought-after speaker, he has presented to thousands of sold-out community events, and was also identified as one of *25 Influential People to Watch* by *The Vancouver Sun*. His best selling book, *Boy Smarts–Mentoring Boys for Success at School* will be available for purchase and signing (payment by cheque). Visit www.MentoringBoys.com



“Barry MacDonald’s compelling presentation is one of the best I have ever seen. He offers a framework and an array of strategies that will indeed make a tremendous difference in the lives of boys. He should be heard by every educator and parent.” Dr. Avis Glaze, Former Ontario Education Commissioner



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TICKETS
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Wednesday, April 14, 2010 7 - 9 pm

General Wolfe Elementary, 4251 Ontario Street, Vancouver

\$ 6 / ticket until April 12th

\$ 10 / person at event if available

From **Parent Education Chair** at **1) General Wolfe, 2) Edith Cavell, 3) Emily Carr, and 4) Shaughnessy Elementary Schools.**