

CDSC TO CELEBRATE 3 COMMUNITY PEACEMAKERS IN CAMBRIDGE ON OCTOBER 14th

(Cambridge, MA) The Community Dispute Settlement Center (CDSC) will be honoring three community peacemakers for their work in the courts, at-risk young adults, and high school students. The public is invited to join us in celebrating with community mediators, educators, lawyers and community leaders at the Venture Café in the Cambridge Innovation Center on Wednesday, October 14th. Tickets to the event need to be purchased in advance on CDSC's web site: www.communitydispute.org



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At the event CDSC will be recognizing the work of: Hon. John Cratsley (ret.), a leader in alternative dispute resolution standards and implementation in the Massachusetts courts; Jon Feinman, the founder of InnerCity Weightlifting of Cambridge, an innovative program that uses fitness training as a tool to reduce violence and promote professional, personal and academic achievement among urban youth; and The Cambridge Rindge and Latin School Mediation Team, a resource for the school's students to develop skills and resolve interpersonal issues fully and peacefully.

CDSC, established in 1979, is a private non-profit mediation and training center, dedicated to providing an alternative and

affordable forum for resolving conflict. CDSC promotes better ways to understand and deal with conflict through skilled teams of volunteer mediators, training programs in mediation and conflict management, and broad community outreach. It also collaborates with local schools to create peer mediation programs and skill-building workshops that help youth deal with conflict.

For more information about CDSC or to arrange a training workshop for a school, youth group or organization, please call 617-876-5376, email cdscinfo@communitydispute.org, or visit the CDSC's website at: <http://www.communitydispute.org>.

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