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*Ms. Kim Enriquez* Principal & *Kim Showalter* Teacher
Henry Raab School, 2012 National and State School of Character

*Abby Rose* Founding Teacher and Director of Health & Wellness
Namaste Charter School, 2012 Illinois State School of Character

**Date:** Tuesday, October 16, 2012

**Time:** 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Location:** University of St. Francis, San Damiano Hall
Route 30 and Taylor Street, Joliet, IL
(Parking available in lot C & D)

**Cost:** $50 per person ($10 for full-time students)
Payment Deadline: Tuesday, October 9, 2012

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