

# Program Evaluation Summary

*“CRUTCHES: An Original Approach to Managing Life’s Daily Challenges In and Out of the School”*

Newfield Elementary School Professional Development

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Newfield, New York

Numerical Rating    1=Poor            2=Fair            3=Good            4=Very Good            5=Excellent

Speaker	Content of Presentation		Speaker’s Knowledge		Advanced My Knowledge		Presentation Style Engaged Me	
	Average	4.9/5.0	Average	4.8/5.0	Average	4.8/5.0	Average	4.9/5.0
Tom Bull	1		1		1		1	
	2		2		2		2	
	3		3		3		3	
	4	5	4	6	4	6	4	5
	5	26	5	25	5	25	5	26

## Comments

“Tom,

What can I say...the only thing wrong with your presentation yesterday at Newfield Elementary School was that it was limited to 2 hours. I wish we could have had more time. Your stories, sense of humor, knowledge of the subject matter, and presentation of material were not only informative but “down right entertaining”. My wife and I continued to talk about CRUTCHES even after we got home and again this morning. If that isn’t a testament to a well presented workshop then I don’t know what is. Hopefully we can take what you have given us, see beyond “the red” and find “the green” in future situations.”

“Hi Tom~

I just wanted to thank you for yesterday’s wonderful, inspiring presentation. It was fun to laugh, play and dance with co-workers during a professional development seminar - a first in the 22 years I have been here!

And, just so you know, your presence is definitely lantern-like as opposed to flashlight-like; you obviously practice what you teach. The negativity around here can get pretty bad at times – I think we all needed your presence. Thanks for coming. Also, I had to laugh when you were talking about the chicken nuggets. Have you ever gotten an extra one? I have!”

- \* Perfect mix of great humor with a message! We can all relate to your stories.
- \* Tom, thank you! You are refreshing and spot on! Keep doing what you’re doing—teachers need a refilling often. Thank you for opening my eyes to all the green!
- \* Perfect timing! ☺
- \* I enjoyed this very much.
- \* Great! Loved the ability to move!
- \* Loved the use of stories, humor, and pace of presentation.
- \* Very uplifting, thank you very much!
- \* Thanks for presenting this information in an engaging way. The 2 hours flew by!
- \* Loved the dancing!
- \* It was fun to laugh and have fun! Thanks so much!
- \* Wonderful! Great speaker! I think you did a great job!
- \* Some really god ideas to think about—how to become a better person and teacher.
- \* Good presentation skills.
- \* The presentation was informative, interesting, and engaging. Thank you! It was great fun, especially for RUTH!
- \* Thanks! It was fun!
- \* Great presentation! Kept it interactive. I loved the stories!
- \* You were very funny!