



*The SRV Coalition for Youth Safety and Development*  
and **EPIC Healthy Choices**  
proudly present

# **Dr. Peter Benson**

President and CEO, The Search Institute

## **“All Kids are Our Kids”**

**Wednesday, September 23rd, 2009 at 7PM**  
**San Ramon Valley High School PAC/Commons**

Dr. Benson, author of *“All Kids are Our Kids,”* will present the *40 Developmental Assets*,<sup>1</sup> a framework of building blocks that empower our students’ development as people of confidence, character, and compassion.

His presentation will encourage parents, educators and community members to partner together helping students recognize and develop their personal “sparks,” the strengths with which *every student* in our community is uniquely gifted that enables him or her to thrive.

Dr. Benson will share insights into how we as community partners can be more intentional about parenting, mentoring, employing, coaching, teaching and engaging our students in ways that will enhance their personal potential based on utilizing the assets and sparks in their lives.

*Parents and Students* are encouraged to join us for an informative and enlightening evening, including Q&A and discussion time with Dr. Benson and other community partners as we look at how to become a community that is proactive in embracing

## **“All Kids are Our Kids!”**

**A \$5 donation will be accepted at the door**  
Please Pre-register at [rsvp4srvhs@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rsvp4srvhs@sbcglobal.net)

**Questions?** Contact Alyson Colton, [alyson@coltonfamily4.org](mailto:alyson@coltonfamily4.org) or Robin Kelley, [kellyview@msn.com](mailto:kellyview@msn.com)

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<sup>1</sup> SRVUSD Website:

<http://www.srvusd.net/ourpages/auto/2008/2/19/1203451176452/40%20Developmental%20Asset%20Presentation%20and%20Data.pdf?rn=2697184>