COMMUNITY GATHERING IN REMEMBRANCE OF

Susan Bell



SUSAN CONE BELL JULY 5, 1946 - DEC. 17, 2009

Susan C. Bell had lived in Mendocino County since 1972, founding the Ukiah Community Center in 1974 and serving as its first director. She helped give birth to a variety of community organizations that serve youth, women and low-income people. Then Susan worked for county schools, setting up and running vocational programs. In 1985, Susan was hired by Mendocino College to be Dean of the Lake County and Willits centers. Two years later, she came to the Ukiah campus to become Dean of Instruction.

Susan worked tirelessly to make MC programs work for people in the community. When she realized that she wouldn't be able to continue doing her job with integrity and in the manner she wanted, Susan resigned her position as Dean of Instruction and returned to the classroom. The last ten years of her life, she taught mathematics and computer applications at MC. She was scheduled to retire in May, 2010.

Susan's warmth, generosity of spirit, sense of humor, and enormous energy inspired people in every part of our community. Join us in remembering the gifts this remarkable woman gave to all who knew her.

Sunday, Feb. 7.1 pm

Mendocino Lake Clubhouse • Lake Mendocino Drive, Ukiah Please bring some ready-to-eat finger food; drinks will be served

