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\*See Calendar Below for R.E.M. Leadership Workshop

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### **Upcoming Events**

#### November 2007

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For More information please visit: <u>w.maximum-potential.com/events.html</u> Call Direct—305-672-1190 or <u>haryann@maximum-potential.com</u> HR TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE	-	23	17 24	18	19	20	21	22	

### Are you Winning? - Mary Ann McIlraith

Perhaps I should call

back that recruiter..

Questions: Ready - Get a Pen!

- I wonder what it would be like 1. to have the strongest and highly motivated team in the company?
- 2. How can I enhance the delivery of projects at a more rapid pace with a higher quality?
- 3. How can I create an environment for myself and my team; where they are passionate about coming to work?
- How can I add to my personal 4. and professional portfolio?
- 5. What would it take to wake up every morning in gratitude?
- 6. How can I enhance the maturity model?
- 7. What major contributions have I provided to my company?
- How do I leverage my personal and professional life to 8. achieve amazing results?

Maybe I'll call in sick and go to the interview When you compete for talent, is your company the hunter? Or the prey?

Hmmm... I wonder if taking

that VP job would violate my

non-compete agreement.

# YOUR DESTINY IS CREATED BY

YOUR DECISIONS NOW....

\*See Calendar on pg. 2 for Workshops!

## Thinking Positive has No Negative – Harvey Mackay

A positive mind anticipates happiness, joy, health and success. Whatever the mind expects, it finds. Dr. Herbert H. Clark, a psychologist from The Johns Hopkins University, discovered that it takes the average person about 48 percent longer to understand a sentence using a negative than it does to understand a positive or affirmative sentence. This is confirmation of something every successful person knows: The secret of good communication is positive affirmation. It is not what you can't or won't do that interests people, but what you can or will do.

The famous inventor Thomas Edison used to say his deafness was his greatest blessing -- a blessing because it saved him from having to listen to reasons why things couldn't be done.

One of my favorite aphorisms goes like this: Watch your thoughts; they become words. Watch your words; they become actions. Watch your actions; they become habits. Watch your habits; they become char-

acter. Watch your character; it becomes your destiny.

This gives you a choice, a positive or negative path. Clearly, the positive path will lead to a more rewarding, more contented life.

What that means to me is that if you think positively, you will be more inclined to speak positively. Your positive words will spur you to positive actions. If you get used to behaving in a positive way, you will form good habits. And your habits will help define the kind of person you are. That will lead you to your destiny: what you will eventually become as a person.

And isn't it enough to be yourself and believe in your own powers and be willing to risk failure to put those powers to the test? You may think of a thousand reasons why something is impossible; it only takes one reason to decide it's worth a try.

By all means, surround yourself with positive people; support each other when the urge to be negative threatens.

Mackay's Moral: Positive thinking turns obstacles into opportunities. www.harveymackay.com



Take the job, or hold

out here until more of

my options vest?

Jack Canfield, America's Success Coach, is the founder and co-creator of the billiondollar book brand **Chicken Soup for the Soul** and a leading authority on Peak Performance. If you're ready to jump-start your life, make more money, and have more fun and joy in all that you do, get your FREE success tips from Jack Canfield now at: <u>www.FreeSuccessStrategies.com</u>

## Success Strategies "When Success is slow, what can you do? -Jack Canfield

**Pop Quiz:** Can success be sped up? Is there an antidote to slow outcomes despite arduous planning and actions taken? What is the secret for seeing huge results *right now*?

#### First, let's get one thing straight...

When we admire someone's success, or even our own, we often focus on the end result and not so much on the effort (and time) that it took to get there. This can cultivate unrealistic expectations.

The truth be told, success typically follows a series of little events and achievements that can seem to take an eternity, that include a few disappointments along the way, and that challenge everything about you to the core - your stamina, courage, integrity, and even your willingness to keep going. If you focus on what's not working, guess what: You're likely coming from a place of aggravation as your mind wraps around all that is wrong. You may even have negative thoughts like "I'm not good enough," "It will never work," or "Something must be wrong with me." What this mentally does is engender more of these counter-productive feelings. And given what we know about the Law of Attraction, you attract what you are feeling. So negative experiences, people, and results will beget more negative experience, people, and results. There's not much success in that. The key, then, is to focus on what *IS* working. To do so, I recommend two simple practices: journaling and meditation.

Maintaining a journal is a great way to steer your attention to the positive and continually renew your vision for yourself. Start each day with reflections on what you are grateful for in your life (list them out!) and end each day with notes on what went right (again, write them down), however small.

Meditation can be a powerful tool for arriving at solutions to problems and shifting your attitude so you can attract success sooner rather than later. This is where you enter a deeper state of inner peace and joy, tapping into a higher level of creativity that will help usher in the results you want.

**Okay, let's say you're doing ALL these things, but you still aren't happy with your results.** I'll ask you, are you taking real AC-TION? You may be taking the actions you are used to taking. But therein lies the problem: if you keep doing what you've already done, then you'll keep getting what you've always gotten. It's a matter of practicing some new behaviors. Shake things up a bit and see if you can take new actions or modify existing ones.

Lastly, I want to remind you about patience. It's natural to underestimate how long a certain goal can take, especially a profound one. So, yes, patience is a virtue. But keep at it, and in no time, you'll be only one week, or one day away from your ultimate success. Remember... be grateful, reflect on what IS working and continue to take ACTION!

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