

Quaker Religious Education Collaborative Report – Anne Collins To SCYM annual sessions 2018

QREC supports religious education for Quaker children, youth and adults in programmed and unprogrammed meetings. It holds an annual conference and retreat for Quaker religious educators. The conference and retreat this year will be held August 17-19 at Powell House, about 45 minutes south of Albany, NY. The theme for the panel discussion is “Sharing Our Light: RE in Action.” There will be opportunities for worship, networking and sharing with other religious educators, and attending workshops. Two Bolivian Quakers plan to attend and hopefully some Quakers from Mexico will be able to attend, also.

Today (March 29, 2018), QREC launched a new website with the ability to share curriculum materials and more. Go to <http://www.quakers4re.org/>

Financial support for this volunteer-run group is through membership for individuals, local meetings, organizations and yearly meetings. SCYM’s contribution of \$300 has made SCYM a QREC member.

I invite individuals interested in religious education to consider attending a QREC conference and retreat and to check out the website and the offerings there.