

# Center for Negotiation and Dispute Resolution

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Laurel Kaufer**

## Prison of Peace

Empowering a culture of peace within prisons.

**Wednesday, October 5th  
3:30 to 5:30  
Alumni Reception Center**  
Refreshments Provided

Prison of Peace is a pro bono project created by professional mediators Laurel Kaufer, Esq. and Douglas E. Noll, Esq. at the request of life and long term inmates at Valley State Prison for Women in Chowchilla, CA.

### The Goals of Prison of Peace

- To teach personal emotional intelligence skills to inmates
- To teach essential personal problem-solving skills to inmates
- To introduce and teach the restorative process of peace circles
- To introduce and teach the principles of moral engagement
- To teach basic mediation skills as third party neutrals
- To embed peacemaking, defined as collaborative, respectful problem-solving processes to resolve interpersonal and group conflicts, within the prison.
- To create capacity to continue the expansion of training and knowledge within the prison by training inmates to be instructors and trainers.
- To create a sustainable program of peace building within the prison
- To provide an avenue for continuing education and training for correctional officers and administrators in conflict resolution, peacemaking, and restorative justice.

For more information about Prison of Peace, visit their website:

<http://www.prisonofpeace.org/>

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