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# STUDY VISIT AND SEMINAR, GEITMYRA

5 NOVEMBER, 15-17.

Geitmyra is a food oasis for children in the Oslo area. A food culture centre for children founded by the well-known food expert, Andreas Viestad. It provides space for children to learn and discover food and food culture from farm to table. The study visit will be a unique opportunity for you to see this place and hear Andreas talk about the activities.

The second part of the study visit will be a discussion led by Niels Heine Kirstensen, AAU-FINe about school gardens as an educational platform and about the founding of a new Nordic school gardens' network. The study trip and the seminar are part of the NNF conference being organised 6-7 November 2012 in Oslo.

#### Time

5 November, 15.00-17.00.

## **Programme**

#### Part 1

Andreas Viestad will meet us at Geitmyra. We will be shown around and will hear about the background for the activities and the work they do with the children.

## Part 2

Mini seminar about school gardens led by Niels Heine Kristensen AAU-FINe. Listen to a presentation and discuss with Zenobia Barlow and from USA who is a pioneer in the work for "Edible school yards" in California; Tore Faller, Norway (tbc); Morten Kromann Nielsen, UCL/Food Culture and Niels Heine Kristensen AAU-FINe, Denmark, who are pioneers in the work with children, young people and food. In addition, there will be a presentation on the founding of a new Nordic school gardens' network.

# Transport

Bus connections: there are 3 buses from different places in the town going in the direction of Geitmyra:

- From Skøyen/Majorstua, Carl Berner/Torshov: bus 20, leaves from the stop on Fayes Street. 4-5 minutes'
  walk from the bus stop to Geitmyra
- From the centre of Oslo, Jernbanetorget bus terminal: Bus 37, leaves from the Lindern bus stop. 4-5 minutes' walk to Geitmyra
- From Vulkan you take the 54 bus to the Voldsløkka stop. 10 minutes' walk.
- Taxi from Vulkan to Geitmyra? Approximate price kr. 150.-

## Dress

We will be spending time outside so wear sensible shoes and rainproof clothing. The fields around the "school garden" can be very muddy.

## **Enquiries and registrations**

Registration takes place at the same time as registration for the NNF conference using this link http://tinyurl.com/9t5ogqc

Max 30 participants (due to limited space).

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