GESTALT COLUMBUS PRESENTS:

THE OAKLANDER THERAPY MODEL FOR CHILDREN & ADOLESCENTS

Lynn Stadler, MA, MFT, Founding Member of the Violet Solomon Oaklander Foundation (VSOF) will conduct this 3-day play therapy training for Counselors, Family Therapists, Social Workers, Psychologists, School Counselors and Staff working Clinically with Children/Adolescents.

Workshop Dates: Thursday July 25th-Saturday July 27th 9:00am to 4:30pm

Workshop Location: Hands on Art Barn 5929 Big Walnut Rd, Galena, OH 43021

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About the Program:

This interactive workshop allows participants a hands-on experience as they learn the dynamic Oaklander Model of play therapy through demonstrations and direct work with clay, drawings and projective cards.

The Oaklander Model is a Gestalt approach to play therapy. This highly creative and effective model prioritizes the therapist/client relationship and is focused on honoring the child’s process rather than interpreting behaviors.

While a foundation in Gestalt Play Therapy is not necessary, Gestalt Columbus will happily make reading recommendations for interested parties.

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**DAY ONE:**
**WHY WE WORK WITH CHILDREN?**

- GREAT BEGINNINGS & DEVELOPMENTAL CHALLENGES
- MEETING CHILD CLIENTS & CHILD SELF
- CREATING SAFETY IN RELATIONSHIPS
- INCREASING AWARENESS & SELF KNOWLEDGE
- KEEPING IT LIGHT WITH CREATIVE PROJECTION

**DAY TWO:**
**EMOTIONAL IDENTIFICATION & EXPRESSION**

- AWARE PARENTING & ATTACHMENT PLAY
- THE MANY FACES OF ANGER
- WORKING & PLAYING WITH AGGRESSIVE ENERGY
- TAKING STEPS TOWARD FULL EXPRESSION

**DAY THREE:**
**WORKING AND PLAYING IN THE FIELD**

- WORKING WITH PARENTS & SCHOOLS
- THE FIRST SIX SESSIONS
- ASSESSMENT & TREATMENT PLANNING
- STRENGTHENING THE SELF
- NEXT STEPS

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Early Bird Registration
until May 1, 2019
$450.00

Registration
after May 1, 2019
$500.00

_Gestalt Columbus offers a limited number of student scholarships. To Inquire, Email: Isteele@gestaltcolumbus.com_
About the Presenter:

Lynn Stadler, MA, MFT is a Gestalt psychotherapist and licensed Marriage Family Therapist in private practice in Santa Barbara, California. She holds a Master of Arts in Clinical Psychology from Antioch University. She is also a graduate of the Santa Barbara Gestalt Training Center, and she completed intensive training with the Violet Oaklander Institute.

Lynn is a founding member of the Violet Solomon Oaklander Foundation (www.vsof.org), a non-profit corporation created to further the work of Dr. Oaklander, eminent child and adolescent psychotherapist and trainer, and author of Windows to Our Children, and Hidden Treasure: A Map to the Child’s Inner Self. Lynn is co-founder of the Oaklander.org training program. She provides workshops, seminars, and training for social service agencies, universities and other teaching organizations worldwide – most recently in Santa Barbara, Malibu, San Francisco, Spain, Italy, the Czech Republic, Lithuania, Brazil, Kyrgyzstan, Slovenia and Russia.

About the Location:

The Hands on Art Barn in Galena, Ohio is located just 10 min from Polaris Fashion Place and Westerville and 15 min from Worthington with plenty of places nearby for a lunch break. Coffee and Bagels will be provided daily and a catered lunch will be provided on the final day to be shared on the beautiful grounds at the Hands on Art Barn.

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