

Seven Waldorf/Steiner Schools from the Northeast  
Collaborate for first-ever “Young Alumni Night”

On Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, seven Waldorf/Steiner schools from the northeast collaborated to host the first-ever “Young Alumni Night” at the Gin Mill - a 1920s style speakeasy bar on Manhattan’s Upper West Side. The event – which began at 6:00 pm and ended at 11:15 pm – was an opportunity for Waldorf/Steiner alums in their 20s and early 30s to reconnect with familiar faces and network with other Waldorf/Steiner school alumni. The Great Barrington Rudolf Steiner School, Green Meadow Waldorf School, Hawthorne Valley School, Kimberton Waldorf School, Rudolf Steiner School of New York City, Waldorf School of Garden City, and Waldorf School of Princeton combined resources and finances to provide a private party room and food for the night’s festivities. Including graduates, administrators, and guests, the event drew close to 80 people.

Alumni checked in with administrators from their respective schools at the start of the event; obtaining name tags and placing their business cards in a drawing for a few small door prizes.

Ms. Eileen Diskin from the Rudolf Steiner School welcomed the alumni and their guests and subsequently asked administrators from the other schools to introduce themselves. In an attempt to promote further networking, Ms. Diskin also encouraged alumni to meet attendees from the other schools.

Many alumni and guests expressed their support and thanks to their administrators for hosting the event and looked forward to another event of its kind in the near future.