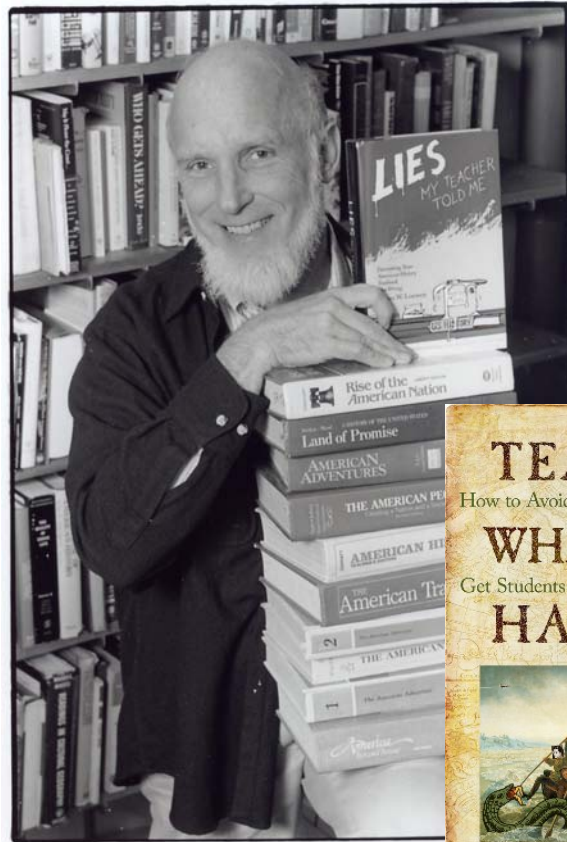


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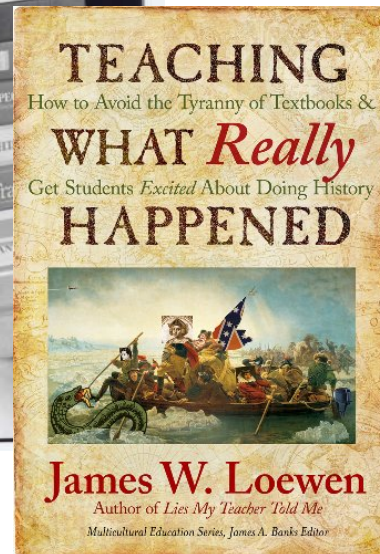
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Teaching American History Federal Grant Presentation

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– at Hudson High School History Matters Community Program

James W. Loewen, an acclaimed historian, author and professor, will be presenting a **History Matters Community Program** at Hudson High School on Wednesday, April 27, 2011 from 7-9 P.M.

A most gifted orator, Jim Loewen will be speaking on the *Most Important Era in U.S. History You Never Heard of and Why it is Important Today!* (This presentation ties into the 150th anniversary of the Civil War.)

All are invited to an enlightening and stimulating, no-cost evening, which is funded by the Teaching American History (TAH) Federal grant. HHS Freshman Community Action members will be greeting and guiding guests to the Mini-Theatre.

The first 65 guests will receive a copy of one of Loewen's history books. An author book signing will be held at the close of the evening.

This program celebrates four years of active teacher professional development and the diverse and rich opportunities brought to the nine school districts of the Assabet Valley Collaborative. Opening the evening program will be four TAH teachers (from Hudson, Marlborough, Bolton and Stow), who will briefly present TAH programs which are used in their schools.

Jim Loewen, best-selling author of many books, such as *Lies My Teacher Told Me: Everything Your High School History Textbook Got Wrong* (1995), and *Teaching What Really Happened: How to Avoid the Tyranny of Textbooks & Get Students Excited about Doing History* (2010) will begin his day talking with an AP World History class at Algonquin Regional High School. Later in the afternoon Loewen will be facilitating a regional Teachers' Book Discussion Group at Hudson High School from 4 – 6 P.M. The day will conclude with his outstanding community program at Hudson High School from 7 – 9 P.M.

For more information about the Jim Loewen evening contact Marilyn Zavorski at mzavorski@hudson.k12.ma.us.