

Larry Johnson began ~~teaching children to tell stories and make their own video in the late 60s as a camp director going through broadcast school.~~ In 1980 he won the Action for Children's TV National Achievement award for starting the first hospital TV channel where patients made TV as part of their getting well. In 1986 he and Elaine Wynne won grand prize in the Tokyo Video Festival for helping children on two sides of the Atlantic exchange video letters with each other. He is founder of the OGP (Old Gardening Party) to keep the world safe for children, gardening, and storytelling, and has 15 years experience teaching storytelling and videomaking to teachers and other adults who teach. He was first cable TV coordinator for the Minneapolis schools and now teaches storytelling and video in the Minneapolis school system. Johnson is active in the national storytelling community, in the media literacy movement, and in the revival of children's gardening. He can play music on just about anything that someone else might throw away (if it won't compost), and together with Elaine Wynne he forms THE KEY OF SEE STORYTELLERS.

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