



Colorado Alliance for Environmental Education

*The EE News YOU Need
July 2009 EE InfoLink*

Please join us at CAEE's Annual Summer BarbEEque Celebrating CAEE's 20th Birthday

August 13, 2009 ~ 4:00-7:00 pm
at the CAEE office in Golden, CO

Please RSVP to CAEE by August 5th:
by phone at 303-273-9527 or by email to outreach@caee.org.

The annual CAEE summer BBQ is our small way of saying a big THANKS for all you do to support CAEE and environmental education in Colorado! We'll provide the BBQ (meat and veggie), plus all the fixin's, sides, beverages and birthday (cup)cake!

Plus meet the new CAEE AmeriCorps VISTAs, Crystal and Katharine!

This is also a great time to introduce a new co-worker to the EE network, meet new environmental educators, re-new old friendships, exchange news, or find out what's happening in EE.

Please spread the word – the more the merrier!

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Call for EE Award Nominations 2009

Each year individuals and organizations from around the state of Colorado are recognized and honored for their hard work and dedication in the field of environmental education. Awards honor and celebrate 10 environmental education programs, the lifetime accomplishments of an individual in the field of environmental education, and retiring environmental educators.

Now is the time to nominate an outstanding environmental education program, an individual for the lifetime achievement award or to recognize an outstanding retiring educator.

[Click here for nomination forms and more information...](#)

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Add your information into the
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2009.

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Denver Area Meeting Preparing Today's Youth for Green Jobs

Join us as Kate Drexler shares with us the key elements of the 2008 Colorado Green Jobs Report. The report highlights Colorado's unique commitment to the New Energy Economy and examines the current and anticipated workforce needs for this upcoming economy. After the presentation roundtable discussions will focus on how we can prepare youth for green jobs - using partnerships and connections, developing pipelines/pathways, and creating programs.

August 4, 2009
3:00-5:00pm

Location:
REI Denver Flagship
1416 Platte Ct

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Career Openings:

Fall Environmental Education Internship

Rocky Mountain National Park seeks interns to prepare and facilitate environmental education activities at schools and in the field to a variety of audiences. Commitment is forty hours/week August 24 through November 6, 2009. Stipend is \$900/mo. + housing. For further information, contact: Mark De Gregorio at 970-586-3777 or mark_de_gregorio@nps.gov.

Institute for Environmental Solutions – Graduate Internships

The Institute for Environmental Solutions is looking for graduate interns to assist with Institute development and fundraising. IES's current projects are the Tree Project, which assesses how trees can be best used for maximum environmental benefit, and the Emerging Contaminants Project, which is using community education and outreach to protect watersheds from harmful chemicals that are present in many everyday products. Please visit www.i4es.org/interns.html for detailed position descriptions and application information.

U.S. GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL – COLORADO

The U.S. Green Building Council Colorado Chapter (USGBC-CO), is accepting applications for the new full time salaried position of Director of Education. The Director of education will be responsible for the oversight and management of the Chapters education programs, publications, and other resources. Applications and questions should be submitted via email only to info@usgbccolorado.org with "Education Director Application" or "Question Re Education Director" in the subject line.

SPREE Seasonal/Intern

SPREE (South Platte River Environmental Education) seeks educators to lead various excursions along the river with different age groups. Must have reliable transportation and be available to work 9:00 am and 2:00 pm Monday-Friday, August 19th - November 30th. Interested applicants should email a resume and cover letter to Jolon Clark at jolon@spreemail.org.

National Wildlife Federation - Regional Constituent Operations Coordinator

National Wildlife Federation (NWF) seeks a qualified individual to be responsible for research, writing, GIS mapping, action alerts, outreach and event coordination and other activities to support implementation of conservation and education campaigns in the RMRC region. For qualifications, a full job description, and more information visit www.nwf.org/careergateway.

Announcements:

NAAEE Seeks Photos for "EE Year in Review"

Deadline for submission: August 15, 2009

NAAEE is compiling an "EE Year in Review" show. Please share the highlights of your EE programs, your local award winners, how you have reached new and diverse audiences, with visual images in a 300 dpi format on a CD ROM. Please include credit to the photographer for each image you send. Send photos to: Dr. Joe Baust, NAAEE "EE Year in Review", Murray State University, 3201 Alexander Hall, Murray, KY 42071.

The Power of Partnerships: Creative Leadership in Environmental Education

North American Association for Environmental Education (NAAEE) early bird conference registration is now open. Get the lowest registration rates for this year's premier gathering - NAAEE's 38th Annual Conference. Early bird registration ends August 15th. For more information visit <http://www.naaee.org/conference>.

Virtual Team Challenge

Virtual Team Challenge is a "Virtual World" 3D simulation-based learning curriculum offered at no cost to high school teachers and students for Fall 2009. The program meets National Standards for Environmental Science and Business Education and is supported by lesson plans that incorporate the game's missions. Visit <http://www.virtualteamchallenge.com> for more information.

NCLI Video "Get 'em Outside"

This engaging, inspiring No Child Left Inside (NCLI) Coalition video celebrates environmental education and its impact on children, learning, health, and leadership. Watch online at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wRR1feHqZPY>.

2009 Call for Presenters - SCIENCE: EXPLORE IT!

