



Greater OKC Area Schools Earth Day Event & Recyclathon

A Teen Initiated Family Event

Sponsored by C.A.S.T.

(Cultural Awareness for Students and Teachers)

Focus is on the 5 R's: Recycle, Reduce, Re-use, Restore and Respect



Collect unwanted sneakers at your school for recycling and bring out for Goodwill Industries! (See flier on-line)

Saturday, April 26, 2008 – 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Rosser Conservation Education Center

(located at the East End of the OKC Zoo parking lot)

More information online at: www.castfortheworld.com and www.una-okc.org



Schedule of Activities:

11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Displays, activities and exhibits about recycling, using less stuff and re-newable energy. Drive a hydrogen car; creative recycled clothing and accessories; learn how to go green, compost, feed your soil, become a tree and so much more ...

12:00 – 1:45 p.m. Presentations by teens at schools that have initiated full recycling programs and a Green Savings program (green your life & save money)

1:45 p.m. Anadarko Native American Youth Dancers and Drumming. Youth will perform and lead us in dances for the earth.

2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Recyclathon Awards and presentations to schools that go recyclable. Followed by a Fabulous and Fantastic Recycled fashion show with apparel and accessories modeled by youth and college students.

Contributing Schools and Organizations:

Edmond North, Edmond Memorial, Putnam City North and Putnam City West, Casady & Anadarko Schools, Western Oaks Middle School, Sequoyah & Northridge Elementary Schools, Tulsa Victory Christian School, Sierra Club, United Nations of Greater Oklahoma City, University of Central Oklahoma, Oklahoma City Zoo Education Department at the Rosser Conservation Education Center, Reuse Oklahoma, Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality, Goodwill Industries, OKC Metropolitan Library System, City of Oklahoma City Solid Waste Division, Dances of Universal Peace, Respect Diversity Foundation, Jane Goodall's "Roots and Shoots"

Dear Central Oklahoma School Media Specialist,

Our Earth Day Planning Committee thought you would be the best contact for getting the word out in your school about our April 26 event. (Details are on the back of this sheet.)

We hope that you will be able to announce the event at your school so the students and teachers will know about it. If you have teachers in your school whose students would like to exhibit, please ask them to submit the information in the form below via email as soon as possible.

We are hoping you will also post the flier (on back) in your library or somewhere else that your school population will see it. It takes a lot of planning for an event like this, but all the time and effort will be wasted if we do not have attendees.

Thanks so much for your help!

Susie Shields, DEQ (for the C.A.S.T. Earth Day 2008 Planning Committee)

Contact me for sneaker recycling information: Susie.Shields@deq.state.ok.us

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Our school / organization would like to participate in Earth Day 2008 activities on Saturday, April 26, 2008 at the Rosser Conservation Education Center (located at the east end of the OKC Zoo parking lot)

Email information below to Sue Tarr, ttarr@sbcglobal.net by April 21st!

Requirements for participating:

School or organization needs to approve their students' display or activity, and have a sponsor at the event to supervise their activity, exhibit, display, etc.

School Name:

Contact Sponsor:

Sponsor Title/position:

Sponsor Phone:

Sponsor Email:

Additional Sponsors:

Names and ages of youth who will be participating:

Description of activity or display we plan to create:

(Include a photo if possible)

Number of 6' tables and chairs you need: ___ tables ___ chairs

All events are open to the public. No sales or donations during the event allowed.

Questions? Contact Sue Tarr at 478-2480 or ttarr@sbcglobal.net