



April 18th to 26th
Creek Friendly Landscaping
"Start at the Source"

For more information visit: www.creekweek.org

OUTINGS - Insect repellent, sturdy shoes, long pants, and a hat are suggested.

Backyard Birds along Linda Creek

Monday, April 20th, 6:00 pm

Join veteran birder, Chad Aakre of Restoration Resources, in a walk to see the many species of the riparian forest in urban Roseville. Meet at Sierra Gardens School, 711 Oakridge Dr (Sunrise to Coloma). Bring binoculars and field guides if you have them. For more information contact Dry Creek Conservancy, 773-6575 or dcc@surewest.net

Beavers on Miners Ravine

Tuesday, April 21st, 6:30 pm

Learn about the life of beavers and why their population is growing from local beaver expert, Mary Tappel. You may want to bring a flashlight for the return trip. For more information contact Dry Creek Conservancy, 773-6575 or dcc@surewest.net

Wild Bat presentation

Wednesday, April 22nd, 6:00 pm

Dave Wyatt, longtime member of the Sacramento City College biology faculty, will discuss bat ecology, significance to humans, fun facts, and lead a demonstration of the processes to observe them such as nets for catching them, acoustic monitoring bat detection systems, and spot lights for visual recognition while they are flying. Meet at trailhead near UA theaters parking lot at Eureka and North Sunrise. For more information contact Dry Creek Conservancy, 773-6575 or dcc@surewest.net

Woodcreek Nature Center Tour

Thursday, April 23rd, 6:30 pm

Join student docents as they lead a tour of the Nature Center. Meet at the entrance to Roseville Aquatics Complex next to Woodcreek High School at 2551 Woodcreek Oaks Blvd.



Creek & Open Space Clean-Ups and Work Days

****Free T-shirts for Creek Week Volunteers****

City of Roseville

Saturday, April 18th, 9am – noon

Roseville Creek & Open Space Clean-up

Choose from one of thirteen different creek or open space to clean, and sign up yourself and/or your group. Information about sites, along with volunteer forms, is available at www.creekweek.org. Or contact Dry Creek Conservancy at dcc@surewest.net or at 773-6575.

Saturday, April 18th, 9am – noon

Kaseberg Creek Restoration Project

Volunteers are needed to plant oaks and willows along the creek in Mahany Park under supervision of Roseville City staff and Restoration Resources. Meet at the library at 1545 Pleasant Grove Blvd in Roseville. Please RSVP with Dry Creek Conservancy at dcc@surewest.net or at 773-6575.

Saturday, April 25th, 9am - noon

Drought Tolerant Landscaping Project

Mahany Regional Park

Volunteers are needed to join with American Civil Constructors and City staff to convert lawn to drought tolerant landscaping. Exact meeting spot TBA. Mahany Park is located at 1545 Pleasant Grove Blvd in Roseville. Please RSVP with Dry Creek Conservancy at dcc@surewest.net or 773-6575.

City of Rocklin

Saturday, April 18th, TBA



OTHER AREA EVENTS:

City of Roseville – Celebrate the Earth

Saturday, April 18th, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Environmentally friendly products, services and practices; musical and children's entertainment, family story time, food, vendors, and exhibits; and much more!

Mahany Regional Park, Roseville.

More info at http://www.roseville.ca.us/explore/earth_day/default.asp

City of Lincoln

Sixth Annual Creek Day Trash Clean-Up

Saturday, April 18th, 9:00 am – Noon

Volunteers for removing trash and debris at sites in Auburn Ravine and Markham Ravine. Trash bags, bottled water, and a few pick-up sticks will be provided. Free hot dog BBQ following the clean-up at 12:30 at McBean Park. Boots, gloves, hat, long pants, long sleeve shirts, insect repellent, and sunscreen are recommended. For more information: Paul Denzler at 916-622-5246 or www.lincolnopenspace.org.

Town of Loomis – Earth Day

Saturday, April 25th, noon to 4:00 pm, at the Loomis Train Depot

Environmental and open space info, products and services, Yard Sale, Kite Flying to promote wind power, Quilt Show, and local bluegrass band, the Station Pickers.

Sacramento Area Creeks Council

Friday, April 17th to Saturday, April 25th Be part of an area-wide volunteer effort to improve and enhance our urban waterways by collecting and removing trash and debris as well as invasive exotic plants. Activities throughout the county including the cleanup on Saturday April 25th.

For more information see www.creekweek.net

Sierra College

Earth Day - Wednesday April 22 and Thursday April 23, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Sponsored by Ecostudents, the "Home Grown" theme includes local foods, farmers market, sustainable businesses, music, watersheds, native flora and fauna, and public transportation.

Sierra Summit 2009: The Present and Future of California's Water Resources

Friday, April 17, 10:00 to 3:00 pm, Dietrich Theatre

Speakers: Jim Branham, Sierra Nevada Conservancy; Kamyar Guivetchi, Department of Water Resources; Mike Chrisman, Resources Agency; Dr. Jeff Mount, UC Davis; Dr. Joshua Viers, UC Davis; Jim Canaday, State Water Resources Control Board (retired); Jeff Darlington, Placer Land Trust; David Breninger, Placer County Water Agency.

More information and pre-registration form at; www.sierracollege.edu/SierraSummit



Adelante High School – Activities include a riparian mural for the science building, maintenance of previous restoration plantings, riparian plant identification, and planning a rain garden site on campus.
Contact Katie Palatinus at kpalatinus@rjuhsd.us

Placer County Creek Week is organized by a committee of local schools, businesses and agencies led by Dry Creek Conservancy. Donations are solicited from local government and businesses to cover organizational costs and Creek Week T-shirts for all volunteers.

Sponsors

- * Dry Creek Conservancy **
- * City of Roseville * City of Rocklin * Town of Loomis * City of Lincoln **
- * Surewest * HP **
- * American Civil Constructors * ECORP Consulting * Restoration Resources **
- * Adelante High School * Woodcreek Nature Center **
- * Lincoln Open Space Committee **
- * American Basin Council of Watersheds **