

SYMPOSIUM

AGENDA

MORNING

AFTERNOON

8:00 a.m.	Pre-conference Birding	Lawn by Building C
8:00-9:00	Make Name Tags and Check-in	Front of Building F
9:00	Welcome, Land Acknowledgement, Survey	Building F
9:30	Keynote <i>Sean Milanovich of the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians holds a PhD in Philosophy specializing in California Native American History from UC Riverside.</i>	
10:20	Break and Visit Tables	Front of Building F
10:45	To Breakout Sessions (Choose one.)	
10:50-11:40	Middle & High School	
	“People Place Phenomena” Climate Change and Environmental Justice Supplementary Curriculum for California <i>Jackie Gardner, 7th Grade Teacher; Mary Valdemar, CHICCCAA;</i>	Building C
OR	For All Grade Levels	
	Traditional Ecological Knowledge <i>Sienna Thomas (Salt River Pima-Maricopa), Traditional Ecological Knowledge Educator and Naturalist at The Wildlands Conservancy</i>	Building F
OR	School Gardens, Monarchs, & Local Foods for School Cafeterias <i>Jenny Iyer & Michele Felix-Derbarmdiker of RCRCO & Scott Berndt, RUSD Food Hub Coordinator</i>	Building 1
OR	Professional Development Opportunities and Resources in EE <i>Erin Snyder, RCRCO; Tania Marien of Talavera; Emily Wanous of Algalita</i>	Building 2
11:50	Lunch and Visit Tables	Building F

12:45 p.m.	To Breakout Sessions (Choose one.)	
12:50-1:40	Middle & High School	Building 1
	What are Envirothon, The Carbon Almanac, Algalita, & Forestry Challenge? <i>Erin Snyder, RCRCO; Tania Marien of Talavera; Emily Wanous of Algalita</i>	
OR	For All Grade Levels	
	Community Action with Youth Involvement: Q & A Panel <i>Jackie Gardner, Eighth Grade Teacher; Mary Valdemar, CHICCCAA; Oscar Ortiz, Mayor of Indio</i>	Building F
OR	Bringing Community Science & Monarchs into the School Yard <i>Michele Felix-Derbarmdiker, RCRCO</i>	Building C
OR	“Make It & Take” Fun	Building 2
1:50	Closing, Tour Directions, Raffle (must be present for raffle.)	
2:10-3:00	Tours	
	LandUse Learning Center & Native Plant Nursery <i>Erin Snyder & Jenny Iyer, Resource Educators at RCRCO</i>	Onsite
OR	Restored Alkali Meadow & Pollinator Garden Left on Glenwood Dr. one block to 5000 Tequesquite Ave. <i>Dr. Arlee Montalvo, Restoration Ecologist & Michele Felix-Derbarmdiker, RCRCO Biologist.</i>	Bonaminio Park

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