

## **Truckee Tahoe Regional Education Coalition (TTREC)**

**Purpose: We are a collaborative of partners who connect youth with their community. We do this by:**

Facilitating projects, keeping partners connected, developing funding opportunities, linking to established school education goals, developing the capacity of each partner, creating a common evaluation, working toward sustainability of the coalition, creating and utilizing a common language, acting as a clearinghouse for opportunities, resources and information, educating each other, networking, building relationships, promoting service and civic engagement in response to community priorities.

**TTREC is for:** Teachers, administrators, school board members, business owners, agency personnel, public employees, community-based organizations.

2006-2007 school year monthly meeting schedule

Theme: *Educating for Sustainability*

All meetings will be held at the **Sierra Mountain Community Education Center** (formerly Sierra Mountain Middle School, Truckee), **3:30-5:30 pm**, second **Monday** of the month.

### **September 11, 2006**

Tentative Agenda: Welcome and introduction to TTREC and the theme, *Educating for Sustainability*; What's in this for you?; Looking to the year ahead.

### **October 9, 2006**

Tentative Agenda: Collaboration: Partnership meeting: Bring a friend! Teachers and community partners come prepared to network, gain ideas and resources for your service projects.

Partners--come prepared to network, share what you have to contribute and plan with teachers for service learning projects. Teachers--find out what service learning projects other teachers have done and how they did it.

### **November 13, 2006**

Tentative Agenda: High Quality Service: Meeting community priorities: hear a presentation by a selected community partner. Gain in-depth information about one of our community partners and how they contribute to service learning in our school district and community.

### **January 8, 2007**

Tentative Agenda: Youth Voice in Service: What does it mean and how do we achieve youth voice in our service learning projects; looking forward to spring workshops and projects; youth presentation or service learning case study presentation.

### **February 12, 2007**

Tentative Agenda: Civic Engagement through Service Learning: partner presentation; service fair planning team

**March 12, 2007**

Tentative Agenda: Integrated Learning: Partnership meeting: Bring a friend! Teachers and community partners come prepared to network, gain ideas and resources for your service projects.

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**March 28-31: National Service Learning Conference, Albuquerque, NM**

<http://www.nylc.org/>

**April 9, 2007**

Spring Fling working meeting! Get inspired by the stories from attendees at the National Service Learning Conference and pick up resources from the conference. Spend time planning service fair and/or other projects.

**April 30, 2007**

Special planning meeting for the annual service fair.

**May 4, 2007**

**Annual Service Learning Fair!!** Last year 275 students, 11 teachers and 12 community partners participated. Join in on this fabulous youth event!

**May 14, 2007**

Reflection and Evaluation: wrap-up and reflect on our year together in service. What worked, what could be improved; where to go next year.

**June 2007**

Celebration! Join SWEP aboard the Tahoe Gal for a year end celebration with music, food and good company!