

Tahoe Truckee Environmental Education Coalition (T-TEEC) / Team Management Meeting
1/13/05

Present at the meeting:

Laurie Martin, Community Youth Development Director, TTUSD

Bob Wright, SWEP

Jan Ellis, SWEP

Dan Alison, South Lake Tahoe Coordinator, SWEP

Ashley Taylor, Service Learning AmeriCorps VISTA, TTUSD and SWEP

Nancy Kerr, 7th grade Science teacher, Alder Creek Middle School

Katie Fesus, ARC summer program

Derek Larson, TAO

Jeff Brown, UC Berkeley-Sagehen Creek Field Station Manager

Sasha Neumann, Social Studies teacher, Truckee High

Three Pilot Projects -

- BMP / Schoolyard Habitats
- Ecoliteracy at Sagehen
- ARC summer program

Ecoliteracy at Sagehen timeline:

- April – One-day buyback for 7th grade team (+ other interested life science teachers)
- Pre-trip days, educators and scientists talk to students
- Pre-survey
- Early May – field day at Sagehen (X 4)
- Post-trip class meetings
- Pre-trip days, educators and scientists talk to students
- Late May – 2nd field day at Donner Lake, kayaking (X 4)
- Post-trip class meetings
- Evaluation, post-survey

Budget: \$8,000 (\$3,000 expected from student fees)

Budget: AWF Grant \$10,000

\$2,000 – Facilitating and development (Laurie Martin)

\$1,500 – Staff time (\$40 per person per meeting)

\$3,000 – Ecoliteracy program at Sagehen

\$3,500 – ARC, sponsorship of one student

To-Do

Community Foundation Grant for the Coalition, \$5,000

Set dates for Ecoliteracy Program, teacher buyback and Sagehen field days

Invite Scott Gehrman (sgehrman@ttusd.org), Jessamy Lasher (jlasher@ttusd.org), Jane Loomis (jloomis@ttusd.org), Tigert and one middle and high school teacher (Jeff Froelich) to next meeting.

Future Agenda

Need to open up meetings and publicize to interested parties and other agencies

Talk about presenting at a Board Meeting

The possibility of incorporating a fire component into both the Ecoliteracy program and
ARC summer program

Next Meeting: Wednesday February 2nd, 11:30-2:30 at the District Office