



SWEP

**Sierra Watershed Education Partnerships
2005
Spring Teacher Training Opportunity**

**Tuesday, May 24, 2005 4-6pm
Angora Creek, Washoe Meadows State Park**

Join us on this interpretive hike to learn how to use the outdoors as a medium for meeting California state content standards while enjoying beautiful Angora Creek.

Interpretive Hike Series for Teachers

The Teacher's Interpretive Series is an exciting opportunity for teachers to explore the local area with resource professionals and experts, focusing on specific aspects of our unique watershed. Teachers will gain ideas and information on how to use the outdoors to enhance their standards-based classroom instruction. Lesson plans, activities and a resources list will be provided for each hike. Designed by teachers and resource professionals, this series will focus on ways to incorporate field studies with California content standards for math, science, language arts, English and social studies.

Teacher's Interpretive Hike: Spring 2005 Schedule:

Topic: Spring Habitat Hike

Activities and resources for this hike will focus on how to use math and language arts standards in outdoor settings (on and off campus).

Interpreter: Stewart McMorrow, California Tahoe Conservancy

This is a great opportunity to explore and discover some of the dynamic habitat present in and around the Angora Creek area with a local wildlife habitat expert. This will be a fun journey, filled with activity, observation and reflection. We will be informed about the different habitat types present in Angora Creek, what they mean and who lives there and uses the area.

There is a \$5.00 requested donation for this hike.

For more information or to register for this Teacher's Interpretive Hike, please contact:

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Directions:

Highway 50 to Sawmill Road (just north of Upper Truckee River and golf course)

Drive 1.1 miles west, park near the gate on the south side of the road, across from Echo View Estates.

Sponsored by Sierra Watershed Education Partnerships (SWEP) and the South Tahoe K-12 Environmental Education Leadership Group as part of a unified watershed-wide effort to implement place-based service-learning (PBSL) in schools and communities. Additional professional development opportunities at <http://raincloudpub.com/pbl/pd/>.