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Saturday

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	Main Stage Schedule	Food- Farming & Permaculture	Willow Stage	Purdy/Hall Moondance	Network Café	Solar Stage	Family Stage	Sustainable Village Stage	Solar Demo Stage	KRCB Film Pavilion
11:00-12:00	10:30 -10:50 am Sho Ko Wa Ke Pomo Dancers Jeanne Trombly: The Countdown for Solar-Charged Vehicles is On! Panel	A01 Paul Dolan: Discovering what's possible in agriculture thru Biodynamic Farming.	B01 Kevin Myers: Rural Electrification Projects in East Africa - From Concept to Sustaining	C01 Jeff Spies: Starting A Solar Business - An Insiders Guide to Success		Charlie Vaughan and Friends	Welcome with Raven & Emily Butterfly and her Puppets	D01 11:30am Tamara Wilder: Paleotechnics		(11:30am) Brower Youth Awards
12:00-1:00	David Blume: Living Beyond Oil Mike Thompson, US Congressman, or Surprise Guest	A02 Penny Livingston: Permaculture for Disaster Preparedness	B02 Scott Meloeny: Green Economy Leadership Training		Your Host: Kevin Pile, of Eco Train : Explores Green Job Opportunities & Career Training	Festival of Friends	Yoga Workshop w/ Mecca		E01 Robin Gudgel: How to Double the Power of your Wind Turbine	Global Oneness Voyage of the Veizo
1:00 - 2:00	Rhone Resch: Powering America with Solar Energy	A03 Laura Allen: Reconnect to the Water Cycle with Greywater, Rainwater, and Composting Toilets	B03 Doron Amiran: Numbers for Nature - Can Economics Save the Rainforest	C02 Ezra Auerbach: The Credential Needs and Importance for a Solar Installer		Alexis Harte	(1:00-1:30) Kiy Trippsmith Story Songs Big Tadoo Puppet Crew (1:40-2:00)	D02 Lloyd Kahn: The 1/4 Acre Homestead in the 21st Century	E02 Paul Hernday: Optimizing PV System Performance	KRCB The Story of Stuff
2:00 - 3:00	John Schaeffer: SolFest Welcome The SLU in 2010	A04 Jana Nierberger: Propagation for Pollinators	B04 Alex Aragon: Power for the Homestead Designing Off-Grid ResidentialSolar Power Systems	Ryan LeBlanc & Jenean Smith: Installing Off-Grid Solar in the Developing World Panel		Misner and Smith	Hoop Workshop w/ Mecca	D03 Earl Brown: Forest Fire or Coffee Table	E03 Erik Frye: Do It Yourself Grid-tie	Power of Community: How Cuba Survived Peak Oil
3:00 - 4:00	Robert F. Kennedy, Jr.: Our Environmental Destiny									
4:00 - 5:00	Poor Man's Whiskey	A05 Asher Miller: Say Bye-Bye to the Status Quo: Why the Next Decade Will Be All About Resilience.	Jaynellen Kovacevich: Youth Making a Difference Greening their Schools & Communities Panel		con't		David Rain Ortiz Native American Storytelling (4:00-4:30) Clay Letson Beebones (4:45-5:00)	D04 (4:30pm) Cara Saunders: Bear Wallow Herbs	Solar Presentation	Brower Youth Awards Global Oneness
5:00-6:00		A06 Aaron Wolf Baum: Algae: Farming for the 21st Century	B05 Jay Ma: Nature Awareness and Bird Language		con't		The New Eccentrics (5:15-5:25) Kids Open Mic (5:30-6:00)		con't	Voyage of the Veizo The Story of Stuff
6:15-7:00	Raging Grannies Troupe de Trash Fashion Show	A07 Jana Nierberger: Ritual for the Bees				Bruce Klein's Galactic Band				Power of Community: How Cuba Survived Peak Oil
7:00-8:00	SolFest PARADE					Bucky Walters				Additional Films
8 - Midnight				The Jug Dealers DJ Dragonfly SILA						Additional Films

WORKSHOPS

SATURDAY WORKSHOPS

A01

Discovering what's possible in agriculture through Biodynamic Farming

Paul Dolan, Parducci Winery

All farming is exploiting in that we remove nutrients from the soil each time we harvest out crops. In conventional farming the nitrogen potassium and phosphorous are replaced using petrochemical fertilizers. In organic farming we replace the nutrients using natural materials. We use compost from the farm and plant legumes to naturally extract nitrogen from the air. In biodynamic farming we build off the organic process and include in our thinking the realization that there is a life energy that is removed each time the crops are removed. Biodynamic farmers work to reenergize the soil.

A02

Permaculture for Disaster Preparedness

Penny Livingston, Regenerative Design Institute

Permaculture is a design science rooted in the observation of natural systems. The principles of permaculture teach us how to design ways of living that have the stability and resiliency of natural ecosystems - they show us positive solutions for creating and managing systems for food, medicine, and building materials, as well as relationships with ourselves, animals, and our communities. Permaculture always keeps in sight three ethics: care of the Earth, care of people, and sharing the surplus. Permaculture is good news! We have solutions that are available on any scale, and we can make a change that will reach out to future generations.

A03

Reconnect to the water cycle with Greywater, Rainwater, and Composting Toilets

Laura Allen, Greywater Guerillas

Interested in cutting your water use in half while growing a green and bountiful garden? Learn how as we discuss simple, low tech systems to harvest rainwater, reusing greywater for irrigation, and design waterless composting toilets.

A04

Propagation for Pollinators

Jana Nierberger, Mariposa Nursery

Provide year-round forage for Honeybees, Native Bees, beneficial wasps, Hummingbirds, and Butterflies by covering basic techniques for seeds, cuttings, and divisions. Many of the best forage plants are well-adapted to our climate, needing little if any summer water. We'll cover the culture and propagation of the most desirable forage plants for Honeybees and other Native pollinators.

A05

Say Bye-Bye to the Status Quo: Why the Next Decade Will Be All About Resilience.

Asher Miller, Post Carbon Institute

Fueled by cheap and abundant fossil fuels, the 20th Century saw an explosion in human populations, economic activity, resource consumption, and environmental destruction. But the bills for our industrial bonanza are finally coming due. The interrelated economic, energy, environmental, and equity crises we now face will chal-

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10:00-11:00	Ed Begley, Jr: Live Simply so that Others Can Simply Live		(10:30 am) SLI Intern Gillian Webster: Community Resilience & Localization			(10:15 am) Mighty Chiplings		D05 Sage Pena & John Venezuela: Food Forest		
11:00-12:00	David Arkin: Tighter & Brighter Green Building for the 21st Century Panel	A08 Rob Keller: Beekeeping For the Love of Honey		C03 Carol Venolia: Ecological Home Remodeling			Welcome with Raven & Emily Butterfly and her Puppets	D06 Susan White: H2O, the Essential Nutrient of Life... Saving It and Using It Wisely	E04 Ronald Parades: Battery Care & Maintenance for the Off Grid PV System	11:30am Brower Youth Awards
12:00-1:00	David Orr: Sunlight, Sustainability, Security--a Necessary Marriage	A09 Eric Taylor: The Power of a Seed and a Vision	B06 Eric Corey Freed: Detroit, Dallas & Despotism: a 3D view of Sustainability"	C04 Steve Heckerroth: Solar Charged Vehicles	Your Host, Kevin Pile, of Eco Train: Explores Green Job Opportunities & Career Training	Linda Ferro Band	Acro Tumbling Workshop w/Mecca	D07 SLI Intern Paul Taylor: Fungi for the People	E05 Kate Collins: Solar Energy for your home or business – energy efficiency & renewable energy education made clear	Global Oneness ----- Voyage of the Velzo
1:00-2:00	Kent Halliburton: Funding Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Panel	A10 Max Meyers: Aquaponics with Applied Permaculture	B07 Paul Kangas & Clay Smith: How You Can Build a Stand-Alone, Off-Grid, Solar Home	C05 Joe Jordan: Solar VS. Nuclear The Fight that MUST Be Had!		Trailer Park Rangers	Kim Trippsmith Story Songs (1:00-1:20) Clay Letson Beebones (1:30-1:45)	D08 Massey Burke: Hands-on Introduction to Building with Earth	Solar Presentation	KRCB ----- The Story of Stuff
2:00-3:00	Dirty - HipHop	A11 Cara Saunders: Local Herbs as Medicine	B08 Edwards Design Group: Sustainable Architectural Design & Building Science	Virtual Bill McKibben: Climate Change 350.org		DJ Kevin West	David Rain Ortiz Native American Storyteller (2:00-2:45) Raven Scarlett Rose Poetry (2:45-3:00)	D09 Felipe Velez: Eco-Brick Workshop	con't	Power of Community: How Cuba Survived Peak Oil
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4:00-5:00	A.G. Kawamura: Secretary, California Department of Food & Agriculture	A13 Magruder Ranch: Sustainable Meat Production	B10 Mitchel Slade: Rastra/Strawbale Comparison	C07 Roy Dyngen: Intro to Sunny Island 5048U Battery Backup Inverter	con't	Keegan Smith and the Fam	Juggling Workshop w/Mecca		con't	Voyage of the Velzo ----- The Story of Stuff
5:00-6:00	Arianna Huffington: Third-World America and Community-Building						The New Eccentrics Pop up StoryBook Puppetry(5:00-5:15) Kids Open Mic (5:20-6:00)			

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lence us in unprecedented ways and completely reshape every aspect of our lives. Post Carbon Institute Executive Director Asher Miller will summarize these interconnected challenges and explore why building resilience is our best strategy for navigating the journey ahead.

A06

Algae: Farming for the 21st Century

Aaron Wolf Baum, Algaelab

It's a fact. Food, fuel, fertilizer, fresh water, and arable land-- all are running out. But there is a crop that can grow in salt water, on true waste land, creating all the products we need by eating greenhouse gases and wastewater. And it can grow 100x faster than conventional crops. Algae! A truly green crop for a sustainable future. Come listen to Dr. Aaron Wolf Baum of ALGAELAB.ORG, a scientist on the NASA OMEGA algae biofuel project, talk about the emergence of this exciting new form of agriculture.

A07

Ritual Dance in Honor of Bees

Jana Niernberger, Mariposa Nursery

Bee ritual and subsequent dance for the Bees to close the day, with singing and acoustic instruments; accordion, ancient 2-headed drum called Tupan/Daoul, and Bulgarian Bagpipe; passed down from very elderly Babis in Bulgaria.

B01

Rural Electrification Projects in East Africa - From Concept to Sustaining

Kevin Myers, SLI Intern Alumnus

Come learn the intricacies of taking a philanthropic project from a spark of an idea through integration and future sustainability. Kevin Myers, both ex interns of the Solar Living Institute and current solar professionals, will draw on their experiences from the Solar Maasai project to solar-electrify a schoolhouse in rural Kenya, solar lantern distribution projects in Kenya & Ethiopia, and ongoing work with several non-profit organizations sponsoring East African sustainable development. Topics covered: local sponsorship, planning, design philosophy, strategic partnerships, grant writing, fund raising, logistics, installation, and long term sustainability.

B02

Green Economy Leadership Training

Scott Meloeny, Global Exchange

Discover the programs and projects that are happening across the country, throughout communities, that are building towards a clean energy economy.

B03

Numbers for Nature - Can Economics Save the Rainforest?

Doron Amiran, Conservation Strategy Fund

About 20% of the world's carbon emissions come from the burning of tropical forests. This is equal to the emissions from all the cars, trucks and buses in the world. As the amount of rainforest shrinks, our planet is losing vast stores of carbon, as well as countless species of plants and animals. Increasingly, policy-makers are turning to economic tools to understand these issues and develop meaningful solutions. Economic tools can cut through the noise and help us understand which solutions make sense, and which ones will cost us more down the road than they will save today.

B04

Power for the Homestead...

Designing Off-Grid Residential Solar Power Systems

Alex Aragon, Aragon Electric

From a one-room cabin to a house in the hills. A look at the equipment and capabilities of a modern residential Off-Grid Solar Power System.

B05

Nature Awareness & Bird Language

Jay Ma, Living Mandala

Through observation, we cultivate awareness with nature

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and learn to appreciate the rich diversity of life experiences and the interdependence of relationships. Using the language of the birds, the alarm system of the forest, we learn to decipher what the birds are telling us about the location of other animals, and also what they have to say about our own patterns of movement and awareness.

C01

Starting A Solar Business - An Insiders Guide to Success Jeff Spies, Solar Spies – Training and Consulting

Learn the basic steps to launching a successful solar business. This popular training program covers topics from qualifications, common systems, solar products, dealer profitability, sales strategy and information resources.

C02

The Credential needs and Importance for an Installer Ezra Auerbach, Executive Director North American Board of Certified Energy Installers (NABCEP)

This presentation will cover why a Certified Installer is important to consumers, the types of Certifications in the renewable energy market place, and how consumers can choose a person with the right certification(s) for their needs. It will be presented by Ezra Auerbach, Executive Director of NABCEP, who is a long standing participant in the renewable energy industry. He has over 25 years of experience in the industry.

D01

Paleotechnics

Tamara Wilder, Paleotechnics

The techniques utilized by early humans to utilize materials found in their environment to assist them in their comfort & survival provided the foundation for all of the technologies which have since followed. By learning & practicing these ancient skills, we keep in touch with our roots, our independence, and our place in the natural world. Overview discussion includes demonstrations of plant fiber extraction and stringmaking, friction firemaking, and making sharp edges from obsidian.

D02

The 1/4 Acre Homestead in the 21st Century

Lloyd Kahn, Shelter Publications

Lloyd Kahn will talk about 50 years' experience creating a home, garden, and workspace on a small piece of land. As self-sufficient as possible, yet hooked into the world electronically. House design and construction; garden and animals; maintenance and endless remodeling; avoiding a mortgage; the realities of sustaining a job while maintaining a handmade homestead.

D03

Forest Fire or Coffee Table

Earl Brown, Wildwood Crafts

Shifting to a long term community vision is becoming increasingly imperative, but where do we start? By enhancing our watersheds we can create numerous jobs, supply local needs, improve water resources, rehabilitate large tracks of timberland and begin to develop self-reliant, sustainable, bio-regional communities."

D04

Local Herbs as Medicine

Cara Saunders, Bear Wallow Herbs

See how solar herb infused oils are made. Herb infused

oils can be used as massage oils, as topical or internal herbal medicines, or to create herbal salves. Enjoy the bright colors of herb infused oils and feel their healing power.

E01

How to Double the Power of your Wind Turbine

Robin Gudgel, Midnite Solar

MidNite Solar is about to release a couple of "Game Changer" products. The Classic and MidNite Clipper will result in more power from just about any battery charging wind turbine. These products are going to change the small wind industry forever.

E02

Optimizing PV System Performance

Paul Hernday, Solmetric

A non-technical overview of how photovoltaic systems work and the factors that affect their performance, aimed at making your PV experience as rewarding as possible. Photovoltaic modules and inverters are efficient and reliable. Translating these qualities into optimal energy production involves selecting a good site for the PV modules, choosing appropriate components and configuring them properly, and monitoring and maintaining your system's performance.

E03

Do It Yourself Grid-tie

Erik Frye, Real Goods Store

Learn to construct your own grid-tied system using selected components. Erik will show you how.

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A08

Beekeeping -- For the Love of Honey

Rob Keller, Napa Valley Bee Company

A discussion of the secret life of bees, the campaign to strengthen local genetic stock, and the important role we can all play in saving the European honeybee. This experiential presentation will include a visit to Rob's traveling "Honeybee observatory," complete with the world's largest demonstration hive and maybe even a taste of honey.

A09

The Power of a Seed and a Vision

Eric Taylor, Outer Aisle Foods

Passion, creativity and vision combined with the skill of farming creates the conditions conducive to reweaving the fabric of our communities. Through the conscious growing of food and inspiration through education, using the principles of integrity, ecology and biodiversity, we evolved from a handful of seeds to a pioneering CSA model, a collaborative non-profit organization and more recently an essential foods and goods store.

A10

Aquaponics with Applied Permaculture

Max Meyers, NorCal Aquaponics

What if there was way to produce an abundance of organic food using 98% less water, while producing up to ten times more food in the same amount of area and time?

What if you could achieve this using 1/4 the amount of energy, in a system that does not require fertile soil, saves

you labor, and is incredibly sustainable? This is Aquaponics -- one of the most sustainable and productive farming systems in the world!

A11

Local Herbs as Medicine

Cara Saunders, Bear Wallow Herbs

Learn how to use native plants and locally abundant weeds as herbal medicine to take care of yourself and your loved ones. Discover herbs that can be used for first aid, colds and flu, building immunity, improving digestion, calming allergies, relieving stress, and much more! Come taste and feel handmade herbal products.

A12

Ethno-Botany from the Native Perspective

Sage LaPena, CHR Hopland Band of Pomo Indians

Herbalism & sustainable harvest of California native plants.

A13

Sustainable Meat Production

Ben Provan & Company, Magruder Ranch

Is it possible to produce meat sustainably? In this workshop, we will explore the environmental, health, and culinary benefits of pastured-based meat production; as well as look at practical tips on how best to identify, source and cook with them.

B06

Detroit, Dallas & Despotism: a 3D view of Sustainability

Eric Corey Freed, organicARCHITECT

After all of this talk in the past decade about the need for green buildings, the question is no longer WHY we need to go green, the question is HOW. American cities are confronting serious issues and are they are in dire need of tangible, deployable & affordable solutions.

B07

How You Can Build a Stand-Alone, Off-Grid Solar Home

Paul Kangas & Clay Smith, Passive Solar Advocates

How to locate the best south facing hillside lots, how to dig out the foundation footprint to bedrock, how to lay the foundation, how to build the unique baffles which are the secret to bringing heating your home for free using active and passive solar components.

B08

Architectural Design & Building Science

Edwards Design Group

The Edwards Design Group is an award winning sustainable custom home company who have been designing and building environmentally sensitive and energy efficient custom homes from coast to coast since 1974. Headquartered in Scottsdale, brothers Doug Edwards and Kevin Edwards are noted experts on green building. From architectural design and current building science to rainwater harvesting and grey water, they approach every home holistically without sacrificing design or the health and comfort of their clients. Doug and Kevin's workshop will be titled "Sustainable Architectural Design & Building Science".

B09

Sustainable Urban Agriculture in Mendocino County

aka The Gardens Project

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Miles Gordon, The Gardens Project

The Gardens Project works to empower communities and increase access to fresh local produce through community and school gardens in Mendocino County. Their work involves ripping out asphalt parking lots, connecting resources and needs, providing education, midwifing gardens, natural building, kilometers of drip irrigation, and interacting with an amazing cast of gardeners in Ukiah. Miles Gordon, founder and Project Coordinator for The Gardens Project, is a homegrown Ukiah fellow making a reality of international relations. Kelly Burwell and Lucy Neely are two spunky AmeriCorps VISTAs excited to start their second year of service with this exciting project. Check us out!

B10

Rastra/Strawbale Comparison

Mitchel Slade, EcoStruction

Mitchel Slade and the Ecostruction Crew are proud to present a hands on workshop that demonstrates the unique differences and similarities of two very important sustainable building materials. The crew will discuss design application, proper installation application, and earthen plaster & papercrete plaster finishes. Looking forward to seeing you there!

C03

Ecological Home Remodeling

Carol Venolia, co-Author Natural Remodeling

Any home can be made greener and more natural. This presentation, lushly illustrated with examples for all budgets, will help everyone from homeowners to design and building professionals understand how to look to the gifts of nature--sun, breezes, water, and gardens--for better health, more efficient resource use, and a deeper connection with the living world.

C04

Solar Charged Vehicles

Steve Heckerath, Solar Electric Vehicle Advocate

Plug-in cars will be available for sale by the end of the year, giving individuals the opportunity to reduce their oil dependence and drive with no tail pipe emissions. The installation of a solar energy system on your home can offset the pollution from power plants used to charge plug-in vehicles for true zero emission travel. In this workshop you will learn how to make the switch to solar/electric mobility

C05

Solar VS. Nuclear – The Fight that MUST Be Had!

Joe Jordan, Renewable Energy Educator

Many people concerned about climate change have been swayed by arguments that nuclear power has to be a key part of any realistic solution to this global problem. This workshop will take on this issue, considering the most convincing-sounding points that either side can come up with. Has France really solved the problem of what to do with nuclear waste? Are thorium-based systems or “small modular reactors” the great hope for our future? Is there enough money to “do both” solar and nuclear? Come get into the thick of one of the most important debates in history!

C06

Regenerative Farming and Alcohol Fuel the key to Sustainable Living Without Oil

David Blume, Author, Alcohol Can Be a Gas!

David Blume: biofuel pioneer, author of the Amazon.com best-selling book, *Alcohol Can Be A Gas!* and founder of Blume Distillation explains how we can produce abundant sustainable food, fuel and “green” jobs to solve today’s most pressing energy challenge: the end of cheap, plentiful oil. Blume Distillation booth #100

C07

Intro to Sunny Island 5048U Battery Backup Inverter

Roy Dyngen, SMA

This session provides an introduction to the Sunny Island 5048U battery backup inverter, its response to a grid failure and its role in an isolated, off grid system. Topics include battery management, battery types, generator management, generator types, system management, additional system components, and system design.

D05

Food Forest

Jay Ma, Living Mandala

Food forests are diverse gardens modeled after natural ecosystems designed to mimic the way a forest thrives and regenerates. A forest continuously nourishes its system, but requires little or no inputs to be sustained. By recognizing the self-supporting, mutually beneficial relationships of the elements in a forest - from tall trees, shrubs, herbs, ground covers, fungi and more, the food forest garden designs a similar system but replaces common forest components with species that are preferred edibles and more useful for humans. The forest then becomes a Garden of Eden, in which edible or useful plants are found in every season, and the system requires little or no maintenance to sustain and regenerate.

D06

H2O, the Essential Nutrient of Life...

Saving It and Using It Wisely

Susan White, Blue Gold for Life

Susan White of Blue Gold for Life speaking about water and the need for treating it with respect!

D07

Fungi for the People

Paul Taylor, SLI 2010 Intern

Paul will lead an exploration of the lifecycle of the mushroom, basic inoculation techniques, fungal technologies, and potential uses for positive change using Mycoremediation. Learn about our ancient Mycelial ancestors and what we can do to potentiate change in our local environments. Each participant will go home with a small amount of myceliated cardboard.

D08

Hands-on Introduction to Building with Earth

Massey Burke, Natural Builder, SLI Intern Alumnus

Knowing how to identify, refine, and use local clay soils of different types is central to natural building. Because they are highly variable, working with clay soils is often the part of natural building that seems most mysterious to aspiring natural builders, designers, and engineers. This class will introduce your hands and your mind to clay soil. We will mess around with, evaluate, and refine various raw clay soils that are native to northern California. We will also use the soils to make basic natural building mixes,

such as adobe, cob, and plaster, and look at the additives that are most commonly combined with clay to make a wide range of walls, floors, and finishes.

D09

Eco-Brick Workshop

Felipe Velez, International Recycler

Felipe will discuss how he came up with the idea of creating new possibilities for recycling landfill waste with his Eco Bricks. This is a new idea that encourages us to contain what would otherwise be landfill waste into plastic bottles which can in turn be used as building bricks. These bottles have since been used in building schools, homes, water tanks and so much more. He will be sharing inspiring stories from his work in Colombia and other countries around the world where resources for building are low and trash and plastic bottles are in abundance. SolFest 2010 has endorsed Felipe's efforts in reducing our carbon footprints and lowering our waste so throughout the festival we will be encouraging people to separate their trash and bring it to the Eco Brick building station at the north end of the fairgrounds.

D10

Allergy Desensitization

Dr. Cindy Zafis, Natural Alternative Healing

Your allergies can be successfully diagnosed and treated for foods, pollens, chemicals and other substances. This technique combines several systems of medicine including traditional Chinese medicine, chiropractic, and applied kinesiology. Using acupuncture as the main system of treatment, your nervous system is “reprogrammed” so that you will respond normally to the allergen. Once treated, you will no longer react to the substance.

E04

Battery Care & Maintenance for the Off Grid PV System

Ronald Parades, Trojan Batteries

In this informal session you will have an opportunity to learn the basics of battery care and maintenance to make sure you get the longest possible life out of your battery bank. This is a great chance to learn which methods of battery care are nothing more than legends & myths and which ones really work. Bring your questions for direct one on one technical support from the world leader in deep cycle batteries for renewable energy applications.

E05

Solar Energy for your home or business - energy efficiency & renewable energy education made clear

Kate Collins, Gaia Energy Systems

Kate will present an educational workshop on energy efficiency and solar energy. Learn how to become more energy efficient, how to put solar energy on your home or business, current technologies, cost benefits, financing options, rebates & tax credits.

KRCB Film Pavilion

Presenting the Natural Heroes Series

Natural Heroes showcases independently produced films from all over the world with one common theme: real people making a difference for the environment and enhancing the world around us. [Check Film Listings at the Festival for Exact Times.](#)