

PEYA Connect Session
Saturday, February 27th, 2010
HJA Education Centre

Number of attendees: 11 + Moe

Competition:

Build a sculpture out of waste concerning an environmental issue. Take a picture and send to execs@peyalliance.com. The best will be showcased at EcoFest (June 12) and the PEYA AGM (May 15). Due by April 22.

EcoBuzz:

Was at Fletcher's Meadow SS. What was most memorable?

- the speakers were great, really good motivators and got us all excited
- overall amazing, opening speaker was really good, got to meet lots of people, lunch was amazing

Constructive Criticism:

- the schedules were a bit confusing
- need more directional signs
- make it open to the public (huge convention with the whole region, using a convention centre)

What do you want from PEYA:

- volunteering opportunities
- hiking
- making volunteer opportunities part of the agenda and send it out in emails
- talk about world economics vs. Environment as a topic
- have a section to provide time for a school to highlight their projects during meetings
- learn how to run and maintain a green club

Mentorship:

- email execs@peyalliance.com
- we can pair together different schools so that they can help each other with projects
- many expressed interest

Enviro-News:

- IPCC:** Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
- a body of leaders that come to talk about climate change and how to move forward
- come up with reports about where the world is as far as the environment is concerned
- governments are demanding an independent review to validate IPCC's claims because of supposed inaccuracy
- just shows how governments are creating barriers concerning the environment and how much IPCC can do while they are under scrutiny

Please see the PDF of the powerpoint for more news.

