

# Earth Day

## 24 hour Webcastathon

### April 22, 2008

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The future is in OUR hands

What kind of  
Earth will your  
grandchildren's  
grandchildren  
grow up in?



Act Locally;  
Share Globally!

*Come join the 24-hour long conversation about the health of our planet. Participants will be from around the world. Special guests include local leaders, student environmental advocates, scientists, engineers, and people like you who are interested in helping to make the world safe and healthy for future generations. Participation can occur anywhere there is an Internet connection!*

#### Three Ways to Participate:

1. Listen to the live show at <http://www.webcastacademy.net/live>. There are several ways to listen to the audio: iTunes, Windows Media, Real Player, and Ustream. Select the option that works best for your computer system. Use the chat room to ask questions or communicate ideas to the special guests. See tentative schedule on the next page.
2. Create your own video or audio that can be played during the webcastathon. Share how you are making a difference in your own community or any thoughts and ideas that you have about environmental issues. Upload videos to youtube, teachertube, your blog or website. Tag all content with **earthcast08**. If you need help with the uploading or tagging process, contact Pam by email: [PamelaShoemaker@wlcsd.org](mailto:PamelaShoemaker@wlcsd.org).
3. Add an an audio, video, or text comment to the EarthDay Webcastathon VoiceThread at <http://enviroscims.wikispaces.com/earthcast08+VoiceThread>

## Tentative Schedule of Events

*All times are listed as GMT, so be sure to convert to your own time zone (use [www.timeanddate.com](http://www.timeanddate.com)).*

Student-created content will be played whenever time is available

Time (GMT)	Host	Special Guest/s	Topic	Grade Level
Midnight-1:00 AM GMT	All hosts/webcasters		Conversation about what is to come	Any
1-2:00 AM GMT	Jose Rodriguez California, USA	Mark Ahlness	Earth Day Grocery Bag Decorating Project	Elementary grades
2-3:00 AM GMT	Alice Mercer	TBD Australian Schools	Schools using traffic tamers, encouraging walking or biking to school	
3-4:00 AM GMT	Alice Mercer			
4 AM to 1:00 PM GMT			TBD	
1-2:00 PM GMT	Sheila Adams New Hampshire, USA		Convo with teacher who has been to Antarctica, community members who are trying to go green, students sharing ideas	All
2-3:00 PM GMT	Pam Shoemaker Michigan, USA	Chris Clonen, General Motors	New technologies in the automotive industry, available educational resources	All
3-4:00 PM GMT	Digital Maverick United Kingdom		TBD	
4-5:00 PM GMT	Digital Maverick United Kingdom		TBD	
5-6:00 PM GMT	Digital Maverick United Kingdom		TBD	
6-7:00 PM GMT	Derrall Garrison California, USA			
7-7:30 PM GMT			TBD	
7:30-8:00 PM GMT	Mrs. Durff	Students in the halls of school	What are you doing to help save the earth?	All
8-9:00 PM GMT	Alec Couris & Peta White, Saskatchewan, Canada		Highlights of Earth Day activities from around Regina, Saskatchewan.	
9-10:00 PM GMT	Matt Montagne Wisconsin, USA	Jason Czarnakci, Marquette University		
10-11:00 PM GMT	Jason Robertshaw Florida, USA		Ocean Conservation	
11 PM-12:00 Midnight GMT	All hosts/webcasters		Finale/Reflection	