

National Association of Geoscience Teachers

Pacific Northwest Section Meeting 2001

Bellevue Community College, Bellevue, Washington

Sponsored by Bellevue Community College, Seattle Central Community College and North Seattle Community College

Meeting schedule:

Thursday, June 21

Field trip #1: Bedrock Geology of San Juan Island, Washington

Field trip leader: Darrel Cowan, University of Washington

Depart BCC about 5:00 a.m. (sorry for the early start, but we've got a ferry to catch); return to BCC about 7:00 p.m. Field trip cost of \$20 includes transportation, ferry fees, lunches and snacks, and the field guide.

Friday, June 22

Presentations at Bellevue Community College

In the morning, presentations by college teachers on classroom strategies, new teaching ideas, and technology in the classroom. Open forum for sharing with your colleagues, followed by an Indian lunch. In the afternoon, talks by local experts on the geology of central Puget Sound, with an emphasis on recent research and geologic hazards. Barbeque dinner at BCC, followed by a very special evening speaker. Cost of \$35 includes buffet lunch, dinner and handouts.

Saturday, June 23

Field trip #2: Lahars of Mount Rainier Volcano

Field trip leader: Pat Pringle, Washington Department of Natural Resources

Depart BCC about 6:00 a.m.; return to BCC about 7:00 p.m. Field trip cost of \$30 includes transportation, park entrance fees, lunches and snacks, and the field guide.

Sunday, June 24

Field trip #3: Seattle Landslides and the Seattle Fault

Field trip leaders: Bill Nashem, Shannon and Wilson; Brian Sherrod, US Geological Survey

Depart BCC about 7:00 a.m.; return to BCC about 6:00 p.m. Field trip cost of \$20 includes transportation, lunches and snacks, and the field guides.

We have a few open spots on Friday morning for 15-to 25-minute talks on any aspect of earth science education. If you'd like to give a short presentation, please contact Rob Viens at rviens@bcc.ctc.edu or (425) 564-3158 as soon as possible. Time slots will be awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Please check <http://www.btia.net/nagt/> for updates!

How to register:

Please go to <http://www.btia.net/nagt/> and fill out the registration form on-line. If you'd rather receive a paper copy of the registration form, please e-mail Tracy Furutani at tfurutani@sccd.ctc.edu or call (206) 528-4501 or fax your request to (206) 527-3748.

Remember! Registration deadline is **Friday, May 11.**

Rock exchange:

In addition to the usual forum of exchanging teaching ideas on Friday morning, we are also announcing a swap meet of sorts called the "Rock Exchange". If you have a lot of a particular resource (like several dozen copies of the Mount Rainier topo sheet), or are looking for a particular resource (like a good example of oolitic limestone), consider posting your needs at <http://www.btia.net/nagt/phpBB/> and follow the instructions from there. This "bulletin board" forum will be moderated by Tracy Furutani (tfurutani@sccd.ctc.edu) and any deals made through the forum are strictly the responsibility of the dealmakers; the idea is that if you effect a swap, then both parties can make the exchange conveniently at the NAGT meeting.

Lodging options:

The official hotel of the meeting is Days Inn. Please mention that you are with the NAGT conference when you make a reservation.



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*Free Local Calls *In-room Iron/Board, Hair Dryer & Coffee Maker *Jetted Hot Tub

425.643.6644

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Reservations must be made by 5/15/01

Based on availability. Not valid with other discounts.