



QUAKER EARTHCARE WITNESS

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SCHEDULE OF AFTERNOON PRESENTATIONS

The Earthcare Center (open every afternoon) is located in Student Union 3018

Join us for conversations and learn about current environmental concerns.

Discussions, videos, and activities – intergenerational

DAILY 7:00 AM Early Morning Outdoor Worship (Mon-Fri) convened by QEW supporters.
Meet Outside Ottawa East (chairs inside main lobby near elevator)

Monday, July 2

1:30-3:00 Shelley Tanenbaum and Hayley Hathaway – Quaker Earthcare Witness. What are Friends doing about Earthcare?

3:15-4:15 and 4:30-5:30 (two sessions – plan to attend both) Buffy Curtis and Liseli Haines (NYYM Indian Affairs Committee) - **Towards Right Relationship with Native Peoples** – an interactive workshop to experience the impacts of the Doctrine of Discovery, colonization, and assimilation on Native peoples.

Tuesday, July 3

1:30-3:00 Pamela Taylor – **Factory Farms, Livestock Manure, and Toxic Algae in the Great Lakes.** Livestock manure is one of the major causes of toxic algae pollution in the Great Lakes Region. Where does manure come from, who/what produces it, how it is connected to toxic algae, and what needs to be done.

3:15-4:15 Lynn Fitz-Hugh – **Climate and Community.** Are you working on climate issues in your community or want to be? Discussion – peppered with tips from the founder of 350Seattle and Faith Action Climate Team.

4:30-5:30 Beverly Ward (SEYM Field Secretary for Climate) - **Water: Reconnecting the African Diaspora.** QEW's project creating a solidarity Water Circle exploring solutions from Africa, the Caribbean, and the U.S. and contributing to the United Nations.

Wednesday, July 4

☀ *In keeping with the FGC day of rest, we will offer a relaxing time at the Center. Come read, reflect, relax, and watch some films on what people are doing to restore the ecological integrity of our world. **Films being shown:***

1:30 – 3:30 Paula Palmer - "Two Rivers," followed by discussion. What would right relationship with Native Peoples look like in your community? How can you take first steps in that direction?

3:45 – 5:30 "Sustainable" Sustainable is a film about the land, the people who work it and what must be done to sustain it for future generations. It is a story of hope and transformation, about passion for the land and a promise that it can be restored to once again sustain us.

Thursday, July 5

1:30-3:00 Rev. Barber will be at the bookstore – go hear him speak. No QEW program scheduled.

3:15-4:15 Mike Ferner – **The Third Battle for Lake Erie.** Advocates for a Clean Lake Erie (ACLE), a grass roots organization energized by concerned citizens who believe our community has a right to have clean water.

4:30-5:30 Beverly Ward, John Heimborg, Bohn Jeverly – **Two 1-Act Plays.** Two short, one-act plays share truths about climate disruption and support the work of the Climate Change Theatre Action. *Homo Sapiens* is a peek into the future 1,500 year from now and *Bare Spaces* is all about relationships.

Friday, July 6

1:30-3:00 Bob Bruninga, Charles Blanchard and Judy Lumb – **Book Launch for Energy Choices: Opportunities to Make Wise Decisions for a Sustainable Future.** What households can do right now to address climate change (latest publication from the Quaker Institute for the Future-QIF).

3:15-4:15 Geoff Garver and Gray Cox – **Seeking Truth about the Human-Earth Relationship.** Singing will happen.

4:30-5:30 Paula Palmer – **Organizing meeting** open to all Friends who want to work toward right relationship with Native Peoples.