



ARIZONA ASSOCIATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

Greetings!

April is a great month to get outdoors and celebrate Environmental Education. Join us for the [13th annual Environmental Education Week \(April 23-29, 2017\)](#) by learning more about how you can become involved with EE in Arizona. So many of us provide powerful opportunities and experiences to enrich the lives of our community members. Let's celebrate all that we do together!

Get out and take a hike with like-minded educators, like the [Arizona Master Naturalists](#), connect with colleagues at other local organizations and develop a program together, or learn more about [becoming a certified Environmental Educator in Arizona](#). Join us to learn more about exciting professional development opportunities we will be providing for the rest of 2017.

I'm excited to be a part of such an amazing profession in Arizona. Cheers!

Juanne



National EE Week!

Sunday April 23rd, 2017 to Saturday April 29th, 2017

This year marks the 13th annual National Environmental Education Week celebration. Events and projects will take place across the country in classrooms, after-school clubs, parks, aquariums, museums, and other formal and informal educational settings this week.

Check out NEEF's [website](#) for more resources.



#WhyIEE

Musicians, artists, journalists, biologists, activists, religious leaders are just a few of the types of people that engage others in developing skills, understanding and passion to address local and global challenges. Why do we do EE? Because people have an incredible impact on the Earth and we are also the only ones with the power to make it a positive one.

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Spotlight: Arizona Master Naturalists

Interested in learning more about the natural history in your part of Arizona? Check the [Arizona Master Naturalist Association](#)! Become a certified Master Naturalist and member of an elite group of volunteers who provide valuable time to programs doing citizen science, stewardship and education work in Arizona and 30 other states.

For more information about certification requirements or to join the mailing list visit www.azmasternaturalist.org or [Facebook](#) page.



AZ Gives Day Recap

Thanks to all who supported AAEE on Arizona Gives Day! Funds raised will go towards providing resources for members through our new website coming this summer. Your support of environmental education is a great investment in Arizona. Until next year.

AAEE Raised \$315 in 2017



News from NAAEE

Advocating for EE

If you are interested in learning more about how we can advocate for Environmental Education, [subscribe to the eePRO group for Advocacy](#). Our team leaders Sarah Bodor and Brock Adler have created many helpful resources for us to remain in the "know". Because of our outreach over the last few weeks they received the most signatures ever on the house letter for the EPA and almost surpassed a record for the NOAA letter. Thank you!

Arizona Association for Environmental Education

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