



QUAKER EARTHCARE WITNESS

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SCHEDULE OF AFTERNOON PRESENTATIONS

The Earthcare Center (open every afternoon) is located in St. Vincent. Join us for conversations and learn about current environmental concerns. Presentations will be in St Vincent 306

Discussions, videos, and activities – intergenerational

DAILY 6:30 AM Early Morning Outdoor Worship (Mon-Fri) convened by QEW supporters. Circle between St Vincent and the Alumni Chapel (chairs in St Vincent's 112 please return)

Monday, July 3

1:30-3:00 Pamela Boyce Simms (FGC Plenary Speaker and QEW Board member) - SELF AS EARTH: LIVE LIKE TREES. Trees, our silent companions, demonstrate the next step in the evolution of human self-awareness.

3:15-4:15 Shelley Tanenbaum (QEW General Secretary) – EARTHCARE FOR CHILDREN. Book Launch for an updated QEW First Day School Earthcare curriculum.

4:30-5:30 Hayley Hathaway (QEW Publications Coordinator) – FROM MEXICO CITY TO RURAL NEW HAMPSHIRE: Moving to a small farm in search of the beloved community.

Tuesday, July 4

1:30-3:00 Susan Wolf (former clerk of NY YM Indian Affairs Committee) - Who are our Native neighbors? Where do they live? What are their concerns? What are some common misperceptions? How can we be good allies?

3:15-4:15 Pamela Haines (Friends Economic Integrity Project and the Eco-Justice Collaborative of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting) - ABOUT MONEY: A CALL TO INTEGRITY, COMMUNITY, AND STEWARDSHIP - Given the role of economic growth in ecological overshoot, how can we better understand the connections among growth, debt, interest and security, and move toward a right relationship with finance?

4:30-5:30 Keith Helmuth (QIF Board Member and farmer) - CHANGING THE ADAPTATION STORY: Unhitching the Harness of Progress. From the Titanic to the Canoe; from Monsanto to Navdanya.

Wednesday, July 5

☀ *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 – 3:00 *Meeting Place Organic Farm (1 hour) - Farming organically in Ontario for more than 40 years plus discussion with farmer Tony McQuail*

3:15 – 5:00 *Awake: A Dream From Standing Rock (84 minutes)*

Thursday, July 6

1:30-3:00 Beverly Ward (Southeastern Yearly Meeting Earthcare Field Secretary and QEW Board member) - CLIMATE JUSTICE AND FRIENDS - Speaking from our Testimonies.

3:15-4:15 Barbara Adams (Filmmaker and QEW board member)- *TROUBLED WATER: VOICES FROM BATH*. Film screening and discussion of the devastating impacts of the proposed Atlantic Coast Pipeline, which would carry fracked natural gas through the remote mountainous community of Bath County, Virginia.

4:30-5:30 Peter West Nutting (Photographer) - USING THE CAMERA AS A WAY OF LEARNING TO SEE WITH SOFT EYES. Receiving images with the help of a camera rather than "taking" or "shooting" photographs can change our perception of the natural world.

Friday, July 7

1:30-3:00 Geoff Garver (QIF board member) - MAKING WAY FOR A MUTUALLY ENHANCING HUMAN-EARTH RELATIONSHIP IN THE ANTHROPOCENE. The Anthropocene is a new epoch dominated by humans. We will reflect on hopeful Quaker-inspired paths for dealing with the wrenching challenges of these unprecedented times.

3:15-4:15 Sara Wolcott (QIF board member) - (RE)MEMBERING THE STORY OF THE ANTHROPOCENE AGE. Papal Bulls of Domination, Private Property, and Ecotheology.

4:30-5:30 Barbara Adams (Filmmaker and QEW board member) – U.N. PERMANENT FORUM ON INDIGENOUS ISSUES. Sharing the most recent information on social and environmental injustice facing indigenous peoples from around the globe.