

Windstar Connection Groups

- **New York Windstar Connection**
- **Kansas Windstar Connection**
- **New England Windstar Connection**
- **Southeast Windstar Connection**
- **Windstar Mid-South Connection**
- **Windstar Chicago Connection**
- **DC/Baltimore Windstar Connection**
- **Minnesota Windstar Connection**
- **Windstar Colorado Connection**
- **Arizona Windstar Connection**
- **Northern Ohio Windstar Connection**
- **Heart of Ohio Windstar Connection**
- **Bluebonnet Windstar Connection**
- **Peace Cloth Connection**
- **EARTHcamp Leader Connection**
- **Florida Windstar Connection**

There are additional committed people who are located in other regions. Contact Program Coordinators.

If you are interested in participating in the Windstar Connection Program, or would like more information, please contact the
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Reaching Out to Local Communities!

The Windstar Connection Program is the regional grassroots outreach of the Windstar Foundation, founded out of the inspiration of the 1988 Windstar Choices for the Future Symposium.

MISSION

To inspire individuals to act locally and make responsible choices and take direct personal actions to achieve a peaceful and environmentally sustainable future.

GOAL:

To create a focused opportunity for individuals around the world to act together for a common goal. Fundamental goals include raising environmental awareness around the world and developing leadership potential in all people, so that we can be more involved, informed and responsible citizens.

WORK:

To meet, network, and carry out projects and forums of an action-oriented educational nature, in alignment with the missions and goals of the Windstar Foundation. Each Connection is organized under a standard charter that provides operational guidelines for establishing a successful group.

**Windstar Connections inspire,
model and teach responsibility
for a sustainable future**

PROJECTS:

- PARTNER WITH LIKE MINDED GROUPS SUCH AS THE NATURE CONSERVANCY
- PARTICIPATE IN REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL AWARDS FOR K -12 STUDENTS
- SPONSOR ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATIONAL SPEAKERS, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS
- PARTNER WITH COMMUNITY GROUPS WITH SIMILAR GOALS
- SPONSOR COMMUNITY PROJECTS
- GATHER FOR MANY OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES SUCH AS LOCAL CLEANUPS AND RESTORING FORESTS AFTER FIRES
- RELEAF CARDS AND TREE PLANTING
- PARTICIPATE IN WINDSTAR DAY ON OCTOBER 22



CONNECTIONS ACTIVITIES

- ♦ Many Connection members attended a workshop on the complete curriculum for the EARTHcamp program to inspire them to host a camp in their community.
- ♦ The Connection Program sponsors a quarterly conference call to enable members from all over the world to communicate about on-going Connection events and projects.
- ♦ Connections around the country sponsor a variety of environmental conferences and workshops.
- ♦ The Connection Program hosts Leadership training and conferences to develop skills and enhance collaboration between groups.
- ♦ The Connection Program has two enthusiastic Program Coordinators available to assist all Connections. Just ask!