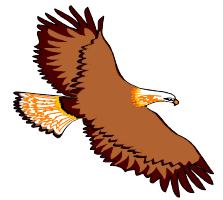


North Carolina 2010 Middle School Envirothon Guide



Middle School Envirothon

Guide

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General Information

What

The Envirothon program is a competitive event for middle school teams of 5 students to compete in a natural resources knowledge and ecology field day against other middle school teams. It stimulates, reinforces and enhances students' interest in the environment and our state's natural resources.

Resource subject areas are: Soils and land use, Forestry and plant life, Wildlife and habitat, Aquatics and water quality, and Current Environmental Issues including air quality and the impact of climate change.

An entire school class or group may participate in studying the resources, however only 5 members may be on a team taking the test. Each team must have an advisor, and each team can have up to 2 alternates. Each class or school may have as many teams as they wish. However, each team will have to be registered.

There will be a resource station set up for each of the subject areas (Soils, Forestry, Wildlife, Aquatics, and Current Environmental Issues), in an outside setting, where the teams will be given an exam on each of the resource subjects. The team with the highest score will be declared the State winner. Each written test will last for 25-30 minutes and will have approximately 25 questions. These questions are answered as a team and not as individual students. After finishing one station and at a set time, the teams will rotate to the next station. The test papers are graded and the scores totaled to select the winner.

Test Stations

The five test stations will likely cover the following topics, but are not limited to these:

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| Wildlife. | Wildlife ecology, habitat, identification, species interaction, foods, diseases, conservation and management. |
| Aquatics. | Aquatics covers ecology of water, water quality, plants and animals living in or around water, pollution, wetlands, water quantity, and conservation. |
| Forestry. | Forestry covers tree identification, forest history, ecology, insects, diseases, parts of plants, role of fire, and forest measurements. |
| Soils. | Soils covers classification, erosion, soil surveys, site suitability, current issues, profiles, soil characteristics, soil ecology, and conservation practices. |
| Current Environmental Issues. | Current Environmental Issues cover any current or newsworthy environmental issue including air quality and climate change. |

Professionals from cooperating agencies and/or independent environmental organizations will conduct the station testing.

Who can compete

Competition is open to Ecology clubs, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, soil-judging teams, 4H clubs, home study groups, environmental groups, Vo-Ag groups, or any group interested in competing. All team members must be middle school grade students - grades 5-8. Teams must be from the same school. An exception is made for home study groups, scout groups, 4-H teams being from the same school; however, they must be from the same general area. An advisor is required at the competition for each team.

When

The State Competition is usually held in April or May. **The 2010 North Carolina State Envirothon will be held Friday April 23 through Saturday April 24.** All teams must attend an Area Envirothon and qualify by placing in top seven scoring teams to attend the North Carolina State Envirothon

Where

The State Envirothon will be held at Cedarock Park in Alamance County. (see map on page 22)

Registration

Each of the eight Areas of the NC Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts will have a structured registration program for the eight Area Envirothons. Your local Soil & Water Conservation District can assist you in registering your team for the Area Envirothon (see list of Districts included in back). There will be seven teams from each Area competition to advance to the State Envirothon Competition.

There is a \$50.00 participation fee for each of these seven teams advancing to the State Competition. **This \$50.00 participation fee is payable to the NC Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts (NCASWCD).** Checks for middle school teams should be mailed to Sandra Weitzel (see page 3). Many times the local Soil & Water Conservation District will help pay the participation fee.

Resource Information

Once a team has made contact with your local Soil & Water Conservation District (see telephone numbers pages 18-21), a resource packet containing natural resource information will be sent to each advisor to use in preparing their team/teams for the competition. Your local Soil & Water Conservation District can also assist the teams in securing additional information/resource people to help train the students. **Questions on the tests will come from the resource material or from materials presented at the training station on Friday at Cedarock Park.**

Registration Day at the State Middle School Envirothon

Registration at the State Competition event will be from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Friday, April 23, and from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 24, 2010.

Station Training at State Middle School Envirothon

Professionals give a short training session at each station at the State Envirothon on Friday afternoon. The Middle School stations are in a field under tents. Students and Advisors may bring camp chairs, stand, or can sit on the ground. Those standing and with chairs are asked to arrange themselves toward the rear so that others may gather on the ground in front. Advisors are asked not to ask or answer question during the training session. The training session is for the students. No one except students and advisors will be allowed at the training stations or on the field. Other parents, children, and guests are asked to enjoy other parts of this wonderful county park during the training sessions.

These Presentations are not set up to give the test answers to the students. Students are expected to have studied all topics prior to coming to the Envirothon. The Presenters are asked to cover some of the material covered by exam questions but not to cover just the test. This is a good time for the teams to ask questions of the professionals if there is something that you do not understand.

The Presenters are also told that if they have a question that is not in the resource material that teams were given to study, that they can ask the question as long as they cover the material during their Friday presentation.

Team Sponsor

Teams must secure the local Soil & Water Conservation District to sponsor the team. The sponsoring District may or may not be able to pay your participation fee. If for some reason the local District does not wish to sponsor your team, contact Sandra Weitzel and ask that the State Envirothon Steering Committee sponsor your team. The State Committee will not pay your team's registration fee. A list of Soil & Water Conservation Districts is included in this packet.

Team Size

Maximum team size to compete is five (5) members. If a team has less than five (5) members to show up, it will be allowed to participate. Schools may send more than one team to the Area competitions depending on the Area Envirothon's rules, however each team must register separately (see page 5 Registration).

A middle school team may have up to two alternates at the state competition. However, alternates may not be allowed to participate in Area competitions if the Area does not allow alternates.

Typically, alternates from different teams are allowed to form teams to participate in the testing. Teams made of alternates are not allowed to place for prizes.

Awards

After lunch, there is a brief awards program to announce the winners, present certificates, and recognize the financial contributors and important guests.

Awards for state competition are as follows:

First Place \$100.00 cash, and a plaque

Second Place \$75.00 cash, and a plaque

Third Place \$50.00 cash, and a plaque

Fourth Place \$25.00 cash, plaque

Fifth Place \$25.00 cash, plaque

Community Service Learning Project Middle School Winner Plaque

Medallions will be awarded to each member of the team having the highest score at each station. The Area awards will be different than the state awards.

Grievance Policy

A Grievance Committee has been established to hear complaints on teams not following the rules, cheating, etc. Please inform your team members that if they wish to make a grievance or complaint, that this must be done as soon as possible and before the winners are announced. The guides at the stations are available to take grievances. They should be written down by the guide to present to the Grievance Committee.

Visitors

Visitors are welcome. Please contact Sandra Weitzel, Middle School Envirothon Coordinator (919) 791-4310, so enough food can be prepared. All visitors will be given a visitors' ribbon for identification. There may be a meal charge for visitors.

Meals

Two meals are provided during the competition, dinner on Friday evening and lunch on Saturday. Meals are usually quick foods and may include hot dogs, hamburgers, pizzas or cold cuts. If anyone cannot eat the meals provided or have special dietary needs, they should plan to bring their own food and cooler to store it.

Parking

There will be an area set aside for parking, and we will have someone directing traffic. Please park in the designated areas. A separate area for bus parking should be provided.

Certificates

Certificates will be prepared for each participating team for the state competition. Please, send the names of all team members, spelled correctly, and the parental consent/medical information forms as soon as possible when registering for the Area Envirothon competition. The certificates will be presented the day of the competition or may be mailed after the event.

Motel Information

For those teams coming in Friday and are not camping, there is a list of motels in this guide (see page 18). Because there are often other events that may compete for area motel rooms, please make your reservations early. Reservations can always be cancelled later.

Camping

For the state competition Cedarrock Park allows free tent camping in designated areas. Camping can be an additional learning experience for your team. If your team wants to camp at the park contact Phil Ross, Alamance Soil & Water Conservation District at (336) 228-1763 ext 3.

Teams Traveling Together

Some teams may want to car pool or vanpool in order to save on transportation costs. If you do and would like to have a contact person for other local teams, please contact your Area Envirothon contact person.

Weather

The competition will be held outside regardless of the weather. Bring appropriate clothing and shoes. Please bring sunscreen, hats, and water bottles for warm and sunny weather. There may also be early morning dew on the field's grass. Please bring rain gear if rain is possible.

Dress

Do not wear any item of clothing or anything else that may identify your team by city, county, or school. Team members will be given North Carolina Envirothon t-shirts.

First Aid

A registered nurse will be on site at the state competition to handle emergencies. The nurse looks at the medical consent form to make sure that she has supplies of any needed medicines before the competition begins. This is why it is important for the teams to send back their medical consent forms on time and for the Areas to forward them to the State Middle School Envirothon Coordinator.

Websites

North Carolina Envirothon www.ncenvirothon.org

National Envirothon www.envirothon.org

Division www.enr.state.nc.us/DSWC/pages/envirothon.html

NCASWCD www.ncaswcd.org/Programs/Education/envirothon.htm

Envirothon Community Service Learning Projects

The Department of Public Instruction is requiring school programs like advanced courses of study to have each student to do a service project as part of the requirements for them to graduate. Some counties now require seniors to do a project before they graduate. The Envirothon Committee voted to start a voluntary Envirothon Community Learning Service Project program as part of the Envirothon.

1. Open to High School and to Middle School Envirothon teams.
2. The program is voluntary for participation but teams must compete in their Area Envirothon but are not required to qualify for State Envirothon.
3. Envirothon teams will design and develop a community type project and carry it out during the school year.
4. It can be a physical project, a service project or a data-sharing project.
 - A. **Physical project** (e.g. outdoor classroom, nature trail, wildlife habitat development, small pond for school use)
 - B. **Service project** (e.g. Envirothon team teaching younger students, picking up litter along a designated stream, starting a recycling program in school)
 - C. **Data sharing project** (e.g. presenting data on effects of storm water runoff on the environment; keeping data on a stream or pond as to water quality parameters such as DO, pH, macro-invertebrates found, putting this information into a poster paper and presenting it.)
5. Project has to be written up in a format with enough detail that a layman can understand what your mission and goals were. It can include graphs, pictures, posters, etc.
6. A fifteen-minute minimum presentation of the project must be made to a public body or a meeting of people from the community. Such as a Community Service Organization --Lions Club, Rotary Club, or a public body such as Soil and Water Conservation District Board or County Commissioners meeting.
7. Videotape the presentation and send it in to be judged along with the write up of the project.
8. Deadline is March 1, 2010.
9. Plaques will be given to the best ones at the awards ceremony on Saturday.
10. Videos from Middle School Envirothon Teams should be sent to Sandra Weitzel, Division of Soil and Water Conservation, 3800 Barrett Drive, Raleigh, NC 27609.

Area Envirothon Contacts

The contacts for the Area competitions are:

Area 1- (counties--Buncombe, Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Swain, Transylvania, Yancey)

Contact: Leanna Staton, Clay SWCD—828-389-9764 (leanna.statton@nc.nacdnet.net)

Area 2- (counties—Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Burke, Caldwell, Catawba, Forsyth, Stokes, Surry, Watauga, Wilkes, Yadkin)

Contact: Lorraine Spears, Wilkes SWCD—336-838-3622 x3 (lorraine.spears@nc.nacdnet.net)

Area 3- (counties—Alamance, Caswell, Chatham, Guilford, Lee, Montgomery, Moore, Orange, Person, Randolph, Rockingham)

Contact: Millie Langle, Guilford SWCD —336-375-5401 x3 (mLangle@co.guilford.nc.us)

Area 4-(counties—Durham, Edgecombe, Franklin, Granville, Halifax, Johnston, Nash, Vance, Wake, Warren, Wilson)

Contact: Charles Bass, Franklin SWCD – 919-496-3137 (charles.bass@nc.nacdnet.net)

Area 5- (counties—Beaufort, Bertie, Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Hertford, Hyde, Martin, Northampton, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Tyrrell, Washington)

Contact: Bryan Evans, Pitt SWCD—252-752-2720 ext.3 (bryan.evans@nc.nacdnet.net)

Area 6-(counties—Brunswick, Carteret, Craven, Duplin, Greene, Jones, Lenoir, New Hanover, Onslow, Pamlico, Pender, Wayne)

Contact: Pam Hawkins, Craven SWCD—252-637-2547 ext. 3 (pamela.hawkins@nc.nacdnet.net)

Area 7-(Bladen, Columbus, Cumberland, Harnett, Hoke, Richmond, Robeson, Sampson, Scotland)

Contact: Kay Bullard, Cumberland SWCD—910-484-8479 (kay.bullard@nc.nacdnet.net)

Area 8-(Anson, Cabarrus, Cleveland, Davidson, Davie, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, Stanly, Union)

Contact: Andy Miller, Davidson SWCD—336-242-2075 (amiller@co.davidson.nc.us) .

AREA ENVIROTHONS COMPETITIONS – Dates & Places

Area 1 Envirothon—March/April 2010—Western North Carolina Research Station, Waynesville, NC

Area 2---Northwest Envirothon---March 25, 2010--- Edwin McGee Natural Resource Center, Wilkesboro

Area 3 --Piedmont Envirothon—March 24, 2010---Elon University, near Burlington, Alamance County

Area 4 Envirothon—March 26, 2010---Quail Roost Farm, Durham, NC

Area 5 & 6--Coastal Envirothon—March 23, 2010—Weyerhaeuser Cool Springs EE Center, Craven County

Area 7 Envirothon—March 31, 2010—Jones Lake State Park, near Elizabethtown, Bladen County

Area 8 Envirothon—March 23, 2010 (Middle School) & March 24, 2010 (High School) Catawba College's Environmental Education Center, Salisbury, Rowan County

Middle School Envirothon Rules

- . **Only** students in grades 5 through 8 are eligible to compete.
 - . All team members must be from the same school, home study group, scout group, or 4-H group.
 - . Each team will consist of no more than five members.
 - . Teams must be accompanied by an adult team advisor to the competition.
 - . During the Saturday testing competition, the advisors may not travel with the teams and shall not assist their teams in any manner. No advisors or spectators are allowed in testing areas on Saturday morning.
 - . No electronic recording, no digital cameras, no taping and no picture taking on Friday afternoon during training sessions. **No cell phones are allowed** at the resource stations.
 - . Advisors will be responsible to assure that teams display proper conduct during the competition and at the host facility. Team members, advisors, and guests will be respectful of everyone.
 - . Drugs and alcohol are NOT permitted during any part of the competition or on the park grounds.
 - . No clothing or other identification of local schools, towns, cities, or counties will be permitted at the resource stations.
0. All identification keys to be used will be furnished by the State Envirothon Committee. Biltmore sticks used in the competition will be provided to the teams at the Forestry Station.
 1. The winning team will be the team with the highest cumulative point total. Certain questions will be pre-selected as tiebreakers. The tied teams will have their pre-selected questions compared until the tie is broken.
 2. Rules & regulations of the Envirothon are subject to change. Any and all changes will be explained in advance to all teams and advisors.
 3. Once the teams are registered on the day of the event, alternates may not be substituted for team members unless it is an emergency. (Names listed on the pre-registration form may be changed prior to the event.) Each Middle School team can have no more than 2 alternates.
 4. The judges' decisions are final on all events.
 5. All grievances must be reported before final judging. The grievance committee will handle all grievances.
 6. Advisors must send each team members' medical and photo release forms to Area Envirothon Committee when registering for the Area Event.
 7. Each Area will submit **all registration and medical forms** with names of the team members **and score sheets** from that Area showing teams and members eligible to compete at the state competition along with a copy of the medical consent forms to the State Middle School Coordinator as soon as possible after the Area Competition.
 8. All teams must participate at an Area competition and be one of seven (7) top teams chosen to go to the state competition before competing in the state event. **Only the top 7 scoring teams will be allowed at the State Envirothon.**
 9. Substitutions may be made on a team selected to go to the state competition, but there must be at least three (3) original team members able to compete at the next level.
 0. Violations of these rules can result in the disqualification of a team or a lesser penalty

Area Envirothon Competition
Middle School Registration Form

Sponsor – required field: _____ S&W Conservation District

County: _____

School Name: _____

Team Name: _____

Team Members: _____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

_____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

_____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

_____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

_____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Alternate _____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Alternate _____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Team Advisor: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Address: _____

(School or Home) _____

EMAIL Address REQUIRED _____

Telephone # Home _____ School _____

Fax # _____

Please list any handicaps of students _____

If you do not know your team members now, go ahead and register and send their names later to your Area Envirothon. A \$50.00 participation fee is required for the top 7 teams for the State Envirothon. Please make your check out to the NC Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts (NCASWCD) and send it to Sandra Weitzel.

For more information, please call your District/Area contact or me!

Sandra Weitzel, Envirothon Middle School Coordinator Phone: 919-791-4310

3800 Barrett Drive

FAX: 919-571-4718

Raleigh, NC 27609

Email: (sandra.weitzel@ncdenr.gov)

Parental Consent/Medical Information Form
North Carolina Envirothon Program

Name of Student: _____

Home Address: _____

Parents' Name: _____

In case of emergency, we must be able to contact you. Please list a home and work phone number where you could be reached.

Father's Home# _____ Mother's Home # _____

Cell/Work: _____ Cell/Work: _____

All of the information below must be completed in full.

Allergies: _____

(Food, drugs, insects, etc.)

Special medical concerns or conditions we should know about: _____

(epilepsy, asthma, diabetes, old injuries to bones/joints, etc.)

Medication currently taking: _____

(dose and frequency)

Family physician:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Date of last tetanus booster: _____

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The law requires that parental permission be obtained for medical procedures performed on minors (under age 18). This consent form should be signed by the parents / legal guardians so that such procedures can be promptly carried out. We will make a genuine attempt to notify you in case of a serious emergency.

I, the undersigned parent/guardian of _____, hereby give permission to the attendant staff to perform such diagnostic, therapeutic, and operative procedures for him/her as they deem necessary, and refer him/her to a physician when deemed appropriate. I further give my permission to have my son/daughter treated by a physician and perform any diagnostic, therapeutic, and operative procedures they deem necessary. My child has my permission to participate in the Envirothon.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

Video/Picture Release Form

We will be filming/taking pictures at the Envirothon Event(s) throughout the day. Your child's presence at the event constitutes your acknowledgement & agreement to his/hers presence in any filming that may occur.

2009 Financial Sponsors

Areas 1 through 8, North Carolina Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts
NC Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts*
US Environmental Protection Agency*
Mallinckrodt, Inc.
Canon Corp.*
DENR-Division of Soil & Water Conservation*
Carolina Electric Cooperatives
Duke Power
N. C. Electric Membership Corp.*
Wake Stone Corporation
Eastern Farm Credit Associations
Carolina Farm Credit-Statesville*
Carolina Farm Credit-Fayetteville*
NC Soil & Water Conservation Society*
NC Peanut Growers Association
***Denotes contributions \$500 or greater**

Other Sponsors/Partners

Alamance County Parks & Recreation Department
NC Division of Soil & Water Conservation
NC Soil & Water Conservation District Employees Association
Mountain View Ruritan Club
NC Division of Forest Resources
NC Office of Environmental Education
NC Division of State Parks
NC Division of Water Resources
USDA -Natural Resources Conservation Service

Envirothon Steering Committee

Bruce Miller, Chairman
John Peeler, Vice-Chairman
Rich Hayes, district Supervisor
Steve Bennett, State Program Coordinator
Sandra Weitzel, Middle School Coordinator
Phil Ross, Host County Representative
Ralston James, Area Coordinator Representative
Jenny Parks, DEA Representative
Andy Smith, NRCS Representative
Jason Davis, FFA Representative
Rich Hayes - District Supervisor
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Lorraine Spears, Area 2 Rep (336-838-3622)

Janie Woodle, Area 2 Rep (336-372-4645)
Millie Langley, Area 3 Rep (336-375-5401)
Gail Hughes, Area 3 Rep (919-644-1079)
Charles Bass, Area 4 Rep (919-496-3137)
Susan Woodard, Area 4 Rep (919-934-7156)
Bryan Evans, Area 5 Rep (252-482-4127)
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Pam Hawkins, Area 6 Rep (252-637-2547)
Mamie Caison, Area 6 Rep (910-253-2830)
Kay Bullard, Area 7 Rep (910-484-8479)
Jo McPhatter, Area 7 Rep (910-739-5479)
Andy Miller, Area 8 Rep (336-242-2075)
Dennis Testerman, Area 8 Rep (704-336-2455)

Tentative Agenda
State Middle School Envirothon

April 23-24, 2010 (Friday-Saturday)

Cedarrock Park, Alamance County

ACTUAL TIMES MAY VARY

****NOTE --Middle School Agenda Varies From High School Agenda**

Friday

1:00-5:00	Registration
1:00-2:15	Recreational Activities and/or Nature Walks
1:30-2:30	Guide & Volunteers Orientation
2:30-2:55	Team Assembly & Final Instructions
3:00-6:15	Resource Station Training
6:15-7:15	Dinner

Saturday

8:00-9:15	Registration
8:00-9:00	Breakfast
8:15-9:00	Guide & Volunteer Orientation
9:15-9:45	Assembly & Final Instructions
9:45-12:15	Competition Testing at Resource Stations
10:15-11:30	Advisors' Resource Session
12:15-1:15	Lunch
12:15-1:15	View Test Questions & Answers
1:15-1:45	Awards Program

Burlington Area Motels

The Burlington Visitors Bureau has a web site where you can get information on hotel rooms and tourist attractions.
(www.burlington-area-nc.org)

EXIT #141

Best Western	(336) 584-0151	800/528/1234
Country Suites	(336) 584-1115	800/456/4000
Courtyard by Marriott	(336) 585-1888	800/321/2211
Hampton Inn	(336) 584-8585	800/Hampton
Comfort Inn	(336) 584-4447	800/228/5150
Super 8 Motel	(336) 584-8787	800/800/8000
Acorn Inn	(336) 585-0167	

EXIT #143

Ramada Inn	(336) 227-5541	800/2-Ramada
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EXIT #145** (Envirothon Exit)

America's Best Value Inn	(336) 227-3681	
La Quinta Inn of Burlington	(336) 229-5203	
Kirk's Motor Court	(336) 228-1383	
Microtel Inn & Suites	(336) 227-1515	888/771/7171
Motel 6	(336) 226-1325	800/466/8356
Econo Lodge	(336) 227-1270	800/553/2666
Scottish Inns	(336) 227-2003	800/247/4677

EXIT # 147

Affordable Efficiency Suites	(336) 229-0300	
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EXIT # 148

Travel Inn	(336) 228-0231	
Embers Motor Lodge	(336) 228-1366	
Hidden Lake Park Campground	(336) 578-5980	

EXIT # 150

Days Inn	(336) 578-2666	
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EXIT # 153

Hampton Inn of Mebane	(919)563-5400	
Holiday Inn Express	(919) 304-9900	

EXIT # 154

Budget Inn	(919) 563- 3513	
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BED & BREAKFAST

Country Meadows (EXIT 150)	(336) 578-5007	888/578/5007
The Mebane House (EXIT 154)	(919) 304-2566	
Morrow-Barnwell House (EXIT 145)	(336) 228-1340	
The Old place (EXIT # 153)	(919) 563- 1733	
Victorian Rose (EXIT 148)	(336) 578-5112	888/ROSE-841

To camp at Cedarock call Phil Ross at (336) 228-1753 x3 by April 18

These Soil & Water Conservation Districts can provide you with resources materials to study and may provide you with travel money to attend the Area or State Envirothon competitions.

Alamance

Soil & Water Conservation District
209 B W Graham-Hopedale Rd.
Burlington, NC 27217
(336) 228-1753

Anson SWCD

Christie Building
1706 Morven Rd.
Wadesboro, NC 28170
(704) 694-2710

Beaufort SWCD

Agricultural Building
155 Airport Rd.
Washington, NC 27889-4939
(252) 946-4989

Brunswick

Soil & Water Conservation District
10 Referendum Dr., P.O. Box 26
Bolivia, NC 28422-0026
(910) 253-2830

Cabarrus SWCD

County Agriculture Center, Room 301
715 Cabarrus Avenue West
Concord, NC 28025
(704) 920-3300

Carteret

Soil & Water Conservation District
P.O. Box 125, Rm. 120
Beaufort, NC 28516-0125
(252) 728-4078

Chatham

Soil & Water Conservation District
P.O. Box 309
Pittsboro, NC 27312
(919) 542-8240

Clay

Soil & Water Conservation District
P.O. Box 57
Hayesville, NC 28904
(828) 389-9764

Alexander SWCD

Alexander Co. Govt. Office Building
621 Liledoun Road, Box 10
Taylorsville, NC 28681
(828) 632-0638

Ashe

Soil & Water Conservation District
P.O. Box 88
Jefferson, NC 28640
(336) 246-5258

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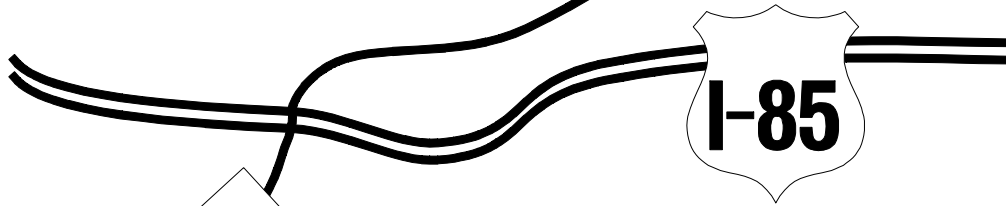
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Location of Envirothon
Cedarrock Park

Burlington

Graham



Bellmont



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Cedarrock Park Rd

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