

Agenda

Tuesday, September 20, 2011

3-4 p.m. CST

Call-in phone number: 877-784-6085 Passcode: 3388423

I. Introductions

Karla Sigala, Interpretive Specialist (karla_sigala@nps.gov, 402-661-1826)

Jill Hamilton-Anderson, Education Specialist (jill_hamilton_anderson@nps.gov, 402-661-1824)

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II. Trail Talk Purpose

- Connect interpreters/educators/volunteer managers
- Share ideas and resources
- Build relationships/networking
- Gather information/needs/happenings
- Communicate the current make-up and direction of the Trail

III. Guest Speaker(s) – Neal Bedlan, Outdoor Recreation Planner, Lewis and Clark NHT – *The Use of Active Recreation for Stewardship*



Neal works to enhance sustainable recreation on the Lewis and Clark NHT. Neal has been focused on the Lewis and Clark NHT auto tour route wayshowing, water trails and recreational trails. Neal is a firm believer in actively experiencing the Lewis and Clark NHT. He works with communities and organizations along the trail to promote recreation within the context of stewardship.

IV. Dialog with Partners

- Introductions of Participants: Name, Where you work, your position
 - Your experience with using recreation as a means to nurture a stewardship ethic. What are some strategies you have used through recreation?
- Think about questions for Neal
- Ideas on how this program could work for you.

V. Trail Notes

- A brainstorming of recreation opportunities present on the trail that lead to stewardship.... Let's come up with a list and we will put it all together to distribute with the meeting minutes!