



Itinerary for NAGT SW-Section Field Trip/Meeting

Saturday, November 5th, 2005

- 10am-4pm: **Field Trip:** Kartchner Caverns special event. Peruse either area (Rotunda and/or Big Room) at your leisure. Docents will be present around the caverns to answer questions and Arizona Highways photography teachers will be present to help you with taking photographs. Cost: \$20/person plus a non-commercial photograph waiver form (see next page). For more information on location & general info: <http://www.pr.state.az.us/Parks/parkhtml/kartchner.html>
- Other options post-Kartchner tour:
 - Hiking of trails around Kartchner Caverns
 - Tour of Copper Queen Mine
Tour Schedule: 9:00, 10:30, 12:00, 2:00, 3:30 - Daily
Tour Prices: Adults: \$8.00/Youth (7-11): \$3.50
Children (3-6) : \$2.00/Children under 3 : free
 - Walking/Dining in Downtown Bisbee

4pm: **Workshop** offered by Dave McConnell & Dave Steer: "*Conceptest Questions: A quick way to enhance teaching and learning*," **Brief Description:** You will learn how to develop and then use conceptest questions that you can use during your next class.

Participants should bring a current syllabus. Location: Adobe Campgrounds (10 miles Southwest of Bisbee) For more information on location: <http://www.doubleadobe.com>

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David McConnell and David Steer are Professor and Associate Professor, respectively, in the Department of Geology at the University of Akron.



Their research focuses on the development of resources to improve learning in large general education geoscience classes. The Davids have made more than fifty presentations of their research at professional meetings, workshops, and seminars, and together have received over \$1.2 million in funding for educational research projects from national and state agencies.

- 5:15 pm: **Talk** by Dave McConnell & Dave Steer: "*The Tourist, the Gunslinger, and the Gardener: Rethinking Metaphors of Teaching and Learning to Enhance Student Reasoning*" Location: Adobe Campgrounds
- 6:30pm: BBQ & social at the Adobe Campgrounds. Price: \$10/person (or bring your own grillables). Changing of the guard, Merry Wilson becomes SW-Section President. Merry and I will be camping at the campgrounds. If you desire a more luxurious experience, there are plenty of cool places to stay in Bisbee including the Copper Queen Hotel (<http://www.copperqueen.com/>) and the Inn at Castle Rock (<http://www.virtualcities.com/ons/az/b/azb3501.htm>).

Sunday, November 6th, 2005

- If there is interest, another field trip will be arranged

If interested in signing up for any or all activities, or have any questions, please contact Kaatje Kraft (480) 461-7054 or k.kraft@mail.mc.maricopa.edu or Merry Wilson (480) 423-6392 or merry.wilson@sccmail.mcmaricopa.edu **Please RSVP by October 28th**

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