

Middle Fork Willamette Watershed Council

Watershed Education Program



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- Elementary Program: Watershed Rangers Project
- New potential for Middle and High School program/collaboration
- Adult education and Outreach

Watershed Rangers Project

- Partnerships
- Curriculum
- Teacher Preparation
- Classroom Visits
- Field Trips
- Service Learning



Next Steps for WEP

- Middle and High School Projects
 - Mentoring, connections to Watershed Rangers
 - Service learning projects
 - Connecting to science studies, real data



Next Steps for WEP

- Adult Education
 - Developing a community presence
 - Outreach; website, brochure, workshops
 - Community-based service projects



Year in Review

Watershed Rangers 2008-09

The Numbers...

- 1726 Student contacts
- 382 students and 17 teachers served
- 11 Classes taking part in both field trips and service learning projects
- 1100 Volunteer hours contributed





Water Quality



Wildlife Habitat



Invasive Species



Forest Management

Watershed Rangers Outlook



- New Classes for 2009-10
 - Currently 15; more expected
- Differentiated Grade Level plan
- Maintain and Develop Partnerships
- Increase Public Awareness of WR Project
- Raise Funds
- Address the challenges of budget cuts in the schools

**Program Goal for 2010-11:
To offer Watershed Rangers to all 3rd-
6th grades in the Watershed**

**Fundraising Target:
\$10,000**







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