



PRESS RELEASE

Fraser Basin Council receives IHTEC's Watershed Peace Pathways Award for Sustainability Education.

On November 27th 2004, the Fraser Basin Council's Executive Director, David Marshall, received, on the Council's behalf, the International Holistic Tourism Education Centre - IHTEC's "Watershed Peace Pathways Award", for the outstanding achievement in advancing 'Sustainability' in the Fraser River Basin. BC, Canada. The success has been a team effort by many individuals.

The IHTEC WPP Award was presented by Desmond Berghofer, from the IHTEC Advisory Board. The presentation occurred at the 2004 State of the Fraser Basin "Sustainability Works" Conference held in Vancouver, BC on November 26 & 27, 2004.

IHTEC's President Julia Morton-Marr said "The children of the International School Peace Gardens who are focused on their Watershed Peace Pathways program are delighted with the example of the work achieved by the Fraser Basin Council and hope that the Fraser Basin Council's achievements will occur in every river basin around the world."

Mike Greco, Program Manager, Watershed Peace Pathways said, "If your school or community would like to become involved in the Watershed Peace Pathways Program, please visit IHTEC's website at <http://www.ihtec.org/index.php?id=17>. Watershed Peace Pathways is one of IHTEC's many programs focused on Global Sustainability Education (GSE) curriculum. IHTEC has developed many GSE modules around the International School Peace Gardens program, for teachers. These programs are to encourage students to become volunteers for community service, and to improving community sustainability."

IHTEC would also like to encourage all students and schools within the Fraser Basin to become involved in our programs and to achieve the school Watershed Peace Pathway Award and logo pin and certificate. All worthy schools, students and individuals who have worked through any of the IHTEC programs will have earned the right to such gratifying and motivational recognition.

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