



Artists, Naturalists and Concerned Citizens come together for a Winter Celebration of Pure Water in the Central Catskills

February 11-13, 2011

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SnowFlow is a collaborative event between several organizations interested in creativity, sustainability and organizational awareness. Our shared concerns regarding environmental issues and the increased frequency of global catastrophes have focused our efforts into establishing ongoing projects that raise public awareness and bring together artists, activists, naturalists and concerned citizens to inform, support and energize participants into making a difference. The main initiative for SnowFlow is to bridge **water rights** activism between the Hudson and Delaware River Valleys in relation to **natural gas extraction, hydraulic fracturing, peak water and the foodshed**.

SnowFlow will be held the weekend of **February 11-13, 2011** at the **Full Moon Resort** located within the Catskill State Park and Forest Preserve. This region serves as both the main contributor to the New York City watershed and as the headwaters to the Delaware River, recently declared the "Nation's Most Endangered River."

Saturday will feature outdoor activities, art, music and constructive dialogues to produce and document a variety of works focused on water in its most crystallized form – **Snow!** Events will be broadcast live on **free103point9's WGXC**. During the day, **SnowFlow-ers** will cascade down the slopes of nearby **Belleayre Mountain** and engage in parallel artistic interventions and snow shelter building competitions at the **Full Moon Resort**. The festivities will continue into the evening with a regional Catskill foodshed specialties dinner followed by musical performances curated by **Electronic Music Foundation** and **ISSUE Project Room** and featuring **Pauline Oliveros, Miguel Frascioni, Suzanne Thorpe** and **Tianna Kennedy with Hannah Marcus**.

Green Bus Tour will be providing transportation to and from New York City.

For participating organizations, registration information and the schedule of events, please visit SnowFlow.org and for further information, contact **Andrea Reynosa** at AREynosa@SkyDogProjects.com or **845-252-3518**.



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Registration:

Individuals participating in SnowFlow must register in advance and early registration is recommended for the SnowFlow dinner as well as accommodations at the Full Moon Resort. Pricing with or without lodging is available. The all-inclusive packages at Full Moon include lodging, meals and the evening performances. Costs associated with transportation, skiing and snowshoeing are additional. The deadline for SnowFlow accommodations is February 1st and for attending the evening activities is February 4th. Please see SnowFlow.org for further details.

Event Schedule:

Friday, February 11: Advance arrivals & dinner at the Full Moon Resort

Saturday, February 12:

Belleayre Mountain

9 am - 4 pm: SnowFlow Skiing

Full Moon Resort

9 am - 4 pm: Cross Country Skiing and Snow Shoeing

Snow Shelter Building Juried Competition

Director: Matt Bua, Jurors: Linda Weintraub, Alan Baer and David Cook

Radio Broadcasts with free103point9's WGXC

5:30 - 7pm: Cocktail Reception with open bar (cash bar thereafter)

Interviews with Sabrina Artel's Trailer Talk

7 - 9 pm: Catskill Foodshed Dinner featuring local seasonal menu crafted by the Full Moon Resort's Executive Chef Adam Kowalsky

Dialogue Box Conversations addressing Peak Water & Regional Foodshed issues as related to Hydrofracking

9 - 12 pm: Musical Performances curated by Electronic Music Foundation and ISSUE Project Room featuring Pauline Oliveros, Miguel Frasoni, Suzanne Thorpe and Tianna Kennedy with Hannah Marcus

Sunday, February 13:

10 am: SnowFlow Wrap-up
Pure Water Blessing & Snow Shelter Award Ceremony

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Participating artists and organizations:

Organizations

SkyDog Projects
www.skydogprojects.com

Not An Alternative
thechangeyouwanttosee.com
www.notanalternative.org

ISSUE Project Room
www.issueprojectroom.org

Electronic Music Foundation
www.emf.org

Free103point9's WGXC
Community Radio
free103point9.org
www.wgxc.org

Ecoartspace
www.ecoartspace.org

Exit Art
www.exitart.org

Mildred's Lane
www.mildredslane.com

North American Cultural
Laboratory
www.nacl.org

Catskill Citizens for Safe Energy
www.catskillcitizens.org

Catskill Mountainkeeper
www.catskillmountainkeeper.org

Chenango Delaware Otsego
Gas Opposition Group
un-naturalgas.org

Damascus Citizens for
Sustainability
www.damascuscitizens.org

Earthworks Oil & Gas
Accountability Project
www.earthworksaction.org/oil_and_gas.cfm

FRACKAlert
www.frackalert.org

Natural Resources Defense
Council
www.nrdc.org

Artists

Pauline Oliveros
paulineoliveros.us

Miguel Frasconi
frasconimusic.com/blog

Suzanne Thorpe
www.suzannethorpe.com

Tianna Kennedy
www.free103point9.org/artists/10

Hannah Marcus
www.hannahmarcus.org

Sabrina Artel, Trailer Talk
www.sabrinaartel.com

Matt Bua
www.free103point9.org/artists/22

Linda Weintraub
lindaweintraub.com

Alan Baer
www.alanbaer.net

David Cook
www.e-architect.co.uk/new_york/croton_plant_bronx.htm

Businesses

The Anthill Farm
www.theanthillfarm.com

Apple Pond Farm
www.applepondfarm.com

Calkins Creamery
www.calkinscreamery.com

Callicoon Fine Arts
www.callicoonfinearts.com

Catskill Harvest Market
www.catskillharvest.com

Delaware Phoenix Distillery
www.delawarephoenix.com

Dyberry Weaver
dyberryweaver.com

Flour Power Bakery
www.flourpowerbakery.net

Green Bus Tour
www.greenbustour.com

The Homestead School
www.homesteadschool.com

Narrowsburg Fine Wines

Narrowsburg Roasters

Neversink Farm
www.neversinkfarm.com

Pepacton Natural Foods
www.pepactonnaturalfoods.com

Pure Catskills
www.purecatskills.com

River Brook Farm

Slope Farms
www.slopefarms.com

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Willow Wisp Organic Farm
www.willowwisporganic.com