

December 10, 2009
New Brunswick Environmental Network

Communities Across New Brunswick Participating in Global Day of Action and Demonstrations on Climate Change

The Global Day of Action and Demonstrations on Climate Change has engaged many New Brunswickers and moved them to action this weekend. A number of communities and citizens' groups are concerned about climate change and the governments' response to the issue. Events are planned in five communities across the province. For details on actions in specific communities, see below or visit <http://www.nben.ca/change/>.

The Global Day of Action and Demonstrations on Climate Change will be held on December 12, 2009, which coincides with the United Nations climate change talks in Copenhagen, Denmark on December 7-18, 2009. Synchronized demonstrations will be held around the world to call on world leaders to take urgent action on climate change.

Community Actions:

Fredericton

Event 1: Rally Date & Time: Saturday, December 12, 12:00 pm Place: George Street (across from the Farmers' Market) Contact: Julie Michaud, Conservation Council of NB, efficiency@conservationcouncil.ca, 458-8747

Event 2: Free screening of Yann Arthus Bertrand's film HOME Date & Time: Saturday, December 12, 1:00 pm Place: Conserver House, 180 St. John Street (just around the corner from the Farmers' Market) Contact: Julie Michaud, Conservation Council of NB, efficiency@conservationcouncil.ca, 458-8747

Event 3: Candellight Vigil Date & Time: Saturday, December 12, 5:00 pm Place: In front of City Hall Contact: Marylynn Coté, Students for Sustainability, 260-9803, marylynn@stu.ca

Grand Falls

Event: Energy-saving Competitions Time: Friday, December 11 Place: Polyvalente Thomas-Albert Contact: Alec Bass, 473-8302, abasovsky@yahoo.ca

Moncton

Event 1: Rally Date & Time: Saturday, December 12, 12:30 pm Place: Moncton City Hall Contact: Conservation Council of New Brunswick South-east Chapter, ccnbsoutheast@gmail.com, 859-910

Event 2: Vigil for a Real Deal Date & Time: Saturday, December 12, 5:30 pm Place: Main Street
Contact: Georgia Ross

Sackville

Event: Church Bells for Climate Change Date & Time: Sunday, December 13, 12:00pm Place:
Various locations around Sackville Contact: Judith Colwell, Sackville United Church, 536-0998

Saint John

Event: Candlelight Vigil Date & Time: Saturday, December 12, 5:00 pm Place: King Square on
Charlotte Street Contact: Jane Wilson, Saint John Federal Green Party Association, 642-3765,
janewilson42@yahoo.ca

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