

Big Sioux Water Festival

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

On the campus of South Dakota State University



Providing water education
to area 4th graders through
hands-on activities, experiments,
and exhibits.

...in its 25th Year!

Festival Facts:

- ◆ The Big Sioux Water Festival is a national model festival.
- ◆ It is the largest one-day festival in the state.
- ◆ The Big Sioux Water Festival has been the 2nd longest running water festival in the state.
- ◆ This year 1,175 fourth grade students and 174 parents and teachers are attending from 31 area schools.
- ◆ More than 40 presenters from South Dakota and Minnesota lead the festival activities and experiments.
- ◆ Approximately 200 people from surrounding communities volunteer for this event.
- ◆ This event is made possible by donations from numerous companies, organizations, and groups supporting this program.
- ◆ The festival is supported by national, state, & local organizations.

Fostering Awareness:

The Big Sioux Water Festival fosters awareness of our most valuable resource: **WATER**. It is an opportunity for fourth grade students to learn more about water issues and how they can do their part in protecting the environment. The festival provides hands-on, interactive activities to demonstrate how water impacts our lives and the importance of clean water for all living things now and into the future.



Interested in volunteering?

Want more information?

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