

NRES WEEKLY NEWS September 16 - 23, 2005

A newsletter for faculty, staff and students who participate in the Natural Resources & Environmental Studies Institute and NRES Graduate Programs

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

NRES / CSAM RESEARCH COLLOQUIUM SERIES



DR. BRIAN BOGDANSKI

Natural Resources Canada Canadian Forest Service

"BOREAL FOREST SECTOR: ECONOMIC ISSUES AND RESEARCH NEEDS"

Date: Friday, September 23, 2005

Time: 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Place: Lecture Theatre 9 - 200 (Medical Building)

Light Refreshments served at 3:15 pm

NEWS FROM THE TEACHING GREENHOUSE

• Faculty, we are looking to diversify the botanical collection in the teaching greenhouse, 4-428. If you have any specific plants you would like to see in the collection please contact either one of us in the next week or two as we will be placing an order before the end of the month. Also, please think about what plants you will need for the Winter semester and submit your plant requests early!

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APPOINTMENT

• Oscar Garcia has been elected to a new Forest Invest Account - Forest Science Program (FIA-FSP) Growth & Yield Technical Committee (GYTC).

CONGRATULATIONS!

 On September 14th the RRT program hosted the RRT Amazing Race for all UNBC students and alumni. Seventeen teams of 2

participated in eight physical and mental challenges and all teams completed the race.



Amazing Race Volunteers

Adam Leavitt and Andrew Letts (RRT seniors) completed the race with the winning time of 45



Winners of the Amazing Race: Adam and Andrew

minutes and will be off to Smithers for a weekend of skiing. Thanks to RRT and Geography students, faculty and graduates who

helped out. The event was such a

success we plan to host it every year.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DOUG LITTLE MEMORIAL LECTURE

Guest Lecturer:

Dr. David Lindenmayer

When: Thursday, September 29,

7:30 pm

Where: Canfor Theatre, Room

6-213

Who: Everyone is invited to at-

tend



NRES RESEARCH FORUM

Please join us for an NRES Research Forum and Social at the University of Northern British Columbia on Friday, September 30 from 2:30 - 5:30 pm in the Bentley Hallway. Faculty and Graduate students from the Natural Resources and Environmental Studies programs are invited to attend the event and present their latest research findings in poster presentations. The symposium offers an opportunity for students to present research projects to their peers and faculty, and provides a venue for faculty to learn more about students' research.

Guest Speaker: **Dr. Max Blouw**, VP Research

UNBC