



# Shenandoah Valley Pure Water Forum

Presents

## *Educating Our Way to a Healthier Bay: The Role of Educators in Improving Water Quality in the Shenandoah River*

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**James Madison University's Festival Ballroom**

**No registration fees and we provide lunch!**

**Qualifies for Continuing Education Credits**

### Agenda:

- 9:30 – 10:00 Registration (light refreshments provided)
- 10:00 – 10:15 Welcome
- 10:15 – 10:35 *Elementary School* – Laura Neftel, Peak View Elementary School  
“Peak at the Bay” pilot project for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders
- 10:35 – 10:55 *High School* – Kara Bates, Massanutten Regional Governors School  
Problem Based Learning - How Students Get Their Feet Wet & Learn About Water Quality
- 10:55 – 11:15 *University* – Eldon Kurtz, Eastern Mennonite University  
Sustainability and Storm Water Management at Eastern Mennonite University:  
Learning through participation in a NFWF grant
- 11:15 – 11:35 *Educating the Educators* – Cindy Frenzel, Friends of North Fork Shenandoah River
- 11:35 – 11:55 *State of the Forum* – Otis Bilkins, Shenandoah Valley Pure Water Forum
- 11:55 – 12:45 Lunch
- 1:00 – 3:00 Field activities
  - Poster presentations of JMU student and faculty water and watershed research
  - Tour of new JMU Bioscience building
  - Tour of JMU water conservation features
  - More

***Please make your reservation with Tara Sieber by October 1  
(540) 574-7870 or Tara.Sieber@deq.virginia.gov***

**PARKING** is in the CONVOCATION CENTER parking lot. Even though the lot is within fairly easy walking distance, we will have a shuttle bus running from:

9:15 – 10:15 AM

12:30 – 1:30 PM

2:30 – 3:30 PM