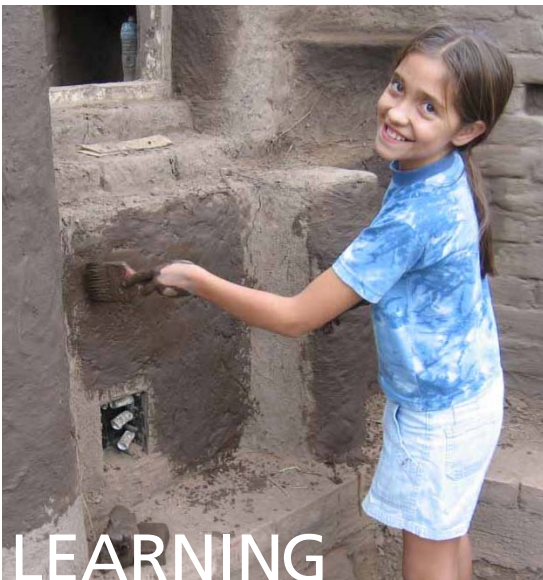


FIRST ANNUAL



ASHEVILLE BUILDING CONVERGENCE

Celebrating Sustainability
June 19–21, 2008



LEARNING



BUILDING



CELEBRATING

WHAT: The first annual Asheville Building Convergence (ABC) is a three-day celebration and citywide collaboration of local communities building sustainable solutions for the city, the land, and the people of Asheville.

HOW: There will be hands-on sustainability projects throughout the city, presentations by nationally renowned and local pioneers, a town meeting based on vision and action planning, community potlucks, local music and arts, a summer solstice celebration, and much more.

WHEN: Thursday, June 19th – Saturday, June 21st.

WHERE: Events and projects will be hosted at multiple sites throughout Asheville.

WHO: Everyone is welcome to participate! The ABC is being organized by a partnership of at least 30 local groups, community leaders, and businesses in collaboration with already existing on-the-ground initiatives. Along with all the local involvement, we will be joined by internationally renowned guests: City Repair (from Portland, OR); Starhawk; Julia Butterfly Hill; and others.

WHY: Asheville is at a crossroads socially, ecologically, economically, and spiritually. We face important choices for how to grow our community mindfully. In a town with so much already in motion there's no need to reinvent wheels or duplicate efforts. Our aim is to synergize our collective wisdom and strength to move our visions into action together. This is an opportunity for Asheville to experience and create living models of sustainable, regenerative culture while building cohesion amongst us.

No pre-registration is required.

Get Involved! For more info:

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Finding time to dream is not a luxury, but a necessity for our survival... Finding time to act on our collective dreams takes wisdom, intention and assets that are readily available to us in our community.