



ANREP Awards 2004

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Thanks to this year's Awards Committee
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ANREP Meritorious Service Award goes to **Larry E. Biles** for his visionary leadership, enthusiastic support and strategic guidance through the formative years and growth of ANREP.

ANREP Meritorious Service Award goes to **Ben Jackson** for his energy, enthusiasm and commitment to representing important regional constituencies and leading strategic activities of ANREP.

ANREP Meritorious Service Award goes to **Viviane Simon-Brown** for her energy, enthusiasm and commitment to representing important regional constituencies and leading strategic activities of ANREP.

2004 Career Leadership Award to **Gretchen Ferenz** of Cornell University Cooperative Extension in recognition of leadership and excellence in planning, designing, delivering, and evaluating Extension natural resources programs throughout her career. Her educational programs focus on natural resources and the environment, primarily in the New York City area.

2004 Early Career Leadership Award to **Eli Sagor** of the University of Minnesota Extension Service in recognition of leadership and excellence in planning, designing, delivering, and evaluating Extension natural resources programs early in his career. His educational programs focus on improving management of non-industrial private forest lands in Minnesota.

2004 Individual Program Leadership Award to **James Clark** of Pennsylvania State University Cooperative Extension of McKean County in recognition of his leadership and excellence in planning, designing, delivering, and evaluating a specific Extension natural resources program, Pennsylvania CleanWays of McKean County.

2004 Innovative Program Award to **Rehabilitating the Chesapeake Bay Landscape One Garden at a Time**, a Maryland Cooperative Extension program, in recognition of an innovative Extension natural resources program that is unique, cutting edge, risk-taking, and that succeeds in meeting its objectives. Program principals John W. Foerster and Donald Lipscomb, Maryland Cooperative Extension, and Stephen G. Barry, Arlington (Maryland) Echo Outdoor Education Center.

2004 Outstanding Team Award to the **Ohio Woodland Stewards Team** of Ohio State University Extension in recognition of their achievements as an interdisciplinary, interagency team that exhibits leadership and excellence in planning, designing, delivering, and evaluating an Extension natural resources program. Team members are Kathy Smith, David Apsley, Stan Gehrt, Gary Graham, Randy Heiligmann, Ron Miller, Stephen Schumacher, Barry Ward, and Katie Wiltz, Ohio State University Extension; Tom Berger and Martin Joyce, Ohio Department of Natural Resources; and Bob Romig, Ohio Forestry Association.

2004 Partner Award to **Stephen G. Barry**, Coordinator of Outdoor Education and Principal, Arlington (Maryland) Echo Outdoor Education Center, Anne Arundel County Public Schools, in recognition of his outstanding support to the Master Gardener program of Anne Arundel County Extension, a natural resources programs in which ANREP members participate.

2002 Educational Materials Awards

ANREP is honoring 25 educational materials produced in 2002 under the leadership of our members. At least three judges evaluated each material for usefulness to a target audience, innovation, and potential educational impact. Judging of 2002 nominees was done by ANREP members in New York and elsewhere, led by Bruce Wilkins.

Long Publication – In recognition of a publication with 25 or more pages that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to Home Landscaping Guide for Lake Tahoe and Vicinity, 2002 Edition by ANREP members John Cobourn, JoAnne Skelly, and Ed Smith, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Silver to Guide to Buffers in the Blue River Basin, Nebraska by ANREP member Scott Josiah, University of Nebraska Cooperative Extension

Bronze to Fire in Oregon by ANREP member Stephen Fitzgerald, Oregon State University Extension Service

Short Publication – In recognition of a publication with less than 25 pages that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to Public Issues Education by ANREP member Loretta Singletary, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Silver to Nutrient Management in Kentucky by the Nutrient Management Focus Group (ANREP members Amanda Abnee and J. Henry Duncan), University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service

Bronze to A Birds Eye View by ANREP member Mark Hostetler, University of Florida Cooperative Extension

Newsletter – In recognition of a newsletter that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to The W.E.T. Look by ANREP members Daniel Fagerlie and Carolyn Blake, Washington State University Cooperative Extension

Silver to Utah Forest News by ANREP member Darren McAvoy, Utah State University Extension

Bronze (tie) to Ohio Woodlands, Watershed, & Wildlife Newsletter by ANREP member Kathy Smith, Ohio State University Extension

Bronze (tie) to High Desert Gardening by ANREP member Amy Jo Waldo, Oregon State University Extension Service

Series of Articles – In recognition of a series of articles that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to Biscayne Bay Bubbles by ANREP member Marella Crane, University of Florida Sea Grant Extension

Silver to From the Woods by ANREP member Sanford Smith, Pennsylvania State University Cooperative Extension

Web Page – In recognition of a web page that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to **Sustainable Forestry Teachers Resources Center Web Site (sftrc.cas.psu.edu)** by ANREP member Sanford Smith, Pennsylvania State University Cooperative Extension

Silver to **MoWIN (outreach.missouri.edu/mowin)** by ANREP member Tabitha Madzura, University of Missouri Extension

Bronze to **Forest and Wildlife Education (www.naturalresources.umd.edu)** by ANREP member Jonathan Kays, Maryland Cooperative Extension

Video/DVD, Television (categories combined) – In recognition of a video/DVD or television broadcast that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to **Culverts: Not Just Something to Pass Over** (video) by ANREP members Mike Kroenke and John Haack, University of Wisconsin Extension

Silver to **String of Pearls** (video and CD) by ANREP member Cathy Techtmann, University of Wisconsin Extension

Bronze to **If Plants Could Talk** (TV series) by ANREP members William T. Hlubik, Nick Polanin, Madeline Flahive DiNardo, Rich Weidman, James Marko, and David Smela, Rutgers Cooperative Extension

Promotional Materials – In recognition of promotional materials that are outstanding Extension natural resources educational materials.

Gold to **2003 Litter Reduction Calendar** by ANREP member Kenneth Gioeli, University of Florida Cooperative Extension

Silver to **Stash Your Trash Bucket** by ANREP member Marella Crane, University of Florida Sea Grant Extension

Bronze (tie) to **4-H Wild Outside** by ANREP member Virginia Bourdeau, Oregon State University Extension Service

Bronze (tie) to **Best Practices for Environmental Field Days** by ANREP members Aimee Anderson, John Bilotta, Rob Blair, Stephan Carlson, Barb Liukkonen, Valerie Malmquist, Nate Meyer, Kent Montgomery, Karen Ostlie, Amy Rager, University of Minnesota Extension Service

Mixed Materials – In recognition of mixed educational and promotional materials that are outstanding Extension natural resources educational materials.

Gold to **Living with Fire** by ANREP members Ed Smith and JoAnne Skelly, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Silver to **4-H Wildlife Stewards Visitor** by ANREP member Maureen Hosty, Oregon State University Extension Service

Bronze to **Water: Assessing the Risks** by ANREP members Robert Williamson and Ellen Smoak, North Carolina A&T University

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Long Publication – In recognition of a publication with 25 or more pages that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to *Calming the Waters: Learning to Manage Water Conflict in the West* by ANREP member Loretta Singletary, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Silver to *Field Guide to Grasshoppers of Economic Importance in Nevada* by ANREP members JoAnne Skelly, Wayne Johnson, and Willie Riggs, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Bronze to *4-H Wildlife Manuals* by ANREP members Natalie Carroll and Brian Miller, Purdue University Extension

Short Publication – In recognition of a publication with less than 25 pages that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to *Conducting a Successful Timber Sale - A Primer for Landowners* by ANREP members Mark Rickenbach and Bruce Webendorfer, University of Wisconsin Extension

Silver to *Ice Safety* by ANREP member Gary W. Graham, Ohio State University Extension

Bronze to *Ponds and Legal Liability in Ohio* by ANREP member Gary W. Graham, Ohio State University Extension

Newsletter/Series of Articles – In recognition of a newsletter or series of articles that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to *Tree Topics* by ANREP member Adam Downing, Virginia Cooperative Extension

Silver to *Lake Tahoe Environmental Education Coalition Newsletter* by ANREP members Heather Segale and John Cobourn, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Bronze to *DIGGINGS - Discovering a Sense of Place in Pend Oreille County* by ANREP member Carol Mack, Washington State University Extension

Web Page – In recognition of a web page that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to *Everything Wildlife (www.agriculture.purdue.edu/fnr/wildlife)* by ANREP members Brian MacGowan and Brian Miller, Purdue University Extension

Silver to *Utah State University Forestry Extension Web Site (extension.usu.edu/forestry)* by ANREP members Darren McAvoy and Michael Kuhns, Utah State University Extension

Bronze to *Restoring New Jersey Riparian Forest Buffers (www.rce.rutgers.edu/njriparianforestbuffers)* by ANREP member Mark Vodak, Rutgers Cooperative Extension

Computerized Graphics Presentation – In recognition of a computerized graphics presentation that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold Award to **Living on the Land: Stewardship for Small Acreages** by ANREP members Susan Donaldson and Sherman Swanson, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension; Holly George, University of California Cooperative Extension; Hudson Minshew, Oregon State University Extension Service; and Douglas Stienbarger, Washington State University Cooperative Extension

Silver to **Wanted: Asian Longhorned Beetle** by ANREP member Nicholas Polanin, Rutgers Cooperative Extension

Bronze to **Prescribed Burning: The Who, What, When, Where, and Why of Burning** by ANREP member Andrew Londo, Mississippi State University Extension Service

Computer Software – In recognition of computer software that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to **Exploring Arizona's Natural Resources** by ANREP members Kim McReynolds and Susan Pater, University of Arizona Cooperative Extension

Video/DVD – In recognition of a video/DVD that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to **Resource Rangers** by ANREP members Andrew Diller and Christina Verlinde, University of Florida Sea Grant Extension

Silver to **Riparian Buffers: Restoring and Managing New Jersey's Streamside Forests** by ANREP member Mark Vodak, Rutgers Cooperative Extension

Television/Videoconference – In recognition of a television broadcast/video-conference that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to **The Lake Tahoe Report** by ANREP members Heather Segale and John Cobourn, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Radio – In recognition of a radio program that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to **Fireplace Safety** by ANREP member Andrew Londo, Mississippi State University Extension Service

Silver to **Christmas Tree PSA** by ANREP member Adam Downing, Virginia Cooperative Extension

Bronze to **Penn's Woods of the 21st Century** by ANREP members Sanford Smith and James C. Finley, Pennsylvania State University Cooperative Extension

Promotional Materials – In recognition of promotional materials that are outstanding Extension natural resources educational materials.

Gold to **Lake Tahoe Basin Weed Coordinating Group Public Outreach Campaign** by ANREP member Susan Donaldson, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Silver to Landowners Woods & Wildlife Conference by ANREP member Adam Downing, Virginia Cooperative Extension

Bronze to Shoreland Education Program by ANREP members Eleanor Burkett, Mary Blickenderfer, Cindy Hagley, and Barb Liukkonen University of Minnesota Extension Service

Mixed Materials – In recognition of mixed educational and promotional materials that are outstanding Extension natural resources educational materials.

Gold to Living With Fire in the Big Sagebrush/Grass Environment by ANREP members JoAnne Skelly and Ed Smith, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension

Silver to Businesses Providing Safe Drinking Water by ANREP members Susan Darling, Deborah Grantham, and Amy Samuels, Cornell University Cooperative Extension

Refereed Journal Article – In recognition of a refereed journal article that is an outstanding Extension natural resources educational material.

Gold to Evaluating Mississippi Non-industrial Private Forest Landowners' Acceptance of an Interactive Video Short Course by ANREP members Andrew Londo and Debbie Gaddis, Mississippi State University Extension Service (Londo, A. J., and D. A. Gaddis. 2003. Journal of Extension 41(5); www.joe.org/joe/2003october/rb4.shtml)

Silver to Community Planning for Floods in Arid Regions by ANREP members John Cobourn and Steve Lewis, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension (Cobourn, J. and S.R. Lewis. 2003. Water Resources Impact 5(3)4-9)

Bronze to Saving Utah Water in the Fifth Year of Drought by ANREP member Earl Jackson, Utah State University Extension (Jackson, E. 2003. Proceedings, National Irrigation Association. Paper ID: IA03-0461)

2004 ANREP Conference Poster Presentation Awards

Posters presented at the 2004 ANREP Conference in West Virginia were judged for quality, presentation, and content. Gold, silver, and bronze awards were given to posters on each day, selected by a team of eight judges.

Monday Poster Awards

Gold to Using a “Welcome Wagon” Approach to Reach New Woodland Landowners by David Apsley, Scott Bagley, Rory Lewandowski, David Samples, and Tracey White, Ohio State University Extension

Silver to Down and Dirty: A Partnership in Applied Learning by John Foerster, Anne Arundel County (MD) Cooperative Extension; Stephen Barry, Anne Arundel County Public Schools; and Donald Lipscomb, Carroll County (MD) Cooperative Extension

Bronze to Using Electrofishing Demonstrations as a Non-confrontational Teaching Method for Watershed Education by J.P. Lieser, Ohio State University Extension

Tuesday Poster Awards

Gold to Giving Forests a Hand in Walton County, Florida by L. Scott Jackson, Kimberley McDonald, Sheila Dunning, Michael Goodchild, and Martha Monroe, University of Florida Extension

Silver to Virginia's Forest Landowner Education Program by Shawn Baker, and James Johnson, Virginia Tech Extension

Bronze to Nevada Burning: A Prime-time Television Special by Ed Smith, University of Nevada Extension