



Palouse-Clearwater Environmental Institute

NATIONAL DAYS OF SERVICE

Member must create or participate in service hours on these days. Upon completion of each National Day of Service, members must complete a Service Project Completion Report.

Make a Difference Day

Saturday, October 27, 2007

<http://www.usaweekend.com/diffday/aboutmadd.html>

Make A Difference Day is the most encompassing national day of helping others -- a celebration of neighbors helping neighbors. Everyone can participate. Created by USA WEEKEND Magazine, Make A Difference Day is an annual event that takes place on the fourth Saturday of every October.

Martin Luther King Jr. Day in January

Monday, January 21, 2008

<http://www.mlkday.gov/>

In 1994 Congress passed the King Holiday and Service Act, designating the King Holiday as a national day of volunteer service. Instead of a day off from work or school, Congress asked Americans of all backgrounds and ages to celebrate Dr. King's legacy by turning community concerns into citizen action. The King Day of Service brings together people who might not ordinarily meet, breaks down barriers that have divided us in the past, leads to better understanding and ongoing relationships, and is an opportunity to recruit new volunteers for your ongoing work.

Although the scope of the event grows every year, many people still are not aware of the service component of the holiday. By encouraging the participation of as many organizations as possible, we hope to make next year's King Day of Service the biggest and best ever.

On this day, Americans of every age and background celebrate Dr. King through service projects that:

- Strengthen Communities
- Empower Individuals
- Bridge Barriers

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Earth Day & Youth Service Day

Sunday, April 22, 2008

Earth Day is a time to celebrate gains we have made and create new visions to accelerate environmental progress. Earth Day is a time to unite around new actions. Earth Day and every day is a time to act to protect our planet

Millions of youth will participate in National & Global Youth Service Day, the largest service event in the world, on April 25-27, 2008. They will tutor young children, engage in disaster relief, register new voters, educate their communities about good nutrition, distribute HIV/AIDS prevention materials and meet many more community needs through their service. National & Global Youth Service Day supports youth on a life-long path of service and civic engagement, and educates the public, the media, and elected officials about the role of youth as community leaders.

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