Rockin’ Around New Mexico 2004
Albuquerque, July 7-8-9

Course Schedule

Day 1: Wednesday, July 7th
7:00 am  Registration at Winrock Inn; load bus at 7:45
8:00 am  Bus ride to Sandia Mountain Natural History Center
8:30    Arrive at SMNH Center
8:45    Introductions, MST details, etc.
9:00-9:45  Hot Topics I  **Sustainability, Bill Chavez**
9:45 -10:30 Hot Topics II  **Earthquakes, Bill Chavez, Dave Love**
10:30 – 12:00 **Name That Rock, Lynn Heizler**
Mineral ID, Virginia McLemore
Playing with Optical Mineralogy (for experts,) Patty Frisch
Easy Make and Break Rocks (elementary k-5), Patty Jackson Paul
12:00: 12:30 Lunch (deli lunch; make your own sandwich or salad)
12:30 - 2:00  On Bus; head north through Madrid
Overview of Coal deposits and mining history, Gretchen Hoffman
2:00-4:00  Tour of Cunningham Hill mine
4:00 pm  On bus, return by same route to hotel
6:00 pm  Arrive at hotel (dinner on your own)

Day 2: Thursday, July 8th
7:30 am  Meet bus at hotel, load bus
8:00 am  Depart for Cement Plant, Tijeras
11:00 am Depart Cement Plant
11:30 am Arrive at Tram Station; distribute sack lunches
Board Tram for 15-minute ride in two groups
11:30-noon  Arrive at Sandia Peak; eat lunches, etc.
12:00-2:00 **Geology class (Bill Chavez, staff)**
2:00-2:30 Board tram for 15-minute ride in 2 groups
3:00    Load bus; depart for Winrock Inn
3:30-5:30  Arrive at hotel
Presentation on seismology, Albuquerque Seismological Laboratory
Preview of volcanoes, Nelia Dunbar
5:30    Dinner on your own
Day 3: Friday, July 9th

7:30 am  Meet bus at hotel, load bus
8:00 am  Depart for Albuquerque Volcanoes
8:30 am  Arrive at Volcanoes
8:30 –10:30 Volcano class and short hike, Nelia Dunbar, Larry Crumpler, Jayne Aubele
10:45  Load bus, depart for Old Town
11:15 am  Lunch at High Noon Restaurant, Old Town; lunch speaker
1:30-3:00  Walk over to Museum of Natural History and Science for Planetary Exploration, Jayne Aubele, Larry Crumpler
3:00  Load bus; wrap up, evaluations on bus
3:30 pm  Arrive at Winrock Inn; depart for home
(Those teachers who are eligible will stay and fill out travel forms with NM Department of Public Safety, Emergency Management Services)