

2004-05 SCB Davis Activity Summary

Restoration

- “Many Hands Oak Project”

Education (outreach and self-education)

Outreach:

- Oak seedling – restoration, education 2 plantings Feb and March; involvement of local schoolchildren and community members
- Endangered species presentations to local schools.
- Sister Chapter – Bolivia – education exchange
- Picnic Day Booth – provide information on SCB Davis Chapter to the campus community

Self-education:

- Proposition Potluck – preparation for the November elections and voting on local/regional issues that have environmental relevance

Seminars/guest speakers

- Conservation Biology undergraduate seminar
- “Conservation Biology in the Anthropocene” graduate seminar --sponsored speakers and Ph.D. exit seminars
- Sponsored speakers:
 - Saaerom Park from Defenders of Wildlife – seminar on the ESA and upcoming threats, strategies
 - Holly Doremus – Prospects for ESA reform in the 109th congress
 - Andrew Fulks – Virtual Tour of Putah and Cache creeks
 - Dr. Hugo Riemann --Distribution patterns and hotspots of the vascular endemic flora of the peninsula of Baja California, Mexico.
 - Dr. Brian Czech – steady state economy; academic and WEF talks

Sponsored Movies

- Being Caribou – Arctic National Wildlife Refuge
- Monumental

Financial Support

- Sponsored BACBS attendance for chapter members; X members presented research
- Sister Chapter – Bolivia sponsored students to attend international meeting, educational exchange

Position Papers/resolutions

- Letter to Cal-Aggie in response to article against Cache Creek wild and scenic status
- Others? –ask Becky