

What is HEN?

The **Highland Environmental Network (HEN)** is a voluntary member organisation promoting environmental education in the Highlands. The organisations currently represented on the Management Group are:

Highland Council, British Trust for Conservation Volunteers Scotland, Aigas Field Centre, Glachbeg Croft Education Centre, and Scottish Environment Protection Agency (SEPA) and other interested parties (individuals and groups).

HEN exists to:-

- **Promote** environmental education, in its widest sense, in all sectors of the Highland community
- **Facilitate** sharing of environmental information and expertise
- **Encourage** the involvement of individuals and community groups in environmental debate and action

Contact Details:

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STORY SACKS

and

Twilight picnic Tea

for inspiring

Early Years Staff

at

Abriachan Community Woodland

on

Monday 21st June 2010

from

6.00 - 8.00 pm

HEN Programme of workshops for
Personal and
Continuing Professional Development
2009 - 2010

In conjunction with the
Forum for Environmental Volunteering Associations
And
Cairngorms National Park



This programme of workshops and training events is aimed at everyone with an interest in encouraging others, particularly children and members of their community, to becoming involved in caring for our environment.

The courses will be delivered by a range of providers - all are members of HEN (Highland Environmental Network).

These providers include:

Aigas Field Centre
Glachbeg Croft
Abriachan Forest Trust
BTCV (British Trust for Conservation Volunteers)
Cairngorms National Park
FEVA (Federation of Environmental Volunteering Associations)
CSV (Community Service Volunteers)

The fees for each course will go some way to covering the cost of these courses and ensuring they will run with even a small number

For more details about any of this course or any others in the programme contact:

HEN at
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PROGRAMME

This short workshop will be fun for active learners and involve participants exploring the environment while trying out resources and testing activities.

It will be useful for staff working with 3 – 7 year olds and parents or carers who would like to borrow the resources found in the Sacks of Stories made for the Abriachan Community Woodlands.

Topics will include Ducklings and Dragonflies, Good-night Skies, Tales of the Riverbank, Trails through the Trees.... all cross curricular learning outdoors.

TRAINERS

Christine Matheson is a lateral thinking librarian who, along with her colleague Suzann Barr in Abriachan Forest Trust, has produced lots of activities which bring literacy alive outdoors. Both were involved in the original Ness Island Story Sacks.

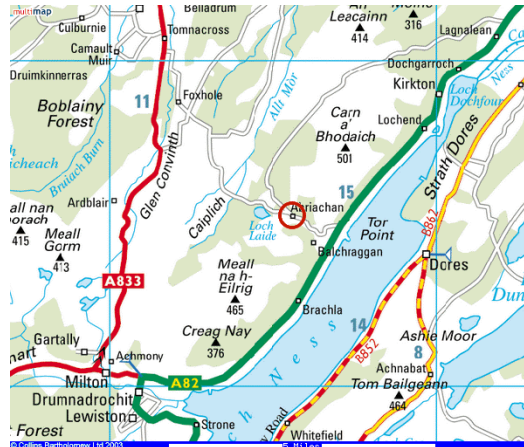
Cost for the workshop including a twilight picnic tea is:
£20

Venue contact details:

Venue address:
Abriachan Forest Trust Classroom
Abriachan
Inverness IV3 8LD

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How to get here: **NH540355**
www.abriachan.org for map & directions



Story Sacks
Booking Form

First Name:.....
Surname:.....

Address:.....
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Post Code:.....

Tel Number:.....

Email:.....

Would you like us to add you to our mailing list? Yes/No

Dietary Requirements please tick if apply

Vegetarian:.....

Other:.....

Please enclose a cheque for £20 Made out to HEN and send to:

Jenny Sleeman
HEN Training
c/o BTCV Scotland
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Munlochy

Thank you and enjoy your course.

