



42ND ANNUAL NEED YOUTH ENERGY CONFERENCE & AWARDS



AGENDA

June 25 – 28, 2022 (All times are eastern)



SATURDAY, JUNE 25TH

11:00 A.M. – 9:30 P.M.

Information Booth Open

11:00 A.M. – 5:30 P.M.

Hotel Room Check-in and Luggage Storage

1:00 P.M. – 5:30 P.M.

Conference Registration

4:30 P.M. – 5:30 P.M.

Energy Career Chat

Students, hear from a panel of industry professionals about what its like to work in the energy industry and what they studied in school.

4:30 P.M. – 5:30 P.M.

Teacher Meeting

While your students learn about careers in energy, teachers meet to discuss the weekend, share tips, and ask questions about their time in Washington D.C. Explore some new NEED activities too!

5:30 P.M. – 8:30 P.M.

Welcome Banquet & Program

Welcome to the 2021 Youth Energy Conference and Awards! Meet Youth and NEED staff and get acquainted with your fellow award winners through NEED activities and icebreakers. Attendees exchange trinkets and memorabilia from their home states with other attendees.

AFTER WELCOMING PROGRAM

Ice Cream Social

Stick around to make your own sundae and play some games.

10:00 P.M.

Lights Out

SUNDAY, JUNE 26TH

7:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

Information Booth Open

7:00 A.M. – 8:30 A.M.

Breakfast

8:30 A.M. – 11:30 A.M.

Energy In STEM Challenge Work Session

Learn about your 2021 Energy Challenge and begin working on your solutions!

11:30 A.M. – 12:15 P.M.

Lunch

12:30 P.M. – 1:30 P.M.

Challenge Work Continues

Continue working on your Energy Challenge solutions. Begin preparing your group presentation.

1:30 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.

Challenge Presentations

Present your Energy Challenge solutions to a panel of judges. There will be prizes!

2:30 P.M.

Break Time

Enjoy some times to rest, relax, visit local sites. Get ready for the cruise!

4:00 P.M. – 4:45 P.M.

Board Buses to Spirit of Washington

5:00 P.M. – 5:50 P.M.

Board Spirit of Washington

6:00 P.M. – 8:30 P.M.

Spirit of Washington Dinner Cruise

Buses will take you to the pier for a tropical-themed cruise down the Potomac River and give you a chance to get to know more NEED friends. Be sure to wear your tropical gear! After the boat returns to the dock, NEED staff will ask groups to stay together in lines to facilitate easy bus loading, to return to the hotel.





SUNDAY, JUNE 26TH CONTINUED

8:30 P.M. **Return to Hotel**
10:00 P.M. **Lights Out**

MONDAY, JUNE 27TH

7:00 A.M. – 8:30 A.M. **Information Booth Open**
7:00 A.M. – 8:00 A.M. **Breakfast**
8:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. **Tour DC on Old Town Trolley**
Board the Old Town Trolley with your Group for a fun tour of the Monuments. Old Town Trolley will drop groups in DC at the end of the scheduled tour.
11:00 A.M. **Tour DC on your own**
Open touring of Washington’s memorials, Capitol Hill, Smithsonian museums, and other points of interest. Enjoy lunch and dinner at one of DC’s many great restaurants or explore the local food truck scene near the National Mall.
7:30 P.M. – 9:00 P.M. **Dessert and games with the Youth Staff**
Back from touring and dinner? Join the Youth Staff for dessert and games.
10:00 P.M. **Lights Out**

TUESDAY, JUNE 28TH

7:00 A.M. – 10:30 A.M. **Information Booth Open**
7:00 A.M. – 9:00 P.M. **Check-out and Luggage Storage**
8:00 A.M. – 10:45 A.M. **42nd Annual NEED Youth Awards Ceremony and Breakfast**
8:00 a.m. Breakfast Begins
8:30 a.m. Awards Ceremony Begins
Awards announcements for the 2022 Youth Awards for Energy Achievement and the awards presented this weekend.
10:45 A.M. **Conference Concludes**

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