Greening Your Home series LaRue

7 Monday Sessions at 7:00 pm: Sept. 15 – Oct. 27

Orrville Mennonite Church. • West Market St. • Orrville, Ohio

Focus of the series will be on retrofitting or remodeling existing homes

September 15..... Greening Site & Foundation

September 22..... Greening Exterior Walls and Surfaces

September 29..... Greening Day Lighting and Roofs

October 6...... Greening Heating, Cooling & Ventilation

October 13..... Greening Interior Surfaces

October 20...... Greening Electrical Services & Water Usage

October 27...... Greening Residential Maintenance

Local people are asked to share about what they are doing or have done to green their home and bring pictures.

Learn the most practical ways to:

- · Reduce heating, cooling and lighting costs
- Improve indoor air quality
- Remodel with nontoxic floor and wall coverings
- · Find environmentally friendly building materials
- Reduce home maintenance costs, and much more

Jim LaRue is one of Cleveland's best known and most trusted green building experts. He helps homeowners and builders find practical ways to make living spaces more energy efficient, durable and healthy.

Barbara Starre, who built a "green home" in the Medina area will share her experience in choosing materials, systems and suppliers and report on how those choices have worked out for her.

"Make smart choices to reduce home energy consumption, minimize your exposure to chemicals, molds and other toxins, and reduce your impact on the Earth's fragile environment."

Don't miss this informational series!

Contact: Chad Lehman 330-464-8035 or visit the WCSEN website

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hio Solar Tour Oct. 4-5

Now is your chance to tour renewable energy powered and energy efficient homes and buildings across the state. Below is a list of sites throughout Wayne & Holmes Counties. For local tour information, call John Drouhard at 330-262-4538 or visit www.greenenergyohio.org for a full listing of sites throughout Ohio.



Orrville Middle School Geothermal

801 Mineral Springs, Orrville Sat. 10am—4pm From Main St. take W. High St. to N. Ella St., continue north, turn west onto Mineral Springs.

Tour a large-scale geothermal heating & cooling system. Please enter on the NW side of the school adjacent to the cafeteria.



Orrville High School Photovoltaics

841 North Ella Street Orrville Sat. 9am-4pm From Main St. take W. High St. to N. Ella St.

To observe a 1 kW solar panel in the Orrville High School courtyard, please enter at the SW doors and follow the signs. This installation demonstrates an innovative way to promote environmental awareness to students. Visit www.rockguy.com.



Mike Powers Residence

9262 Mt. Eaton Road, Marshallville Sat. 9am-7pm From Dalton take State Rt. 94 (Mt. Eaton Rd.) House is just north of Marshallville on the west side of road.

Last year it was a work in progress...now come and see the finished house. A progressive efficient home featuring many ideal renewable technologies working in synchrony.



Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

3186 Burbank Road, Wooster Sat. 10am–3pm
From Liberty St. go north on Market St., follow Quinby, turn left onto
Burbank. Continue north. UUF is on the left, just after Oldman Rd.
Come and tour the first LEED Gold Certified place of worship in
Ohio and the U.S.! A must see!



Solar Power Station

1451 Spruce Street Extension, Wooster Sat. 9am–5pm Parked at the Habitat for Humanity Restore. From Liberty St. go south on Market St. to Spruce St. over bridge to Spruce St. Ext.

A portable trailer with a 720 watt photovoltaic array and two 2.5 kW inverters. This trailer provides electricity at Habitat for Humanity sites in Wayne County. An innovative concept at work!



R & M Solar Products

1453 CR 144, Sugarcreek Sat. 8am-4pm
Between Walnut Creek and Sugarcreek. From Rt. 39 south of
Walnut Creek take CR 145 to CR 144. From Sugarcreek take Rt. 39 to
93N. to Gerber Valley west to CR 144. Sign at mailbox.

Moses Miller shares his knowledge of solar electric power with 400 watts on three buildings powering everything from lights to sewing machines. R&M also sells and installs solar electric systems.



Mark Tillack Residence

15211 Twp. Rd. 12, Brinkhaven Sat. 10am–4pm, Sun. 11am–5pm Brinkhaven is in southwest Holmes County just off Rt. 62. Call Mark for further directions 330-377-4387. For a detailed map email him at mrbackwoods@juno.com.

"Upscale Rustic" photovoltaic off-grid house featuring daylighting, passive heating, earth-berming, tankless hot water heating, liquid separating toilet, graywater system, & recycled building materials.



Events are Free & Open to the Public

UPCOMING EVENTS:

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WCSEN quarterly meeting

Please join us- public welcome!

1022 Heyl Road (Co. Rd. 139) Wooster

Nov. 13, 7pm

Energy Performance of Homes & Households presented by ATI Professor Allen Zimmerman and students at United Methodist Church W. Main St., Apple Creek Dec. 2, 7 pm

Scarlet, Gray, & Green FairApril 22, 2009 (Earth Day) at OARDC

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Please join us to learn more! Green Team meetings are held at Trinity UCC, 150 E. North St. Wooster (dates TBA)

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