Environmental Camp for Kids in the Philippines

(Published April 19, 2013) A small community in Kiangan, Ifugao Province in the Philippines organized a “Disaster Management and Environmental Kids’ Camp” last April 10-11 to teach children about environmental protection as well as risk reduction and management. Local authorities recognize the role of children and nation-building and, with this initiative, hope to encourage the younger generation’s involvement in the community. Read the full article here.

Eco-Friendly Dam Wins Award

(Published April 17, 2013) The UK Environment Agency Flood Alleviation Scheme was commended for its work on an eco-friendly dam in Wigan, near Manchester. Its landscape design and the team’s efforts to put environment and sustainability as main priorities made it a winning project. The technical innovations applied help reduce the ecological footprint of the dam itself and the chipped material resulting from site clearance was recycled for use as bio-fuel. Read the full article here.

Upcoming Events

- 4th Global Forum on Urban Resilience and Adaptation (May 31 - June 2, North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany). Registration to the conference is required. More details here.

Training

- Climate Reality Leadership Trainings (June 14-16, Istanbul Turkey and July 30- Aug. 1, Chicago, USA) organized by The Climate Reality Project. Applications reviewed on a rolling basis. More details here.