



# Cycles – Past and Present

*A Workshop for Educators — Thursday July 8, 2010*



Experience a unique opportunity to explore The Plains Conservation Center’s West Bijou’s site with Denver Museum of Nature & Science curators. Study dung beetle populations and their relationship with our bison herd. Examine a world famous layer that marks the demise of dinosaurs.

### Hands-on activities will help participants:

- Participate in actual research techniques.
- Investigate ways to study insect life cycles.
- Understand through inquiry the life cycle of dung beetles.
- Recognize the significance of major extinctions.
- Collect fossil plants from the first forests following the K/T extinction.

**When :** Thursday, July 8, 2010 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

**Where:** Plains Conservation Center (*see [www.plainscenter.org](http://www.plainscenter.org) for map*)  
21901 East Hampden Avenue  
Aurora, CO 80013

**Workshop fee:** \$70 ( ½ Colorado School of Mines recertification credit available for \$35 payment for credit is on the day of class)

**Bring:** Sack lunch, water bottle, sturdy shoes, clothes for outdoor activities, including hat and sunglasses  
*Check for \$35 payable to Colo. School of Mines if credit is desired.*

**Questions?** Call Barb Hamman at 303/693-3621 or email [bhamman@plainscenter.org](mailto:bhamman@plainscenter.org)

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**Register me for the “ Cycles: Past and Present” workshop on Thursday, July 8, 20010**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **School District:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Grade Level(s)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Subject(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to Plains Conservation Center.

Mail payment (workshop fee of \$70 —or both Cycles and Connecting Children with Nature for \$120) and registration form by **July 1, 2010** to:  
Plains Conservation Center, Attn. Barb Hamman, 21901 E. Hampden Ave., Aurora, CO 80013

**Space is limited. Registration deadline is July 1, 2010**

