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Participants, Support Sought for Earth Festival 2010

MILFORD – Earth Festival organizers announced this week that letters seeking supporters and participants have been mailed to area businesses, schools, organizations, and individuals. Financial contributions are most welcome, and an open invitation to earth-friendly exhibitors, food and retail vendors, and workshop presenters is being extended.

Earth Festival 2010 will take place on Saturday, April 10 at Milford Central School. This year's event will include a seminar series from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the school auditorium, with topics ranging from renewable energy to drilling for natural gas, as well as the traditional information and vendor fair from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the gymnasium. Students from Milford Central School will be leading children's activity stations throughout the day, and are currently preparing a wide array of eco-art for public viewing. The Milford Education Foundation will end Earth Festival with a special "recycled fashion" show (by ticket only).

Earth Festival activities will kick off with a free Family Movie Night, including a special eco-art/fashion preview, at the school on Friday, April 9 beginning at 6:30 p.m. with the movie "WALL•E."

Now in its fifth year, Earth Festival is an environmentally focused, interactive event featuring exhibits, workshops, vendors, food and entertainment, all with a fun, earth-friendly twist. Earth Festival 2010 is sponsored by the Otsego County Conservation Association and Wildlife Learning Company. Complete details and seminar registration information will be available soon – in the meantime, those interested in exhibiting or making a financial contribution should call OCCA at (607) 547-4488 or e-mail admin@occainfo.org.