

Green Schools Alliance (GSA), National Business Officers Association (NBOA), &
Green Cup Challenge (GCC) Founding Coordinators

Invite All Day and Boarding Schools

to Participate in:

The National Launch of



The Green Cup Challenge™

Greening our schools is a challenge and a commitment, not a competition. Green Cup™ participants celebrate their successes, share experiences to build a community, while learning how to do it better. It's not about winning or losing: our future depends on working, and winning, together.

Last February, thirty-four day and boarding schools participated in a Green Cup Challenge™ across 10 states. Through simple, effective actions they reduced their average campus electricity usage by up to 18 %.

The 2009 Green Cup Challenge™ will be held nationwide from:

Jan 26 – Feb 23, 2009

Join with schools from coast to coast and participate in the Challenge to INSPIRE stewardship, personal responsibility & cooperation; LEARN about the environmental issues facing schools; REDUCE your energy & carbon footprint; BENEFIT from making sustainable, energy-smart choices; BE a global leader in your own community.

To launch a Green Cup Challenge™ in your school, please complete the [attached] registration and fax it to GCC at: **720-564-4951**

The National Registration Deadline is: **November 14, 2008**

The NE/Mid-Atlantic [Boarding Schools] deadline is: October 24, 2008; Fax to: 609-895-2159

The Green Cup Challenge™ (GCC) is the first and only national student-driven, interschool energy challenge that supports and promotes student efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Originally launched as an interschool energy challenge in 2006 at Phillips Exeter Academy, Northfield Mount Hermon and the Lawrenceville School, the GCC joined with the Green Schools Alliance and formally became a GSA program in 2007. Asking schools to measure and reduce campus electricity and greenhouse gas emissions, the GCC builds awareness about climate change and the environment, educates the community about the importance of energy conservation, and encourages the participation of the entire campus.

For more information, please go to: www.greencupchallenge.org.