

# Make a **SPLASH** as a *Blue Team*!



Teachers, Scout Leaders, Home-School Parents!

*YOU have the opportunity to CREATE a Youth-Powered **Blue Team** to help care for one of our most precious natural resources - **WATER!** **Blue Teams** carry out a water quality action project that promotes **sustainability** and **stewardship** in their community. This program is possible with generous funding from the **Woodinville Water District**.*

## **WHAT IS A BLUE TEAM?**

A **Blue Team** is a group of students (a classroom, school club, or a neighborhood, home school, scout or camp group) who commit to taking on and completing a water stewardship project in their community. The students can create their own project or use one listed here.

**Blue Teams** receive **4 hours** of expert help from a Nature Vision Water Specialist- help in planning, preparing for, and executing your project.

**Blue Team** participants also receive recognition upon completion of the project. This program is available to students in **grades K - 9!**

## **BLUE TEAM PROJECTS IDEAS**

- **Help restore a stream or wetland**
- **Replace landscaping with drought tolerant water-wise Native Plants**
- **Research and remove invasive plants**
- **Create posters, brochures or a video to teach others about water conservation and non-point source pollution and best management practices**
- **Start a campaign at your school and/or community to increase water quality awareness**
- **Take the Water-Saving challenge and find ways to conserve water use in your classroom, home and school**
- **Use vermi-composting (worm bin) for school or classroom lunch waste to create nutrient rich compost to use on school grounds to increase plant health and water efficiency**
- **Stencil school or neighborhood storm drains**

**HOW TO REGISTER:** Fill out and fax or e-mail the registration form below. Questions - contact [info@naturevision.org](mailto:info@naturevision.org). Within one week of submitting your registration form, you will receive a phone call from a water specialist to talk about your idea, set dates and jump-start your project! Nature Vision, Inc. is a non-profit Environmental Education organization in King County.



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## BLUE TEAM

### City and Water District Registration Form 2011/12

To become a **BLUE TEAM**, please complete this page and FAX to **425-460-9126**, or scan and e-mail to [info@naturevision.org](mailto:info@naturevision.org). (Please print)

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade level(s) \_\_\_\_\_ # Students in group \_\_\_\_\_

School or group name \_\_\_\_\_ School District \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Best time(s) to reach you: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone/Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any ideas about what kind of project you would like your class/group to do?

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As a Blue Team, you receive 4 hours of assistance from a Water Specialist. Do you have an idea about how you would like to use your hours? \_\_\_\_\_

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What date and time might work for us to meet with your class (about 45 minutes) to launch your project? \_\_\_\_\_

#### Hold Harmless Agreement

The undersigned adult agrees to protect, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless Nature Vision, Inc., its officers, employees, and other agents from any and all claims, demands, suits, penalties, losses, damages, judgments, or costs of any kind arising out of or in any way resulting from the activities of said individual in Nature Vision programs except those acts or commissions which are sole negligence of Nature Vision.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_