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News

Merry Christmas from the OTF

**DEF has a new name OTF
Outdoors Tomorrow
Foundation**

**Please See Letter from OTF's
Chairman on the new name
change page 4**

**Curriculum Writers Needed -
\$25.00 per hour page 2**

**Conservation Images from
Shane Mahoney and
Conservation Visions**

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- DSC S.A.F.E.T.Y. Event – Sept. 23, 2017
- YWCE – January 5, 2017

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-1761481>

**AMAZON DONATION TO DEF
GO TO THE LINK AND SUPPORT THE
DEF. AMAZON WILL DONATE 5% OF
YOUR PURCHASES TO THE DEF.**

Here is a video on how to choose the right life jacket:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0HIZ2QMq0SI>

Curriculum Writers – 2017 Outdoor Adventures

\$\$\$\$ Need a little Extra Money \$\$\$\$

The OTF Still Needs WRITERS!

Need lesson updates/writers for the following units:

Boater Education, NASP, Orienteering Advanced,
Survial Skills, Camping, Outdoor Cooking

Need curriculum writers for NEW Units: Tackle Crafts,
Mountain Bike Camping

DEF's New Name OTF
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Teacher Training

RSVP for each training. I have provided several dates for each training. Please check your schedules and let me know today! The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's Hunter Instructor and Boater Education will require some homework prior to the training. I will review the requirements for each upon your RSVP.

If you need training outside of Texas, contact state Department of Natural Resources or Scot McClure to assist you in locating training near you.

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Outdoor Skills Workshops (Orienteering, Rock Climbing, Dutch Oven Cooking, Birding and much more) <http://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/outdoor-skills-workshops-seminars>

Hunter Instructor Classes

College Station	Thu Dec 15, 016	8:00 AM	(979) 845-4865	Denise.harmel-garza@tamu.edu
CORPUS CHRISTI	Sat Feb 4, 2017	8:00 AM	(361) 853-8644	

NASP – Basic Archery Instructor Pre-register at: www.naspbai.org

To receive further information or register for any of the courses below please contact Burnie Kessner, burnie.kessner@tpwd.texas.gov.

TBA

Angler Education Instructor Classes

Dec 3, 2016, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Buda, TX, caleb.harris@tpwd.gov, 512-389-4472

Jan. 21, 2017, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Austin, TX, caleb.harris@tpwd.gov, 512-389-4472

April 1, 2017, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Austin, TX, caleb.harris@tpwd.gov, 512-389-4472 **(NEW Course Fly Fishing Instructor)**



DEF Becomes Outdoors Tomorrow Foundation (OTF): Our Name is Changing – Not Our Mission!

Dear Outdoor Adventure Educators,

The Dallas Ecological Foundation, a qualified 501 (c)(3) organization, is changing its name, but our mission remains the same. Our mission statement is, “...to teach outdoor education and to promote and fund conservation of wildlife worldwide.” We have decided to change our name to the **Outdoors Tomorrow Foundation** to match our commitment to national growth in furthering our Outdoor Adventures’ education program and conservation efforts. Outdoor Adventures has grown exponentially through recent years. Currently, our unique Outdoor Adventures program is offered in 285 schools in 15 states including our home state of Texas. We continue to grow and currently have over 28,000 students enrolled in Outdoor Adventures with over 150,000 graduating students since inception.

We are excited about the future of our Outdoor Adventure program as well as our conservation efforts, but we believe that by changing our name and doing business as (dba) the **Outdoors Tomorrow Foundation** we would be better positioned to expand Outdoor Adventures to over 350 schools by the end of our fiscal year in June 2017 and to recruit and retain over 500 schools to the program by 2018. We are developing a national brand which will serve the organization better as we expand and grow within the outdoor education and conservation industry in the future. Become a member, sponsor, or donor of the Outdoors Tomorrow Foundation today and help us grow!

David Price

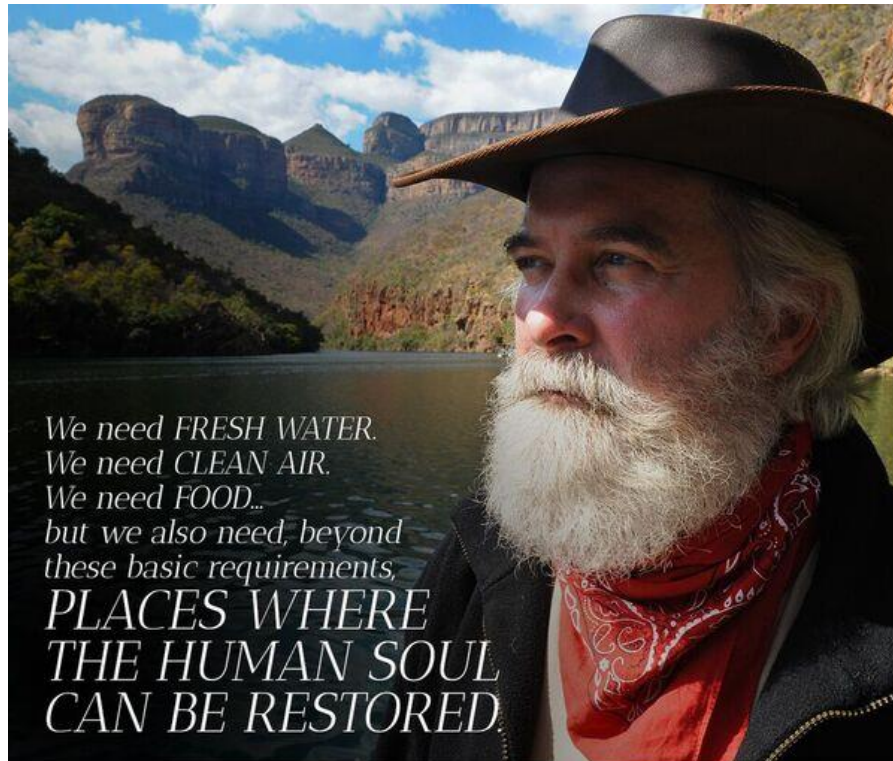
Chairman
Outdoors Tomorrow Foundation



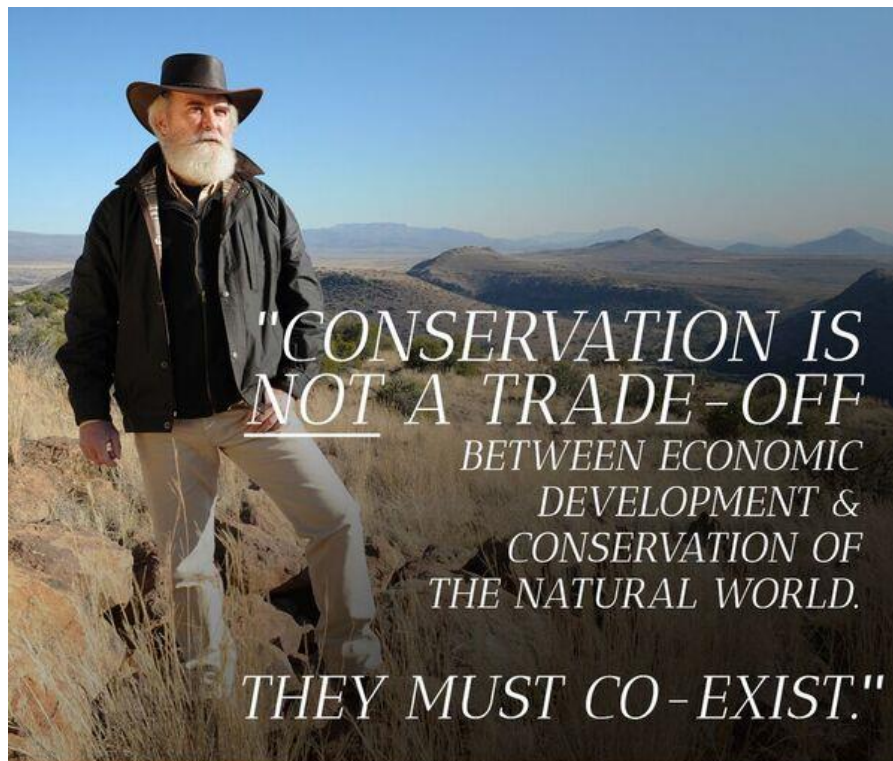
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Shane Mahoney with Conservation Visions has some great photogenic meme quotes. I have included a few to view and w a weblink to get more.

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/krisygzpu82zjz2/AAAz5RWXGeDKZYyqsFcK9Zoa?dl=0>



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