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# TRAINING FOR TRANSITION

November 12-13, 2011

Wooster, Ohio

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## *You're Invited!*

The Wayne County Sustainable Energy Network and Center for Diversity and Global Engagement and the Environmental Studies Program at the College of Wooster invite you to participate in the innovative and world-renown program ***Training for Transition – Toward Sustainability***, now at a local level, right here in Wayne County!

A free lecture ***Transitioning Wayne County*** will be held Friday November 11 at Kauke Hall 143, College of Wooster. The Training days are November 12 & 13 at the PRC conference room. Additionally a potluck (for all who are interested) will follow the Saturday, November 12 training session and be held at Local Roots.

Please review the attached information and consider attending any or all of these events. Registration fee for ***Training for Transition*** sessions covers instructors fees, lunch, refreshments and materials which will be provided.

If you are unable to attend training sessions (or in addition to) please consider sponsoring this event. See Sponsorship & Benefit document attached. Sponsorships will lower the \$175 fee making it possible for more people to participate. For those who are interested but unable to pay the total fee there will be a reduction available.

## *Brief Overview of the Transition Movement*

The Transition movement began in the U.K. and ignited a global conversation and sharing about positive, creative actions to build community resilience in the face of economic instability, energy cost increases, worsening social inequity, and environmental crisis. Transition U.S. (TransitionUS.org) offers the Training for Transition course developed by the Transition Network (TransitionNetwork.org) and taught in over 30 countries. The course is an in-depth experiential introduction to the ideas, process and practices that have inspired tens of thousands of people in hundreds of communities, and catalyzed a rapidly-growing global network. This participatory two-day workshop is for anyone wishing to explore the many dimensions of “transitioning” and “resilience”, and to support local action and collaboration in their community.

### **At the Training for Transition course, you will:**

- Explore ways of increasing community resilience and become part of a positive global movement
- Learn to describe the challenges of Peak Oil, climate change, and economic instability in ways that bring people together and inspire action
- Receive tools for community outreach, education and creating shared vision
- Learn how to facilitate community collaboration -- support existing leadership
- Meet others in your region who share your concerns and want to transition to greater stability and security

**Who should attend:** People interested in learning ways to transition their community, and people already creating a Transition Initiative who want to network and deepen their work.

**Instructors:** Tina Clarke and Fred Brown **Class Size:** 30

*Please reply soon only 30 spaces available!*

**Cost:** \$175 before Oct. 31st. Students are welcome. Lunch, refreshments & materials are included.

*(The fee helps defray the instructors fees, lunch, refreshments and materials costs)*

**Make check payable to:** Transition Training  
c/o Wayne County Sustainable Energy Network  
140 South Walnut Street  
Wooster, Ohio 44691

**Contact:** Keith Speirs  
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***Register by October 31, 2011***

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# TRANSITIONING WAYNE COUNTY

Weekend Schedule, Wooster, Ohio

November 11-13, 2011

## Friday, November 11th

7:00 – 8:30 **Transitioning Wayne County**  
Free Public Lecture

Location:  
Kauke Hall 143 (the auditorium room)  
College of Wooster  
(Enter through central main archway)

## Saturday, November 12th

9:00 – 9:30 **Sign In**

9:30 – 5:30 **Transition Training: Session I**

Location:  
PRC, First Floor Conference Room  
1022 Heyl Road, Wooster, Ohio

6:30 – 8:30 **Pot Luck / Public Social**  
(open to attendees and all who are interested)

Location:  
Local Roots Market & Café  
140 S. Walnut Street, Wooster, Ohio

## Sunday, November 13th

9:30 – 5:30 **Transition Training: Session II**

Location:  
PRC, First Floor Conference Room  
(same as session I)

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## Registration Form

Due October 31, 2011

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Fee enclosed  yes  no

I am interested, and I request info on reduced fee.

I am a student and I request info on reduced fee.

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### For more information Contact:

Keith Speirs Phone: 330-988-4267  
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### Return your this form with your fee to:

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