

**INTERNATIONAL NIGHT  
AT THE LIBRARY**

**Tue, Nov 10** Main Library  
201 Peterson, 7-9 p.m.

**Trees Water People in Central  
America and Haiti**

Join Stuart Conway of Trees Water & People (TWP) this month as he discusses their grassroots work of reforestation with community groups and life-saving improved stoves that TWP is currently undertaking in Guatemala, Honduras, El Salvador, Nicaragua, and Haiti. TWP and our partners have planted more than 3 million trees and built more than 35,000 improved stoves over the last ten years.

PLEASE NOTE THERE IS ONLY  
ONE PRESENTATION IN  
NOVEMBER.

*Mark, obermurray@comcast.net*  
*Ashish, ashish@colostate.edu*

**OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES**

**Sat, Oct 24** Pumpkin Carving Party

Come and join other international students and community members for an afternoon of food, fun, and pumpkin carving.

**Location:** 416 Chestnut Drive, Loveland, CO 2pm-8pm (transportation will be provided from CSU campus)

**Cost:** \$5 includes transportation and dinner (vegetarian included). Pumpkins will be available at a cost \$1-\$4 extra.

*Mike Doyle, 461-9998*  
*mikedoyle@sprintmail.com*

**56th ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL  
FEST: WORLD UNITY FAIR**

Saturday, November 14, 2009  
CSU Lory Student Center  
Main Ballrooms

Tour the world without ever leaving Fort Collins! The whole family will enjoy sampling authentic foods from around the world, the educational culture booths, international stage performances and shopping for treasures at the world bazaar.

The World Unity Fair demonstrates the importance of cultural diversity and international relations while promoting a message of acceptance through entertainment and education. Highlights include a children's carnival, culture booths, interactive displays and world stage performances.

**INTERNATIONAL NIGHT @THE  
LIBRARY—A CHANCE TO SHARE  
YOUR INTL EXPERIENCES**

The INL committee is always looking for folks who would like to share their experiences with the community. If you are interested in presenting or know some who would like to present, please contact us.

Contact Mark also if you interested in joining the committee to assist in finding presenters, being a MC. There are very few meetings and MC'ing a presentation requires about 2-3 hours of time to setup, introduce the speaker and take down the chairs.

*Mark, 490-2434*  
*obermurray@comcast.net*

**FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB (FAC)**

International House  
1400 W. Elizabeth, 6-7:30 p.m.

**Oct 02** Do It Yourself  
**Oct 09** Homecoming Pizza Party  
**Oct 16** Desserts Around the World  
**Oct 23** Board Game Night  
**Oct 30** International Potluck  
Halloween Party

These are potlucks so please bring a dish to share or make a small donation.

This FAC on the last Friday of October will include not only a potluck dinner but also a HALLOWEEN celebration. Bring a dish to share and come in a costume--if you'd like to surprise us all. There will be token prizes for the best costumes and treats for all the children who come in costume. Bring your camera!

*Steven Fletcher,*  
*steven\_j\_fletcher@yahoo.co.uk*

**CONVERSATIONAL ENGLISH  
CLASSES**

All levels, men and women. No registration required.

**Oct 05, 12, 19, 26**  
9:30 to 11:00 a.m.

Aggie Village Center,  
500 W. Prospect

*Ruth, 223-7428*

**Oct 07, 14, 21, 28**  
10:00 to 11:15 a.m.

University Village Center,  
1600 W. Plum

*Karen, 282-9015*

## INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS

Not only have we had a record number of international students requesting International Friends, but we also have had a good response from the Fort Collins and CSU community, offering to be matched with these students. Thanks to all who have applied, and to Layla and her assistant, Kaz, for the time-consuming work they have done to make the placements.

This intercultural experience, as many of the long-term hosts and students testify, can be truly rewarding for all concerned.

If you have any questions or problems reaching your student, give Layla a call at 232-9691.

Here's an American holiday to introduce to your student(s):

**HALLOWEEN**--an unusual and hilarious holiday to explain. You and he/she can experience it a day early on October 30, Friday, at the FAC potluck at the International House, 1400 W. Elizabeth. 6 PM. Bring your student(s), a dish to share and wear a costume if you like.

## INTERNATIONAL BAZAAR

Each year the Fort Collins International Center hosts an International Bazaar at CSU's World Unity Fair. This event offers great bargains and wonderful international treasures to our community and brings in a good portion of the Center's operating budget each year. Mark your calendar for this year's Bazaar - Saturday, November 14th from 4-9pm.

You can help support this event in a number of ways:

### Donate

Donate items for the bazaar. The fact that all the items we sell have been donated allows us to offer something for everyone. We welcome any item with an international value - nothing too big or too small.

### Sorting and Pricing

If you can envision a giant garage sale, then you can image the work needed to prepare for the Bazaar. Volunteers are needed, Sunday, Nov 8th from noon - 5pm to help with sorting and pricing.

### Day of set-up, sales and clean-up

Volunteers will be needed the day of the Unity Fair (Nov 14th) to help set-up the bazaar, as well as staff the tables, assist customers and help pack-up any unsold items at the end of the night. Most volunteers commit to a 1 1/2 - 2 hour shift. All volunteers have a great time, meeting others and interacting with people from all over the world.

For more details or to sign up to volunteer, please contact Nancy Murray: 490-2434 or [obermurray@comcast.net](mailto:obermurray@comcast.net)

## HOME SWAP

January 2011 – December 2012

Fort Collins, Colorado USA

Population: 136,509

Details:

Our home is a 3-bedroom – 2-bathroom, ranch-style home on a quiet street with a convenient location. Groceries and other shops are within walking distance. Our street is across from a large park with access to the town's extensive bike trail system. **We are less than 2 miles from Colorado State University.**

We are a one-hour drive from Denver and Denver International Airport and about the same distance from southern Wyoming and Rocky Mountain National Park in Estes Park, Colorado. Alpine skiing is available less than a 1.5 hour-drive, with multiple-bigger resorts about 2.5 hours away. Great hiking, cross-country skiing, biking, and snow shoeing are available even closer. Our dream is to live in Europe for 2 years.

Preferred destination: In or near an Alpine region

Preferred Languages: 1)Spanish;  
2)French or Italian

**BUT...**timing, location and language are all flexible.

We do not require a home as large as ours, but would like something in a peaceful and safe setting, (probably with a population of less than 375,000).

Please feel free to contact us if you are interested or have additional questions: Anne and Jack, [lasilass@aol.com](mailto:lasilass@aol.com).

Visit Fort Collins International Center's **website** for more specific information about our programs:  
[www.fortnet.org/intlc](http://www.fortnet.org/intlc)

Visit the Office of International Programs' **website** for current information:  
[www.international.colostate.edu](http://www.international.colostate.edu)

Join **IntlInfo** for up-to-date information about all international activities in our community:

[www.colostate.edu/services/ACNS/listserv/listserv.html](http://www.colostate.edu/services/ACNS/listserv/listserv.html)

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