

Pace EXPO Promotes “Sustainable Development”

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Chappaqua residents, Patti Bressman (left) and Katie Ginsberg, co-chaired the “Students for a Sustainable Future EXPO—2006” on April 28th at PACE University. The EXPO was developed and

organized by the Children’s Environmental Literacy Foundation (“CELf”), a not-for-profit organization that promotes education for sustainability in K-12 schools.

The EXPO brought together middle and high school student exhibitors with corporate exhibits on sustainable products and practices. Over 50 booths tackled topics ranging from green building technologies, to eco-fashion, to hybrid and natural gas vehicles, to socially responsible investing, to organic and fair trade agriculture. Over 700 students, teachers and community members visited the EXPO, with schools from throughout the Lower Hudson Valley participating and several school groups traveling from the Bronx and Manhattan to participate in this first-of-its-kind program.

Ginsberg, founder and director of CELf, said the goal of the EXPO is to inspire students by showcasing exciting, positive real-world innovations supporting sustainable development to ignite further interest in study and career pursuits in related fields.