



Association for Women In Science
Philadelphia Chapter



December 2007 Meeting

Save the Cheetahs!
A Worldwide Conservation Effort
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A special talk about the Cheetah Conservation Fund efforts in Namibia - an engaging discussion of how dedicated researchers (led by a female scientist, Dr. Laurie Marker) are working together to save the wild cheetahs in Africa.

With Special Guests:

Rising Stars

Girls from local high schools who are interested in science

Date: Wednesday, December 5, 2007

Time: 6:00-6:45 PM: Networking, Pizza, Noshes, Dessert
6:45-7:30 PM: Meet the High School Girls
7:30-8:15 PM: Dr. Meyer's Talk

*******DOOR PRIZES*******

Location: Eastern Regional Research Center (ERRC), USDA
600 East Mermaid Lane, Wyndmoor, PA 19038
Directions Follow or see: <http://www.ars.usda.gov/Main/docs.htm?docid=8628>

Cost: No Charge for High School Students
\$5 Undergraduate & Graduate Students and Postdocs
\$10 All Others

RSVP: **By Friday, November 30, 2007 (NOTE EXTENDED DEADLINE)**
E-Mail: <mailto:rsvp@awisphl.org> (preferred)
Telephone: Dr. Ellie Cantor 610-935-5455

*This is a pay-at-the-door event, but you must register in order to be on the list to enter the building. If you do not receive confirmation of your reservation within 72 hours, it was not received. Please try again. **Space is limited – Reserve early!***

Cancellations permitted through November 27. No-shows will be billed.

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Directions:

From downtown Philadelphia: take **Schuylkill Expressway westbound**. Take **Lincoln Drive** exit to **Emlen Street**. Turn left. Emlen becomes **Cresheim Valley Drive** after crossing Allens Lane. Continue on Cresheim Valley, cross Germantown Ave., and drive about two blocks more to dead end at **Stenton**. Turn left, one block to **Mermaid Lane**. Turn right, three short blocks to the center. Continue around the building and make a right turn into the back parking lot (just before the park/pond). Park in the first row and enter the building at the double glass doors.

You will have to go through security to gain access to the building (R.S.V.P. will be required for security purposes). We will have someone stationed there to let you in and give you directions to our meeting room. If no one is there, use the phone to call 6686 (auditorium).

From other parts of the Philadelphia area: use the **Pennsylvania Turnpike and Rte. 309 southbound**. From the **Paper Mill Road** exit ramp, turn right for a short distance to **Cheltenham Ave**. Turn left and continue to **Mermaid Lane**. Turn right and go a few blocks to the center. Take the first left turn after the park/pond into the ERRC back parking lot. Park in the first row and enter the building at the double glass doors.

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