

FAQ SHEET: SOLAR FAIR AND MOVIE SCREENING: CATCHING THE SUN

When will this event take place?

This event will take place on Sunday June 5, 2016. The event has two main parts: a solar fair and a free screening of a solar related movie called *Catching the Sun*. The fair will take place before, during and after the screening and will start at 1:30pm and end at 5:30pm. The screening will begin at 3:00pm and end around 5:00pm.

Where will this event be?

The event will be held at the Davis Veterans Memorial Theater – 203 E 14th St, Davis, CA 95616. The fair will take place in the lobby of the theater and outside of the theater. The movie will be shown in the theater's main viewing room.

Who is organizing this event?

The event is being planned by a collaborative effort between Cool Davis and its partners.

What is the purpose of this event?

The purpose of this event is to provide the Davis community with valuable, reliable, and trustworthy information from solar providers, financial experts, and home energy efficiency experts. This will allow Davisites the opportunity to learn more about solar in a no pressure environment from vetted sources. In addition, there will be a panel discussion after the film to discuss local solar issues. The panel will be: Mitch Sears, City Sustainability Manager, Chris Granger, Executive Director of Cool Davis, and Aaron Nitzkin, Solar Roof Dynamics. This event will also serve as a launch for Cool Davis's solar campaign which will promote the new City of Davis solar related goals.

What experts will be present at this event?

- Solar Roof Dynamics
- Aztec Solar
- Repower Yolo
- Cool Davis Home Energy Efficiency Group

Why is the City of Davis involved in this event?

In 2010, the City of Davis set out to increase its local renewable energy source as part of its strategy to become a net-zero community by 2050. Davis set an ambitious goal to meet 5% of its electricity demand with local renewable sources by 2015. In fact, Davis can now meet 20% of the electricity demand with solar alone! The city is involved in this event to promote clean, sustainable, and local energy as it fits within the broader goal of becoming a net-zero community by 2050.

Will there be activities for kids?

Yes, there will be a kid's booth with solar related crafts. There will not be childcare.

Where can people get more information about the event?

You may find more information about this event online at [Cool Davis's event page: https://www.cooldavis.org/2016/05/19/catch-the-sun-davis-solar-fair-movie-screening](https://www.cooldavis.org/2016/05/19/catch-the-sun-davis-solar-fair-movie-screening)

Do people have to register for the event?

In order to guarantee a seat for the free film, pre-registration is strongly recommended. You may also RSVP for the solar fair to help the planning committee better meet the demand of the event. You can do either or both at Eventbrite:

<http://www.tinyurl.com/catchingthesundavis>