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# American Rainwater Catchment Systems Association

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## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

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**ARCSA wishes you and yours a Happy Holiday and a Prosperous New Year!**

## ACCEPTING ADVERTISERS!

Are you looking for ways to get your company name, product or service out in the RWH Industry? Then you need to be one of the first advertisers in the new ARCSA Quarterly Newsletter an ARCSA Website Sponsor. Advertise in one newsletter or in all four, to get the most visibility. As a website sponsor, your sponsor logos will scroll and appear on each page. When the logo is clicked on, it will take the user to sponsor page with a company description and contact information. A great way to get your information out to ARCSA members, non members and consumers. To get the advertising and sponsorship application, please contact Tisha Mackey at [tisha.mackey@arcsa.org](mailto:tisha.mackey@arcsa.org) or call the ARCSA office at (512) 617.6528 to have the registration form sent to you.

## THANK YOU TO THE ARCSA WEBSITE SPONSORS!

**We'd like to thank our website sponsors - Barr Plastics, BlueScope Water, BRAE Rain Harvesting Systems, Bushman USA, CUDO Water Storage Systems, FLXX Rainwater Harvesting Systems & Equipment, Gutterglove, H2Options, RainHarvest Systems, Rain Harvesting, PTY, Rainwater Management Solutions, Rainwater Solutions and Xerxes Corporation.**

The public can connect with our sponsors two ways - the rolling sponsorship logos that appear on each page of the website and by clicking on the "Website Sponsors" link that is located on the menu bar of each website page. In addition, the rolling sponsor logos are hyperlinked to the

respective website, so a member of the public go immediately to the sponsor's website. By placing the cursor over the logo, it will freeze the logo, allowing you to click on it.

We've gotten good feedback from our website sponsors, and we look forward to delivering even greater value as awareness of ARCSA grows.

## ARCSA MEMBERSHIP

Have you thought about becoming an ARCSA member, but have never joined? Are you already a member of ARCSA but are not taking advantage of the membership benefits? If you aren't a member of ARCSA, why not? Why wait any longer to be a part of this growing organization!

### **American Rainwater Catchment Systems Association Mission Statement:**

To promote sustainable rainwater-harvesting practices to help solve potable, non-potable, stormwater and energy challenges throughout the world.

Please visit the [ARCSA Website](#) to view the membership benefits and to join ARCSA today!

## NEW MEMBER BENEFIT

### **2010 ARCSA Rainwater Catchment Design & Installation Guidelines**

The December 2010 edition of the Design & Installation manual is now on the ARCSA Website -

**FREE for ARCSA Members!!**

You can view the new 2010 Design & Installation Manual at the link provided below. Please use your member log in first to be able to the updated manual. This is the latest version of the manual, including acceptable materials and components with references to American National Standards Institute, American Society of Testing and Materials, American Water Works Association, Cast Iron Soil Pipe Institute, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Copper Development Association, International Organization for Standardization, National Weather Service, American Public Health Association.

Call the ARCSA office with any questions about how to log in to the website at (512) 617.6528.

[Click here to view the manual](#)

## **RWH WORKSHOPS & ACCREDITATION COURSES**

## 2011 WORKSHOPS

### **RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA**

The Urban Farmer Store  
2121 San Joaquin Street Richmond, CA 94804

#### **LEVEL 100**

February 7, 2010 8:30am-5:00pm  
Cost: \$75.00

[Please click here to register for the Level 100 Class in Richmond](#)

#### **LEVEL 200**

February 8-9, 2010 8:30 am-5:00pm  
Cost: \$295.00 for the 2-day class

**OR** \$445.00 for the 2-day class + Accreditation

[Please click here to register for the Level 200 Class in Richmond](#)

As a reminder, in order to take the accreditation exam after the level 200 workshop, you must be a current member of ARCSA in good standing. To sign up to be a member of ARCSA if you are not already, [please click here.](#)

ARCSA is continuing to finalizing the 2011 workshop and class schedules. To review the types of courses that are offered by ARCSA, please visit the [ARCSA Website](#). The [ARCSA Event and Education Calendar](#) will continue to be updated on a regular basis, so be sure to check often for additional dates being posted. If you are interested in learning more about becoming an ARCSA Accredited Professional, you can review the [program online](#).

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