

# THE CATALYST

## SLIPPERY ROCK WATERSHED COALITION MONTHLY ACTIVITIES UPDATE

**NO MEETING IN APRIL:**

**SYMPOSIUM APRIL 6<sup>th</sup> AND 7<sup>th</sup> AT JENNINGS ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER**

**GET-TOGETHER APRIL 12<sup>th</sup> AT BOYERS EPIPHANY CHURCH** 03/08/00 meeting attendance: W.

Taylor, V. Kefeli, J. Hicks, M. Dunn, T. Danehy, D. Peart, S. Smith, J. Belgredan, S. Busler, J. Coulter

### Symposium Field Tour Preview

De Sale



Passive treatment system with vertical flow pond under construction.

Goff Station Gob Pile



Removal of coal refuse pile and placement

with coal ash in reclamation of abandoned cut.

**See the attached page for more information about times and speakers at the symposium.**

### GIS DATA FOR SLIPPERY ROCK WATERSHED NEARING COMPLETION

**Erin Grabigel** is nearly done compiling water quality data in a GIS system. Erin is a Geography student at Slippery Rock University and will be graduating in May. This system integrates the location of abandoned mine sites, streams, roads, and geological information with data. For example, if you click on a stream the water quality data will appear. The maps should be available on the Slippery Rock Watershed Coalition's website very soon. Thank you Erin for all your hard work.

## PHOTO OF THE MONTH



**Mike Leon** of Harding Lawson and **Margaret Dunn** at the Society for Mining, Metallurgy and Exploration Dinner in Salt Lake City, Utah. The conference, with an attendance of about 4,900, provided a great opportunity to “compare notes” with others. Margaret Dunn was recognized for receiving the Environmental Conservation Distinguished Service Award from The American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, Petroleum Engineers.

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