

SCOUTFEST 2014

The Department of Natural Resources Technology Assessment Division hosted a booth at the ScoutFest 2014 on October 4, 2014. The Istrouma Area Council's annual Campout was held from October 3-October 5, 2014 at the Avondale Scout Reservation in Clinton, LA and attracted approximately four thousand scouts from around the state.

According to Event Director, David Breaux: "ScoutFest 2014 is dedicated to the memory of our late Scout Executive, Eric Howell. He always wanted us to grow bigger and better as a Council and always strived for the best. We will never be able to thank him enough for his service, but we will always remember his call to "Keep Moving Forward."

In addition to greeting families at the booth, TAD Assistant Director, Paul Miller, Buddy Justice, and Billy Williamson displayed a portable solar/thermal lighting display to engage the scouts' curiosity in energy efficiency and renewable energy. For more information about how you may take advantage of the latest energy efficiency and renewable energy technologies, contact our office at 225-342-1298.



Energy Section Staff members Buddy Justice - left, & Billy Williamson make final adjustments to the solar street light before ScoutFest attendees arrive



The CNG Fueled Honda Civic was on display at ScoutFest

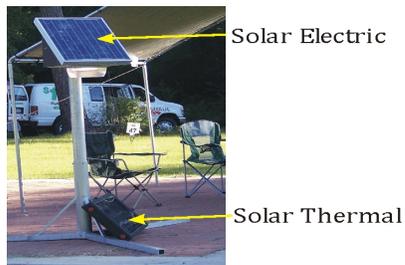


Visitors at DNR's ScoutFest booth were interested in learning more about solar energy and cost effective ways to save energy in their homes

ScoutFest 2014 Avondale Scout Reservation Clinton, Louisiana October 4, 2014



Billy Williamson - left, & Paul Miller complete the assembly of a demonstrational solar powered street light which was on display at ScoutFest



A solar electric panel as well as a solar thermal panel - shown at the bottom of the image, were displayed and explained to visitors at ScoutFest