

Visit the

National Center for Atmospheric Research Sunday, October 23, 2011

Nestled against Boulder, Colorado's famous Flatirons and the foothills to the Rocky Mountains, the <u>National Center for</u> <u>Atmospheric Research</u> (NCAR) will open its doors to WCRP meeting participants the afternoon of Sunday, October 23rd.

Enjoy the breath-taking scenery and learn more about NCAR, and its research on atmospheric and Earth System science.

NCAR's Mesa Laboratory

You will also have the opportunity to:

- Take a tour of the NCAR, an architectural and historic landmark designed by world-renowned architect, I.M. Pei;
- Hike or stroll along NCAR's Walter Orr Roberts Weather Trail, or embark on one of many nearby scenic trails;
- Explore the Visitor Center with its many weather and climate exhibits;
- Learn about the latest scientific advances in the Earth Sciences and see how engineers create visual images from extensive data to more easily "see" the processes and events they are studying in its state-of-the-art 3D visualization lab.



Woody Allen suspended from a tower at the NCAR Mesa Laboratory during the making of the movie "Sleeper."

Refreshments will be provided.

Buses depart Denver Sheraton at 1:00 pm and return to the hotel at 5:00 pm





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