



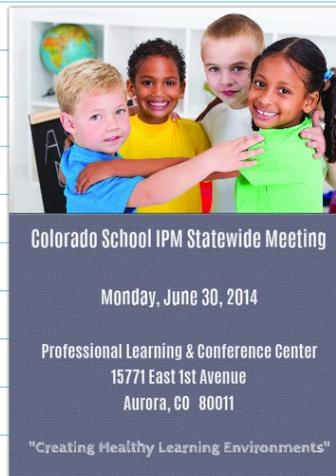
# Healthy Colorado Schools

## SCHOOL IPM STATEWIDE MEETING– JUNE 30, 2014

The statewide meeting for school IPM will be held on June 30, 2014, at the Aurora Professional Learning & Conference Center. The meeting will last from 7:30am-3:00pm and will feature speakers from the EPA Center of Excellence for School IPM, Colorado Alliance for Environmental Education, and a live demonstration of iPest manager. iPest manager is a software designed to help track the program and manage pest control costs.

and the Colorado Coalition for School IPM. The Coalition is continuing to promote and expand School IPM to different audiences throughout the state.

By expanding perceptions of School IPM and the role it plays in contributing to successful school environments, the Coalition hopes to build new partnerships that will help to expand School IPM's sphere of influence.



[Click here](#) for more information about the meeting.

The meeting is being hosted by Aurora School District in cooperation with Colorado State University

To RSVP or to obtain more information about the meeting, please contact Genevieve Berry at : [genevieve.berry@colostate.edu](mailto:genevieve.berry@colostate.edu) or call 970-491-6408.

For more information about School IPM, visit: [ipm.agsci.colostate.edu](http://ipm.agsci.colostate.edu)

### Special points of interest:

- ✓ School IPM Statewide meeting
- ✓ Have an IPM question? Find out which resource is right for you!
- ✓ IPM supports Healthy School Environments for the "Whole Child"
- ✓ National Pollinator Week
- ✓ Miller moths and what that means for you

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## IPM RESOURCE GUIDE

Helping you access information quickly and easily is one of the goals of Colorado State University's new IPM website, [www.ipm.agsci.colostate.edu](http://www.ipm.agsci.colostate.edu).

[Click here](#), if you're looking for a general list of resources for school staff.

[Pest Identification Handbook for Colorado Schools, Childcare Settings & Public Buildings](#)

We offer a wide array of tools and resources for anyone interested in School IPM.

If you have a specific pest problem, [click here](#) for our fact sheets.

[Weed Wackers—A guide for identifying and managing weeds in schoolyards and landscapes](#)

Following is a brief outline of the website and some of the more commonly used tools.

For a quick tutorial, browse our [School IPM Videos](#).

Click on the link for an [introduction to School IPM](#).

Click on the title to obtain a pdf copy of our most popular handbooks:

If you have any suggestions for additional materials please contact: Genevieve Berry at [genevieve.berry@colostate.edu](mailto:genevieve.berry@colostate.edu)



## IPM—A PARTNER FOR “WHOLE CHILD” SCHOOL ENVIRONMENTS

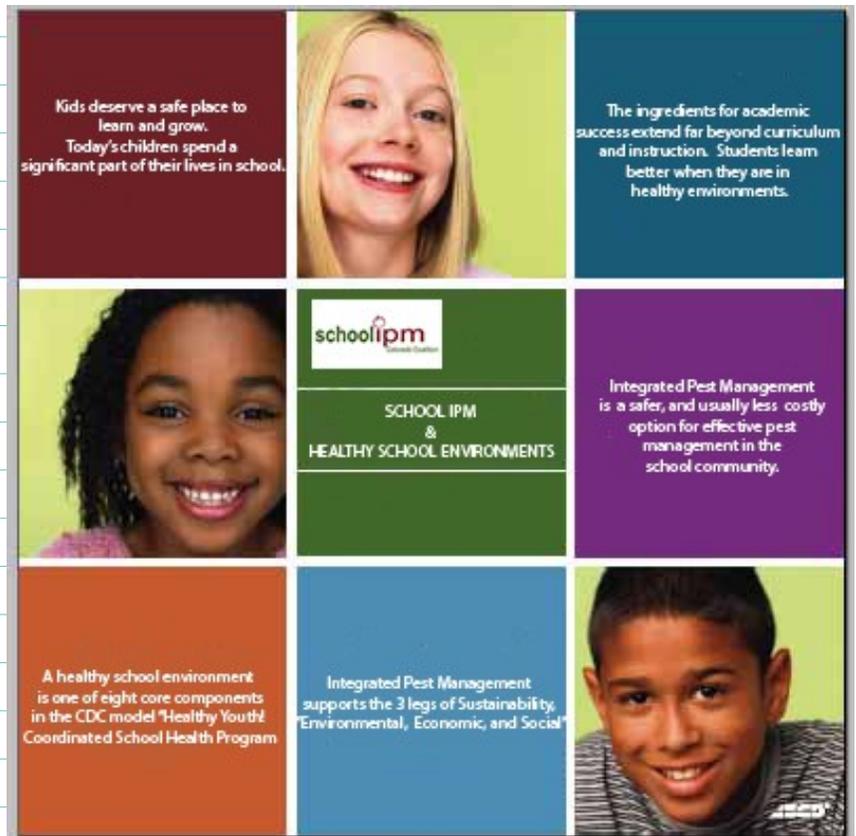
As schools expand their role in supporting the “whole child” with programs like; breakfast in the classroom and Healthy Schools Colorado, IPM offers tools and a cultural perspective that can help schools easily and successfully incorporate these programs.

For example, breakfast in the classroom programs are becoming a mainstay in many schools, and while everyone supports the reasons for the program, it can present additional challenges for staff at schools who are participating in the program.

Schools that are already practicing IPM, can adapt some simple principles of sanitation and exclusion to address these challenges and minimize their impact.

Drawing on IPM’s preventative mindset helps schools to create and maintain a foundation of healthy environments, needed to ensure an atmosphere conducive to outstanding academic achievement.

For more information on how School IPM can support your school’s healthy learning environment you can visit our web site at: [ipm.agsci.colostate.edu](http://ipm.agsci.colostate.edu) or you can contact, Deborah Young at: [deborah.young@colostate.edu](mailto:deborah.young@colostate.edu) or call 970-491-1377.





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The Colorado Coalition for School IPM is an effort by Colorado State University, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, USDA National Institute of Food & Agriculture, Colorado Department of Agriculture, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Colorado Department of Education, school districts, National Environmental Health Association and private pest control professionals.



**For All The Latest News Don't Forget To Check Out Our Website/Blog at: [www.ccsipm.wordpress.com](http://www.ccsipm.wordpress.com)**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION & IPM EXAMPLES CHECK OUT THE FLICKR PHOTO SETS — EXAMPLES OF IPM PESTS & METHODS**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**June 30, 2014**  
**Colorado School IPM Statewide Meeting**  
**Aurora, CO**

**August 24-27, 2014**  
[Association of Structural Pest Control Regulatory Officials \(ASPCRO\) National Meeting](#)  
**Missoula, MT**

**June 29, 2014—August 15, 2014**  
 Meets bi-weekly  
[Integrated Sustainability Management Certificate Program](#)  
**Fort Collins, CO**

**November 16-19, 2014**  
[Entomological Society of America \(ESA\) National Meeting](#)  
**Portland, OR**

**March 24-26, 2015**  
[8th International IPM Symposium](#)  
**Salt Lake City, UT**

**MILLER MOTHS**

Have you noticed more Miller moths lately? We are in the peak stages of the Miller moth migration to higher elevations according to CSU Extension Entomologists, Whitney Cranshaw and Frank Peairs. The entomologists are anticipating a greater than average influx of the moths due to a combination of

optimum conditions this year.

Miller moths tend to aggregate in the crevices around doors and are considered a nuisance pest because of the worry they can cause when flying around at night. They can also spot drapes and other surfaces, such as unfinished

Miller moths, check out Dr. Cranshaw and Dr. Peairs Q & A fact sheet:

<http://www.ext.colostate.edu/pubs/insect/millermoths.pdf>

