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The Central Interior Branch of APEGBC
is proud to present the

**15th Annual
Ultimate Bridge Building Contest
&
Geo Rocks Event**

**Saturday February 25, 2012
At Pine Centre Mall – Centre Court**

In celebration of the upcoming **National Engineering and Geoscience Month (March 2012)** challenge your friends or colleagues to see who can build the stronger bridge! This is a fun event for all ages. In addition to the bridge contest there will be fun engineering and geoscience booths to check out.

Bring your constructed bridge to the event **on February 25, 2012**. The goal is to **construct the strongest bridge** possible with a maximum 100 Popsicle sticks and all-purpose white glue. The sticks must be left whole. A matchbox car must be able to traverse the bridge on a construction paper deck; otherwise the design of the bridge is left up to the competitor. See the 2012 rules and guidelines for further information about the contest.

There will be awards for the top three bridges in each youth category, as well as a prize for the strongest bridge in the professional and open adult category. The winner must be present at the award ceremony in order to win an award.

Event Details	Time	Prizes
Registration (all categories)*	11:00 – 11:45 am Or the hour before the start time for the category.	
Opening Ceremonies	11:45 am	
Primary Category* (Grades 1 to 3)	12:00 pm	1 st place \$150
Intermediate Category* (Grades 4 to 7)	1:00 pm	2 nd place \$100
Secondary Category (Grades 8 to 12)	2:00 pm	3 rd place \$50
Professional Category and Open Category	Following the youth categories.	To be determined

*There is a voluntary entry fee of a non-perishable food item. All items collected will be donated to the local food bank.

**Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.



A limited numbers of sets of supplies per team are available for pick-up, contact us at ci@apeg.bc.ca, or come visit us at our table in Pine Centre Mall on February 11th for your bridge building package.

If interested in participating send your completed registration form to ci@apeg.bc.ca or fax to 250-563-1941. The contest rules and guidelines are available on our website, www.apeg.bc.ca/ci. **Please register by February 20, 2011.**

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