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CWA Seeks Summit Sponsors

Each year the Climbing Wall Summit presented by Walltopia draws early 400 climbing industry attendees. The CWA has opened the sponsor/exhibitor application process and seeks progressing, industry-minded vendors as sponsor and exhibitor event partners. Opportunities are limited and are fulfilled on a first-come-first-served basis. Don't miss out on the opportunity to showcase your product to the most concentrated industry gathering this year!

[Learn More About the Summit >](#)

Educate for Access Report

On November 2, the CWA was invited to present at the Access Fund's "Educate for Access Summit" in the Gunks, NY. As one of nine presenters at the event, we were able to give the audience a unique perspective from the viewpoint of climbing facility owners and managers. Audience members included land managers, local climbing organizations, climbing gym representatives, and climbing guides. The premise of the event was to collaboratively address the education of climbers transitioning from the indoors to the outdoors.

[Here are a few of our Takeaways >](#)

Member Spotlight: Earth Treks Golden

2013 has been a banner year for the climbing wall industry. Unprecedented growth and expansion indicate increasing demand for quality climbing facilities. Luckily, our industry has stepped up to meet the need. East coast powerhouse, Earth Treks, has joined this movement with the construction of their newest location in Golden, Colorado. We recently spoke with Earth Treks COO Chris Jenkins about the 28,500 sq ft facility to be completed this month.

[Read the Interview >](#)