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Summit Dates: May 14 – 17 in Boulder, CO

We are pleased to announce that the [2014 Climbing Wall Summit](#) will be held in Boulder, CO on May 14 - 17, 2014. Join 400 industry members for networking, certification, education, and inspiration in one of America's premier climbing destinations. The [call for proposals](#) has also been opened with proposals being accepted until all slots are filled.

Registration will open shortly at www.climbingwallindustry.org.

ClimbSmart!® Video Release – Pro Climbers Discuss Responsibility

The CWA is proud to announce the release of the new "Climb for a Lifetime, ClimbSmart!®" video. Professional climbers Chris Sharma, Sasha DiGiulian, Paul Robinson, and Jason Kehl joined the CWA to share their views on why they climb, the dangers of climbing, and climber responsibility. Produced by Louder than 11, the video is available for free viewing and download. CWA also offers other climbing facility resources including new ClimbSmart!® posters, certification programs, and industry standards and publications.

[View the video >](#)

Insurance Update – Survey, Announcement, RFP Process

In August, the CWA distributed over 800 surveys to climbing wall facilities across the United States. The purpose was to gain insights into insurance costs, satisfaction, and industry participation. [Results >](#)

As of October 7, Veracity Insurance Solutions has chosen not to continue as CWA's insurance program provider. We would like to thank Veracity for its service to CWA's members. This change will not affect current Veracity policyholders who will remain insured through the policy expiration date on any current Veracity policy. [The Details >](#)

The search for a new endorsed insurance provider is well underway with interviews being held daily. In order to provide the most accurate data to prospective candidates, we are asking for your help. [Read More >](#)

CWA Launches Job Board

Due to high demand and a growing industry, the CWA is proud to announce the addition of a climbing industry job board to our website. Postings are free for CWA members and are open for public viewing. Current postings include:

Accounting Manager

Mesa Rim Climbing and Fitness

Assistant Manager

Planet Granite

Managing Director

Movement Denver

[Check out the Job Board >](#)

To submit a job posting, [email us](#).