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Media Advisory

Wiens to take 140 students to the Stock Show

Denver -- State Sen. Tom Wiens, R-Castle Rock, will take about 140 rural and inner-city elementary school students to the National Western Stock Show on Friday. One group of students will be from Larkspur Elementary in rural Douglas County, and another from Watch Care Academy in inner-city Denver.

"This is a tremendous way for children from rural and urban environments to share quality time together and learn more about a great Colorado tradition during the 100th anniversary of the National Western," Wiens said. "The Stock Show is a great venue to develop friendships, learn more about one another and have fun."

Details: Sen. Wiens hosts 140 students from Denver and Douglas County for a day at the Stock Show on Friday, Jan. 20.

Visuals: Sen. Wiens with about 140 elementary school students at the Stock Show. Interviews can be arranged.

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Schedule:

The students will eat lunch together at Watch Care Academy before going to the Stock Show.

12:30 - 2 p.m. - Tour and petting zoo.

2 - 4:15 p.m. - Attend the rodeo.

Senator Tom Wiens, R-Castle Rock, is the caucus chairman. He represents Senate District 4, which includes Lake, Douglas, Teller, El Paso and Park Counties. He serves on the Senate Business, Labor & Technology Committee, the Senate Transportation Committee, and the Homeland Security & Emergency Preparedness Committee. His address during the session is State Capitol, Room 274, 200 East Colfax, Denver CO, 80203.

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