



FULTON COUNTY EARTH DAY EVENTS *for all ages!*

April 2, 2013

Fulton County Cooperative Extension

Composting: Turn Your Trash into Treasure

Participants will learn the importance of composting, best composting methods, what materials to compost, where to make the compost pile, how to manage the compost pile and when to use the compost.

Fulton County Cooperative Extension, 1757 Washington Road, East Point, GA 30344
6:30 p.m.

April 9, 2013

Fulton County Cooperative Extension

Backyard Chicken in the City

Participants will learn basics of poultry breeds, housing, nutrition, selecting your chicken, egg production, flock health, mortality disposal, local code enforcement and bio-security.

12 p.m. -Central Library, 1 Margaret Mitchell Square, Ste. 109,Atlanta, GA 30303

Also on April 25, 2013 at 6:30 p.m.- North Fulton Service Center 7741 Roswell Road Sandy Springs, GA 30350

April 11, 2013

Fulton County Department of Water Resources

Weeds and Weed Control in Your Lawn

Participants will learn to identify weeds, the best chemical to control weeds, when to apply pre-emergence and how to have a healthy lawn.

6:30 p.m.

Marist School 3790 Ashford Dunwoody Rd NE Atlanta, GA

April 13, 2013

Fulton County Department of Water Resources

Georgia Green Schools Conference

A program to promote a sense of community among the different groups that promote sustainability in schools and provide hands-on, realistic ideas for students and teachers to take back to their schools.

9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Earth Day Kids Festival Celebration

11th Annual Earth Day Kids Festival is a highly motivational action packed and fun Eco-event where children and youth learn how to become great stewards of the planet we call home.

10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Chattahoochee Nature Center 9135 Willeo Road Roswell, GA 30075

April 16, 2013

Fulton County Department of Water Resources

Earth Day Celebration

Earth Day Program with story-time followed by an environmental craft.

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

College Park Library 3647 Main Street College Park, GA 30337

Project WET (Water Education for Teachers) educator workshop

Educator training in Project WET and Urban Watershed curricula. Staff will partner with the Chattahoochee River National Recreation Area to present this free workshop for teachers and non-formal educators.

9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Island Ford Headquarters 1978 Island Ford Parkway Sandy Springs, GA 30350

Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

Growing Things

10:30 a.m.

Let's take a look at things that grow. As Earth Day approaches, let's take care to make sure they continue to grow.

Ages 3-5. Reservations required.

East Point Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

2757 Main Street, East Point 30344

For more information call 404.762.4842

Springtime Craft

3:30 p.m.

Join us as we make something fun to welcome in the spring season. Ages 6-12. Reservations required.

East Point Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

2757 Main Street, East Point 30344

For more information call 404.762.4842

Spring Gardening Workshop

5:30 p.m.

Grantley Ricketts with Fulton County Cooperative Extension will prepare attendees for gardening in the Spring with information on planning a garden, preparing the soil, maintaining the garden and harvesting. All ages. Registration required.

Fairburn Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

60 Valley View Dr, Fairburn 30213

For information call 770.306.3138

April 17, 2013

Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

Earth Day

10:30 a.m.

Come celebrate Earth Day by listening to a story that emphasizes the importance of living green. All ages.

East Atlanta Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System.

400 Flat Shoals Ave SE, Atlanta 30316

For information call 404.730.5438

Public Health Month

12:00 p.m.

Health and wellness. Adults. Reservations required.

Bowen/Bankhead Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

2685 Donald Lee Hollowell Parkway, Atlanta 30318

For information call 404.792.2646

April 20, 2013

Fulton County Department of Water Resources

Household Hazardous Waste Amnesty Day

South Fulton Residents are encouraged to bring their HHW items to one of the three District 7 Bulky Trash and Secure Shredding drop off locations. These products will be disposed of properly to protect water quality.

8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Merk Road Transfer Station , Creel Park, South Fulton Service Center

April 22, 2013

Fulton County Department of Water Resources

Earth Day Celebration

Earth Day Program using the Enviroscape Model of a typical community showing many common land uses.

4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Alpharetta Library 238 Canton Street Alpharetta, GA 30004

Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

Earth Day Craft

Saturday Library hours.

Kids can enjoy a make-it-take craft.

Southwest Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

3665 Cascade Road, Atlanta 30331

For information call 404.699.6363

Earth Day Awareness

Library hours.

Young library patrons will promote Earth Day awareness by placing recyclables in designated bins.

Adamsville/Collier Heights Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

3424 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Atlanta 30331

For information call 404.699.4206

Celebrate Earth Day

Library hours.

Make a special craft to celebrate Earth Day during library hours. Reservations required for groups.

Stewart Lakewood Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

2893 Lakewood Avenue, Atlanta 30315

For information call 404.762.4054

The Urban Environment and Health in Atlanta – Earth Day 2013

11:00 a.m.

Did you know that your street address is one of the strongest predictors that there is in terms of future health, financial status and well-being? Celebrate Earth Day by learning about the unique qualities and characteristics of Atlanta that both negatively impact or promote health. Na' Taki Osborne Jelks, Manager, Education and Advocacy Programs Southeast Regional Center at the National Wildlife Federation is the presenter.

Central Library, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

One Margaret Mitchell Square, Atlanta 30303

For information call 404.730.1700

Reading for the Earth - Celebrating Earth Day

3:30 p.m.

On Earth Day we should remember to appreciate nature and find ways that you can help keep the planet clean. Listen to stories and participate in activities that encourage protecting the Earth. This is also a chance to pledge to read a book for Earth Day. Pledge forms are available from staff. Ages 3-10. Reservations required for groups.

Perry Homes Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
2011 Bolton Road, NW, Atlanta 30318
For information call 404.792.4994

Earth Day Craft

4:00 p.m.

Join us for an after-school craft time with an Earth Day theme and talk about why it's important to live green!

Hapeville Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
525 King Arnold Street, Hapeville 30354
For information call 404.762.4065

Earth Day Craft

4:00 p.m.

Ages 4-12. Sponsored by the Friends of the Northside Branch Library, Inc.
Northside Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
3295 Northside Parkway NW, Atlanta 30327
For information call 404.814.3508

Recycled Crafts Extravaganza

4:00 p.m.

Get ready for Earth Day at our recycled crafts extravaganza! We'll turn ordinary household items into beautiful art. Ages 5-12.

Ponce de Leon Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
980 Ponce de Leon Ave., NE, Atlanta 30306
For information call 404.885.7820

Earth Day Kids Celebration

4:30 p.m.

Celebrate Earth Day with books, fun facts and friends at your library. Fulton County Environmental Education will come and educate us about pollution and what we can do to help. Ages 5-10.

Alpharetta Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
238 Canton Street Alpharetta 30009
For information call 770.740.2425

Earth Day Craft and Fun for Kids

4:30 p.m.

Craft and story. Ages 6 and up.

Northeast/ Spruill Oaks Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
9560 Spruill Road, Johns Creek 30022
For information call 770.360.8820

Earth Day Young Adventurers: Beavers Builders

3:30 p.m.

We will learn about how beavers help to build helpful dams with Sharon Smith from Fulton County Water Resources. Sign up required and starts April 1. Space is limited. Ages 4-6.

Sandy Springs Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
395 Mt. Vernon Highway, Atlanta 30328
For information call 404.303.6130

Earth Day Adventurers: Pitcher Plants and Bogs

3:30 p.m.

We will learn about how plants can survive and thrive in bogs with Sharon Smith from Fulton County Water Resources. Sign up required and starts April 1. Space is limited. Ages 7-10.

Sandy Springs Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

395 Mt. Vernon Highway, Atlanta 30328

For information call 404.303.6130

Celebrate Earth Day

5:00 p.m.

How will you contribute and celebrate Earth Day? Ages 5-18.

Kirkwood Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

11 Kirkwood Road, Atlanta 30317

For information call 404.377.6471

April 23-24, 2013

Fulton County Department of Water Resources

Earth Day Celebration

April 23 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Earth Day Program with story-time followed by an environmental craft

East Point Library 2757 Main Street East Point, GA 30344

Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

For the Love of Our Earth – Toddler Storytime

Tuesday and Wednesday, April 23-24. 10:00 a.m.

The little ones will hear stories about how they can help to protect and keep the earth clean and healthy. Ages 2-6. Reservations required for groups.

Perry Homes Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

2011 Bolton Road, NW, Atlanta 30318

For information call 404.792.4994

Spring Gardening!

Tuesday, April 23. 10:30 a.m.

Children will enjoy learning how to plant a spring garden with lots of fun, games and prizes.

Ages 4-6.

Central Library, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

One Margaret Mitchell Square, Atlanta 30303

For information call 404.730.1700

Celebrating Earth Day!

Tuesday, April 23. 10:30 a.m.

A Dirty Dirt project using soil with seniors from Community Alert. Seniors. Birdine Center.

Reservations required.

Carver Homes Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

215 Lakewood Way, Suite 104, Atlanta 30315

For information call 404.635.4012

Earth Day Stories for Preschoolers

Tuesday, April 23. 11:45 a.m.

Preschoolers will enjoy stories about Earth Day and learn about taking good care of our planet.

Note: this is a part of the storytimes series. Ages 3-5.

Buckhead Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

269 Buckhead Ave. NE, Atlanta, 30305

For information call 404.814.3500

Celebrate Earth Day With Environmental Crafts

Wednesday, April 24. 10:00 a.m.

Stories, crafts presented by Fulton County Department of Water. Ages 3-6. Reservations required.

Washington Park Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

1116 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Atlanta 30314

For information call 404.752.8760

Earth Day Crafts for Kids

Wednesday, April 24. 4:00 p.m.

Ever wonder what to do with those old Pringle cans? Bring them to the library empty to recycle them into friendship

bracelets and other crafts. Ages 8 and up.

Adams Park Branch, a part of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

2231 Campbellton Road, SW, Atlanta 30311

For information call 404.752.8763

April 25, 2013

Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

How to Green Your Home, School, or Community – Earth Month

11:00 a.m.

April is Earth Month and a great time to discover new and interesting ways to live more eco-friendly and sustainable lifestyles that are good for our planet and our health! Learn simple strategies to green your home, school or community while cutting costs and ensuring resources for future generations. Na' Taki Osborne Jelks, Manager, Education and Advocacy Programs Southeast Regional Center at the National Wildlife Federation is the presenter.

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One Margaret Mitchell Square, Atlanta 30303

For information call 404.730.1700

April 27, 2013

Fulton County Health Services

Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta Super STEM Expo

10 -6 p.m.

Collaboration of organizations throughout the Metro-Atlanta area to raise awareness of environmental protection and careers through displays activities, and interaction.

North Atlanta Trade Center Norcross, GA