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STUDENT RECYCLE ART CALENDAR



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The Recycle Hotline Is:

*503.390.4000 or 1.877.390.4001 (outside of the Salem-Keizer area)
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RECYCLE ART CALENDAR



During October of 2010...

students in Marion County were preparing their entries for the annual Recycle Art Calendar Contest. The students were encouraged to think critically about waste reduction, reuse, and why it is important to recycle.

Nine hundred sixty-nine entries were received from students all across Marion County! Fourteen students received awards of U.S. Savings Bonds valued from \$100 to \$200 in several grade categories. Students with winning entries were also awarded certificates that were presented to them by the Marion County Board of Commissioners, Mid-Valley Garbage and Recycling Association (MVGRA), Salem-Keizer School District, and Marion County Public Works – Environmental Services (MCPWES) at a televised ceremony in December.

MCPWES and the eight garbage and recycling companies of MVGRA provide ongoing recycling awareness and education by offering presentations, classes, recycling demonstrations, and free learning materials to the community. If you are interested in learning more about recycling and the conservation of our natural resources, contact Mid-Valley Garbage & Recycling Association at (503) 390-4000 or Marion County Public Works - Environmental Services at (503) 588-5169. Protect our air and water - REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE!

This art calendar was coordinated and developed by MCPWES staff Sarah Keirns, Waste Reduction Coordinator and Bailey Payne, Waste Reduction Coordinator; Kelley Cary, Salem-Keizer School District Recycling Coordinator; and Mary Kanz, Executive Director of MVGRA.

Printing these calendars on 100% post-consumer recycled paper saved the equivalent of...

3,822 lbs. of
greenhouse gases



1,959 lbs.
of solid waste



17,522 gallons
of water



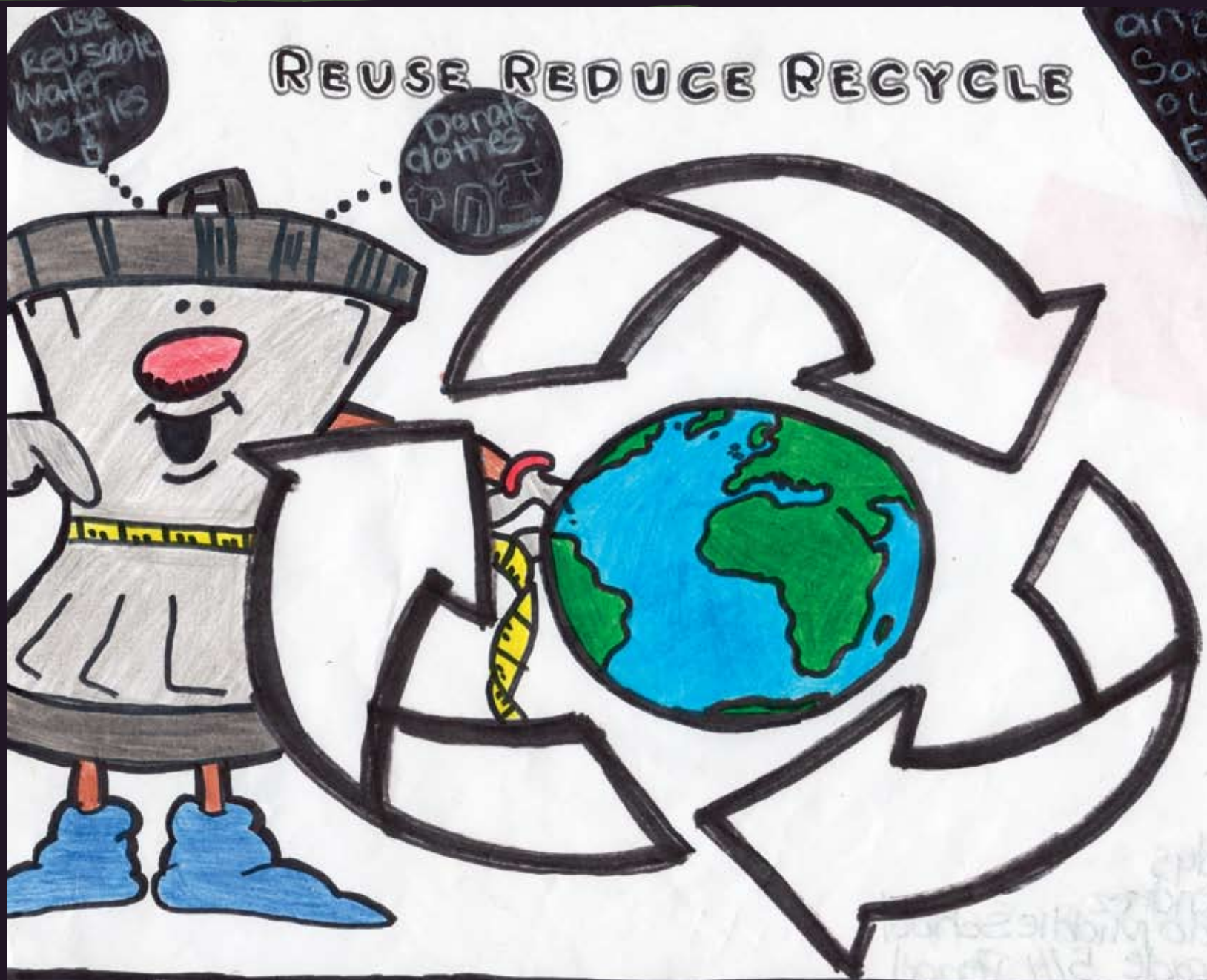
41 fully
grown trees



232 gallons
of gasoline



REUSE REDUCE RECYCLE



Reduce our Consumption.

♥ I Save our beautiful trees by recycling.

Gladys O. Melendrez Ruiz 6th Grade, Waldo Middle School



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JANUARY 2011

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Americans buy nearly 3 billion batteries every year. Buying rechargeable batteries reduces waste and can save you money.
 – US Environmental Protection Agency



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Martin Luther King Jr. Day

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 Compliment Day

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Each year recycling in Marion County saves the equivalent amount of energy as 1 million barrels of oil. The energy savings are enough energy to power over 37,000 homes for an entire year.



We
(SHOULD)
live in a
world of



Reduce,
use, &
cycle.

FEBRUARY 2011

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By recycling plastic bottles and tubs in Marion County, we save the equivalent of 8,600 gallons of gasoline each year!

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Groundhog Day

Chinese New Year

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Lincoln's Birthday

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Great Backyard Bird Count Begins - www.birdsource.org

St. Valentine's Day

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Presidents Day

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Marion County has an easy-to-use online guide for recycling and disposal. The next time you have a question about where to recycle or dispose of an item visit mcrecycles.net



The World
is in my hands

Keep
Our Earth
Clean



Reduce
Reuse
Recycle

Waste
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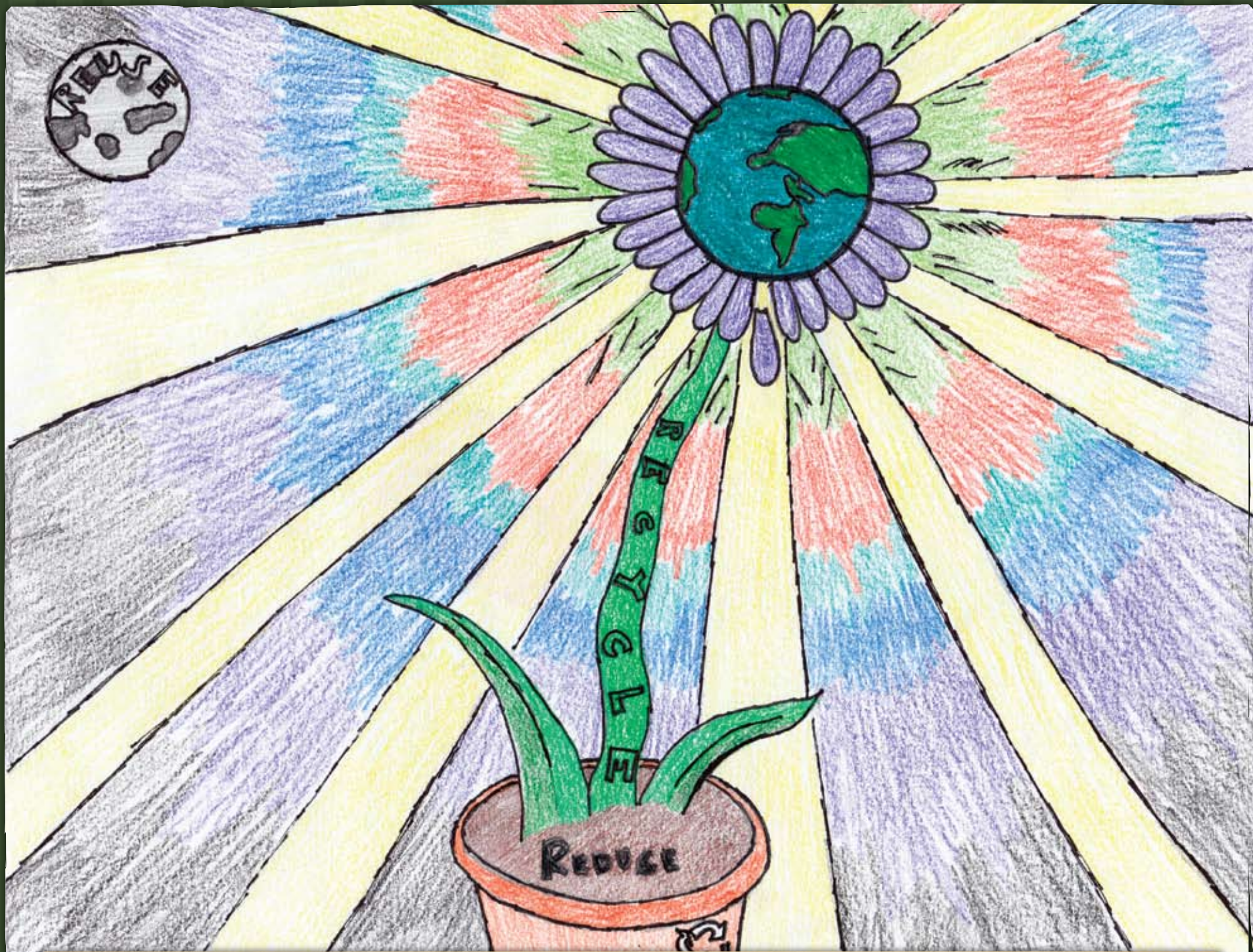
MARCH 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>Attention Graduating High School Seniors! Call to find out about the Marion County Scholarship & Summer Internship. (503) 588-5169</p>		1	2 <small>Read Across America Day</small>	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 <small>Daylight Savings Time Begins</small>	14	15	16	17 <small>St. Patrick's Day</small>	18	19 <small>FULL MOON ●</small> <small>SOLV's Great Oregon Spring Beach Cleanup - www.solv.org</small>
20 <small>First Day of Spring Purim</small>	21 <small>Baha'i New Year</small>	22 <small>World Water Day</small>	23	24	25	26 <small>Earth Hour at 8 p.m. www.EarthHour.org</small>
27	28	29	30	31	<p>If your electronic device can't be reused or repaired, don't throw it away! Take advantage of an electronics recycling program in your community. mcrecycles.net</p>	



In the U.S., we generate enough trash each day to fill 44,919 garbage trucks that hold 9 tons of trash each.
—Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources





Marcus Gabriel Dorsey *8th Grade, Mt. Angel Middle School*

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APRIL 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>20% of residential garbage in Marion County is food waste. Don't waste a valuable resource! Start a backyard composter! Marion County sells composters at a discount at Fresh Start Market (3020 Center St. NE, Salem). <i>mcrecycles.net</i></p>					1 <i>April Fool's Day</i>	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16 <i>Earth Day Celebration at the Oregon Garden in Silverton 10:00 am - 4:00 pm</i>
17	18 <i>FULL MOON</i> ●	19	20	21	22 <i>Earth Day</i>	23
24 <i>Easter</i> <i>TV-TURNOFF WEEK</i>	25 <i>Oregon Green Schools Summit</i>	26	27	28	29	30 <i>Arbor Day www.arborday.org</i>



In Marion County, more than 46,540 tons of food was thrown away in 2008, including \$70 million worth of edible food.
—Oregon Department of Environmental Quality



Save our Earth



If it grows,
it goes.

Compost

R.R.R.

Recycle Bin

Please Recycle and compost



MAY 2011

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Over 30,000 gallons of latex paint are recycled each year through the Paint Back program in Marion County.
That's enough paint to cover both sides of a wall 10 feet tall spanning from Salem to Roseburg!
- Oregon Department of Environmental Quality



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National Teacher Day

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Mother's Day

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Bike to Work Day

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Memorial Day 30

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Buddha's Birthday



In 2009, the Oregon E-Cycles program collected 19 million pounds of unwanted computers, monitors and TVs. This kept 1.2 million pounds of lead from going into the garbage.

-Oregon Department of Environmental Quality



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Helping our world is helping your self and others

Use rechargeable batteries



use used clothes



Plant your tomatoes Own garden!



you can save trees!!



Use the back and front of your paper to not cut trees.



front



back

reusable containers



Its like if your making your food in your garden.

Think Green Act Green!



JUNE 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>It takes on average 39,090 gallons of water to make one new car and its four tires; 62,600 gallons of water are needed to produce one ton of steel; and 9.3 gallons to process only one can of fruit or vegetables.</p> <p>—US Environmental Protection Agency</p>			1	2	3	4
5 World Environment Day	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15 <small>FULL MOON</small> ● Fly a Kite Day	16	17	18
19 Juneteenth Father's Day	20	21 First Day of Summer	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		



Recycling just 2 gallons of used oil can generate enough electricity to run the average household for almost 24 hours.



Save Our World,



Save bags to save our World!

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!

You Can Do It!



JULY 2011

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The average American uses 5 times more energy than the average global citizen.
—Worldwatch Institute



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Independence Day

Marion County Fair Begins

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Marion County Fair Ends

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Recycling one pound of steel saves enough energy to power a 60-watt light bulb more than 26 hours.



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RECYCLE!

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AUGUST 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Ramadan begins	2	3 National Watermelon Day	4	5	6 Call (503) 588-5169 or visit our website to find out about the next Marion County Master Recycler class!
7	8	9 Smokey the Bear's Birthday	10	11	12 International Youth Day	13 FULL MOON ●
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26  Oregon State Fair starts	27
28	29	30 Ramadan ends	31	<p>There are more than 4,500 products available with recycled content. —Center for a New American Dream</p>		



Each person in the U.S. uses about 80-100 gallons of water per day. The largest use of household water is to flush the toilet, and after that, to take showers and baths.

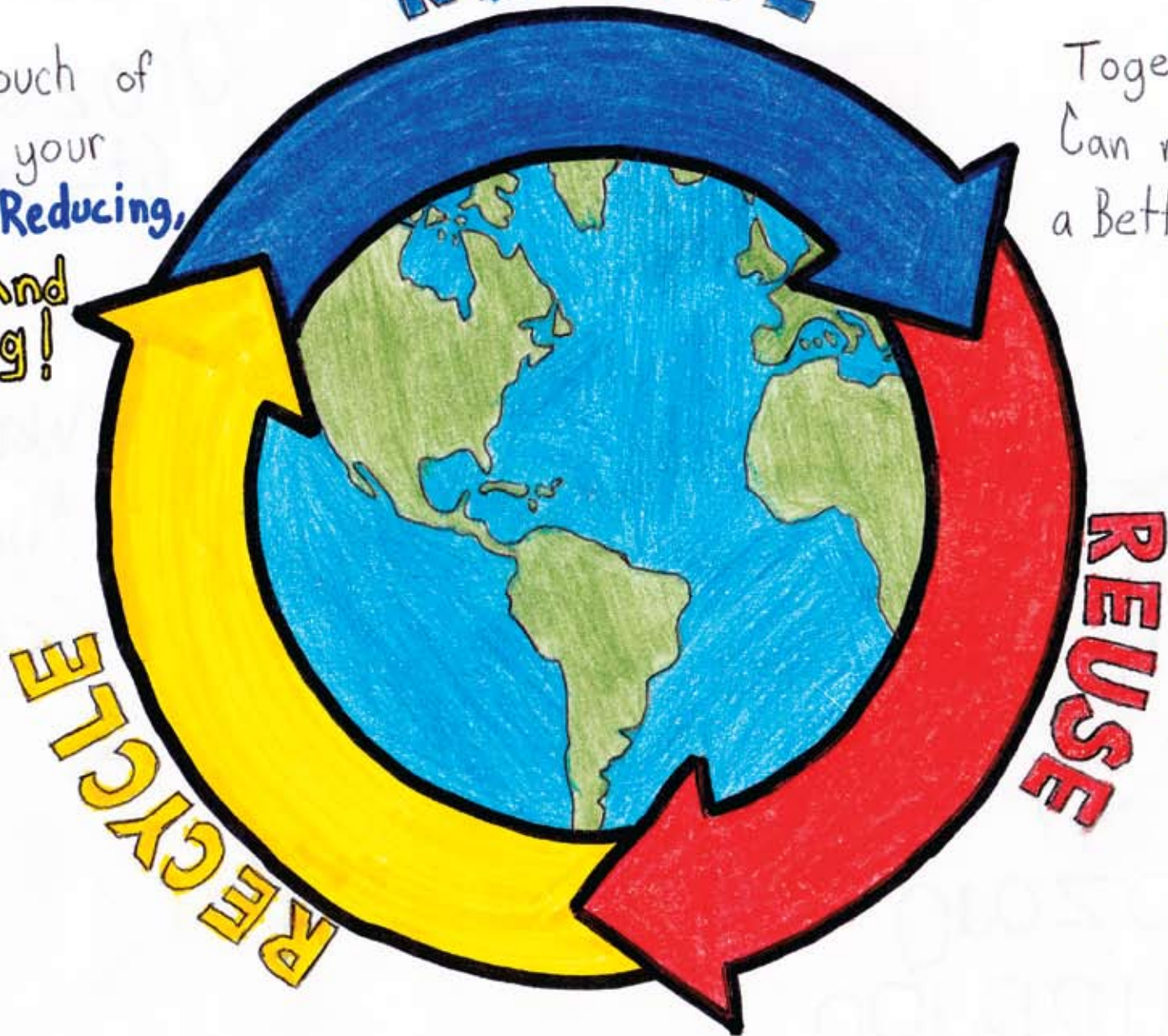
—US Geological Survey



REDUCE

Add a touch of
Color to your
Life by **Reducing,**
Reusing, and
Recycling!

Together we
Can make earth
a Better place!



SEPTEMBER 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>Grass clippings contain valuable nutrients that can generate up to 25 percent of your lawn's total fertilizer needs when left on the lawn. – US Environmental Protection Agency</p>				1 Library Card Signup Month	2	3
4	5 Labor Day	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 FULL MOON ● Grandparents' Day	13	14	15	16	17 SOLV's Fall Beach Clean-Up www.solv.org
18	19	20	21 International Day of Peace	22 First Day of Autumn	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Rosh Hashanah	30	



The average American generates 79.5 pounds of glass per year.
 – US Environmental Protection Agency



More these



less those



Sarah Therkelsen 6th Grade, Mt. Angel Middle School

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OCTOBER 2011

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Choose to reuse and prevent good stuff from becoming waste. Donate, buy and sell products and materials from Marion County ReUse Network organizations and businesses.

mcrecycles.net

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World Animal Welfare Day

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Columbus Day

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Make A Difference Day

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Halloween

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Diwali



Help your school go green by recycling, reducing energy use, and more. Become an Oregon Green School!

www.oregongreenschools.org



Reduce

Reuse

Recycle

Save the Earth,
One paper at a
time 🕒...



NOVEMBER 2011

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The average American uses 500 plastic bags each year. Remember, plastic bags can never be placed in curbside mixed recycling.



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Daylight Savings Time Ends

Election Day

Veteran's Day

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America Recycles Day

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Thanksgiving Day



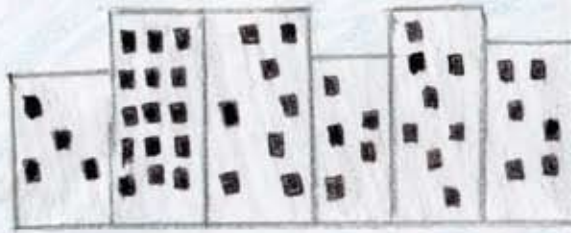
Recycling in Marion County saves nearly 342,174 trees a year. Conserve natural resources and recycle all newspaper, scrap paper, and cardboard.



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USA



CHINA



PASS IT ON



South America



EGYPT



REDUCE

RE-USE



DECEMBER 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>For every garbage can placed at the curb, the equivalent of 71 garbage cans of waste is created in obtaining the resources and making the products and packaging we are throwing away. <i>—Grassroots Recycling Network</i></p>				1	2	3
4	5 <i>International Volunteer Day</i>	6	7	8	9	10 <i>FULL MOON</i> ● <i>Human Rights Day</i>
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 <i>Hanukkah Begins</i> <i>First Day of Winter</i>	22	23	24
25 <i>Christmas Day</i>	26 <i>Kwanzaa begins</i>	27	28 <i>Hanukkah Ends</i>	29	30	31



Hazardous materials are common in the homes of most Oregonians. Watch for the words "caution," "warning," and "danger." Take unwanted products to a hazardous waste collection site.





Chance Kirk 1st Grade, St. Paul Parochial School



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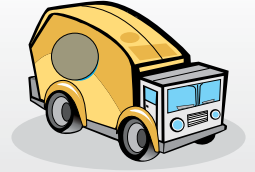
WEDNESDAY

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An incandescent light bulb costs 75 cents or less at the store, but it will typically cost six to 10 times that for electricity over its relatively short (750-hour) life.
 – Rocky Mountain Institute



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New Year's Day
Kwanzaa Ends

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Martin Luther King Jr. Day

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Each year, motorists in the U.S. generate about 1 scrap tire for every man, woman and child in the country.



BECOME AN OREGON GREEN SCHOOL!



Approximately 50 schools throughout Marion County have achieved Oregon Green School status. They are reducing their waste and use of resources with the help of an exciting program that saves schools money and teaches students and educators how to be better stewards of our environment. To learn more about Oregon Green Schools, contact Marion County Public Works-Environmental Services or visit www.OregonGreenSchools.org

Call us to receive a FREE DVD about recycling!

Marion County has partnered with other municipalities in Oregon to create a new video. This video explains the recycling process, from the time recyclables leave your curb to the time they become new products. If you've ever wondered what happens to your recyclables when they "go away," give us a call and we will mail you a FREE DVD!



PUBLIC WORKS ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

503.588.5169



Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

FREE* disposal of household hazardous waste is now available! The facility is open Thursdays & the 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month from 8:00am - 3:30pm.

Many household products contain hazardous chemicals and if improperly disposed of can end up in surface and groundwater. Visit our website or call us for alternatives to hazardous waste.



*Businesses are charged a nominal fee and must call (800) 444-4244 for an appointment.

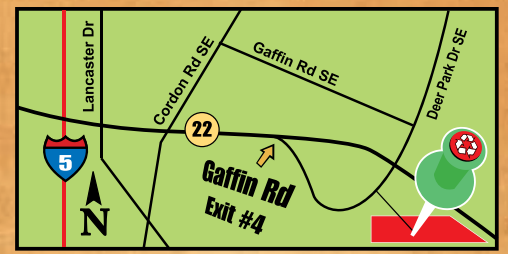
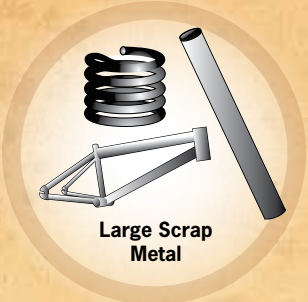


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mcrecycles.net
503.588.5169 *Se habla español*

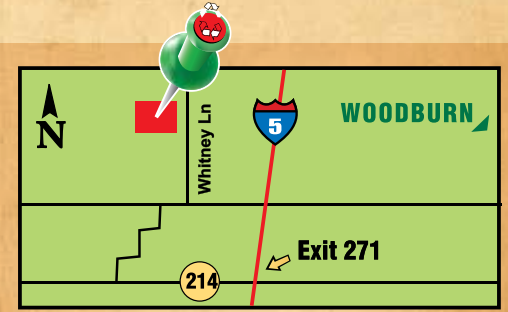
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503.588.5169 *Se habla español* | www.co.marion.or.us/pw/es



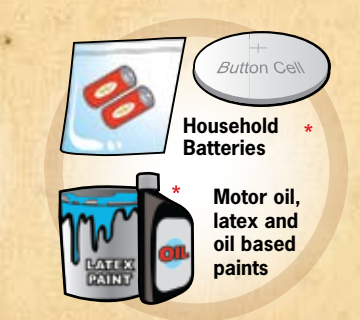
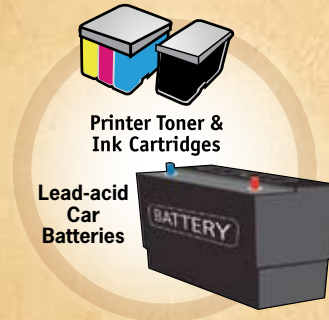
Salem-Keizer Recycling & Transfer Station

3250 Deer Park Dr. SE
Salem, OR 97317



North Marion Recycling & Transfer Station

17827 Whitney Ln NE
Woodburn, OR 97071

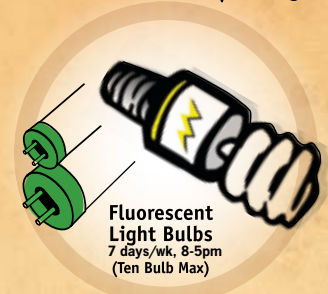


* Indicates that a fee is required to recycle this item. *These items are also recyclable curbside.



Great for Kids!
It's a 1/4 mile self-guided walking tour with displays about recycling.

The following items are only accepted at the Salem-Keizer Recycling & Transfer Station



Curbside Recycling

Curbside recycling varies by city. For details on your city's program, call your garbage and recycling hauler or 503.390.4000 (Call 877.390.4001 if outside of the Salem calling area)

New
for Salem
- Keizer

Mixed Organics

These Items Go In The
MIXED ORGANICS ROLL CART:

All Food
Breads, Grains, Coffee
Grounds, Tea Leaves,
Dairy Products, Egg
Shells, Bones, Fruits,
Vegetables, Meats,
Proteins, Seafood & Shells



Some Paper*
Coffee Filters,
Tea Bags, Food-soiled
Napkins and Paper Towels,
Pizza Boxes (No Frozen Food Boxes)

Plants
Grass Clippings, Yard
Prunings, Leaves, Pine
Needles, Weeds, Flowers
& Floral Trimmings
(No Poison Oak)



Cities of Jefferson, Hubbard, Stayton, Silverton and Woodburn:
All yard waste (including, leaves, twigs and grass clippings) fruit & vegetable scraps, and coffee & tea grounds/ filters can be included in the yard debris roll cart. Lid must be completely shut for automated system to work properly.



REMEMBER:
IF IT GROWS,
IT GOES!

NO:

Plastic Bags, Medical Waste,
Animal Waste, Foil, Liquids,
Grease/Oils, Metal, Personal
Hygiene Products, Other
plastic, Styrofoam, Utensils

*Sorry, no other paper items
at this time

Mixed Recycling

These Items Go In The
MIXED RECYCLING ROLL CART:

Paper/Cardboard *including:*
Junk Mail
Gift Wrap and Greeting Cards (no foil)
Magazines
Newspaper
Phone Books
Paperback Books
Shredded Paper in Paper Bags
Egg Cartons (No Styrofoam)



Plastics *Rinse first!*
Number 1-7 Bottles and Tubs -caps
and pumps discarded, and Flower
Pots/Trays. Sorry, no Styrofoam!



Metal
Tin & Aluminum Cans -*Rinse first!*
*Paper labels can be added to cart
separately.* Aerosol Cans with tips and
caps removed, and Small Scrap Metal
under 10 lbs and 18" long.

YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO, TOSS IT IN BIG BLUE!

Lid must be completely
shut for automated
system to work properly.



NO:

Plastic bags, Styrofoam,
plastic bottle caps, syringes,
medical waste, greasy or
waxed cardboard, garbage,
or glass in the mixed
recycling rollcart

Small Recycling Basket

These Items Go In The
SMALL RECYCLING BASKET:

Household Batteries
Alkaline, rechargeable, & small button
cells. Sizes AAAA through D, 6 Volt - 9
Volt. Must be in a zip-sealed bag.



Usable Latex Paint and
any Oil-Based Paint
Place up to 2, one-gallon labeled
cans. Please: NO rusty cans!



Used Motor Oil
In a sealed, leak-proof,
plastic screw-top container.



Antifreeze
Place into screw-top see-thru plastic
jug. Keep separate from motor oil.



Glass Bottles and Jars
Please sort large quantities of glass into
paper sacks - keep clear from colored.
No other types of glass please.



Vegetable Cooking Oil
Place up to 2 gallons of cooled oil into
original or clean see-thru plastic screw-top
container.



IMPORTANT

The items
above must be placed
inside the small
recycling basket

PLEASE PLACE THESE CONTAINERS 4 FEET APART AND 4 FEET FROM OTHER ITEMS, SUCH AS VEHICLES, SHRUBS, AND MAILBOXES.