

Townsend Recycling Committee and Earth Day meeting

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April 23, 2019

7:00 pm

Study Room, Townsend Library

Agenda

- I. past minutes
- II. Updates
 - 1. Recycling Committee membership
 - 2. Recycling Education
 - 3. Recycling center
 - 4. Grant is on line now
 - 5. HHW
 - 6. Recycling bylaw
 - 7. Hauler regulations
 - 8. Textile educational cup
 - 9. Hawthorn Brooke dish washer
 - 10. MAY 3rd 9-10 am Tour of E.L Harvey in Westborough MA where our recyclables go, all are welcome
- III. Clean up April 20 and May 4th
 - 1. how did it go
 - 2. at the common 9 am, have bags, map, gloves
 - 3. At the library, at Town hall sign up
 - 4. pictures
 - 5. grippers
 - 6. come on April 27th to share with the recycling committee how many bags you collected.

IV.

Earth Day 2019:

1. theme

April 27 th Saturday 10 am-3 pm.

Earth Day Celebration on the Townsend Town Common, Routes 119 and 13, Townsend.

Rain Date, Sunday April 28th , noon-4 pm.

Music, crafts, environmental organizations, food and fun

This year's theme " Our Squannacook River"

- Booth coordinator: Susan Clement- if you are a for profit vendor contact
 - Susan at. SusanClement49@yahoo.com \$30-
 - Booth coordinator for non profits and Entertainment- Free booth available-contact
 - Karen Clement- clem6six@verizon.net <clem6six@verizon.net>;
8. Logistics
- i. Site set – done
 - ii. Port o potty-
 - iii. Bus-Karen
 - iv. Parking-NEED MORE HELP.
 - v. Zero waste-
9. Publicity update-
- i. Facebook- continuing
 - ii. Website- done
 - iii. Craft Sites – done
 - iv. Senior Calendar- done
 - v. Voice- Karen?

- vi. Art teacher- elementary art for the gazebo- Lisa Careau Spaulding
Art Teacher <lcareau@nmrsd.org> Irene will pick up
- vii. Posters- Lori Wiechers Northmiddlesex School Graphics
<lwiecher@nmrsd.org> Will need to distribute today
- viii.
- ix. street signs need to be out- Irene has them at 133 Brookline Rd
- x. signs need to be put up- Irene has them at the house

10. Entertainment-

- i. Our big attraction- Nashua River watershed
 - 1. we need to vote on \$250 for NRWA to have an educator at Earth day and do 3 programs. See attached.
- ii. Karen will find out about turtles and pellets.
- iii. Irene will contact Townsend Rod and gun club about teaching fly fishing
- iv. Gazebo- Magic
- v. Grass-
- vi. Theme booths

11. Recycling committee booths-

- i. Kitchen & compost bins Education- Irene will ask Carla ask if we have the bins or if we need more
- ii. Eric will have the educational signs and Good / Bad Recycling bins
- iii. Tablet to talk about Recycle Smart MA. Org
- iv. Clean up day info, Jason will have the info and 1 table, Irene will bring marbles , Erica will have tyke truck

Adjourn

Next meeting How about June 11th