

Speakers – Room CL 163 in Galleria

10:00am - 11:00am

"Save Trees – Go Paperless – Oh Really?" presented by author and environmentally focused business leader Derek Smith, of Derek Smith and Associates.

11:00am - Noon

"Stream ReLeaf 101" presented by Laura Miller of the Dept. of Recreation and Parks will explore the County program of increasing stream buffers followed by a tree planting at the pond behind the Galleria.

Noon – 12:30pm

"Bike to Work Safely" presented by Race Pace Bicycles. Learn tips and strategies for a safe and fun commute.

12:30pm - 1:30pm

"Ingredients of a Successful Vegetable Garden" presented by Howard County Master Gardeners. Learn the keys to keeping a vegetable garden healthy and abundant.

1:30pm – 2:30pm

"Introduction to Honey Bees and Keeping Bees" with the Howard County Beekeepers Association, Inc. Find out about the fascinating and rewarding hobby of beekeeping.

2:30pm – 3:00pm

"Bike to Work Safely" presented by Race Pace Bicycles. Learn tips and strategies for a safe and fun commute.

Workshops and Activities – Room CL 162 in Galleria

10:00am – 4:00pm

Cut-A-Thon – Salon Marielle, Ellicott City's local Aveda Concepts Salon, will be providing hair cuts for \$25 and \$35 and donating 100% of the costs to American Rivers, Inc. (Located in Room CL 169 in Galleria.)

10:00am -1:00pm

"What is your Footprint?" Drop in to calculate and learn how to lower your carbon footprint with the help of Girl Scout Troop 128.

1:00pm to 2:00pm

"This is Green Jeopardy!" High school teams will compete in a Jeopardy-style trivia challenge. Cheer on your team!

2:00pm to 3:00pm

"Little Space? Grow a Container Vegetable Garden." with Howard County Master Gardeners. Learn gardening principles for growing vegetables in limited space.

More Workshops – Room CL 153 in Galleria

10:00am – 11:00am

Rain barrel Workshop – Learn how to build and use a rain barrel. Free barrels to the first 100 preregistered participants at www.hcgreenfest.org

11:00am – Noon

Green Screen Awards presented by the Environmental Sustainability Board to the winners of the Green Screen Video Contest.

Noon – 1:00pm

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1:00pm – 2:00pm

Recycling Workshop – Confused about what can and cannot be put in your blue bin and why? Our Recycling Coordinators will explain.



More Workshops (Continued) – Room CL 153 in Galleria

2:00pm – 3:00pm

Rain barrel Workshop – Learn how to build and use a rain barrel. Free barrels to the first 100 preregistered participants at www.hcgreenfest.org

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

10:00am - 4:00pm

Bikes for the World will be on site collecting new and used bicycles, bike parts and accessories to fix up and donate to countries around the world. Donate your outgrown, rusty or old bikes for reuse by those in need. <u>www.bikesfortheworld.org/</u> Parking Lot A.

Goodwill Industries, Inc. will be in Parking Lot A collecting used clothes, electronics, toys, games, dishes, etc. Decrease your waste by allowing others to reuse your unneeded items. www.goodwill.org/ Parking Lot A.

10:00am - 2:00pm

Shredding Event in Parking Lot A – Free for County residents; 3 bags or boxes maximum.

11:00am – Noon

Garlic Mustard Pull - Help us rid the campus of this exotic plant invader. (Meet on the Quad outside the Galleria.)

11:30am – 2:00pm

Tree Planting – Sponsored by the Sierra Club on HCC Campus. Get your hands dirty and have extra fun! Help us plant a buffer around the pond just outside the doors of GreenFest behind the Galleria while learning proper tree planting techniques and enjoying some fresh air. (Meet at the pond behind the Galleria.)

Noon – 1:00pm

Join the Columbia Association for a watershed walk around campus and learn about our local watersheds and how it relates to the Chesapeake Bay. (Meet on the Quad outside the Galleria.)

1:00pm – 1:30pm

Children's binocular building activity followed by a bluebird walk with Michele Wright. (Meet at Howard County Rec and Parks Outdoor Recreation Table.)

1:30pm - 2:00pm

Watershed Walk - Bob Marietta will lead a walk around the HCC campus to point out all the signs of spring and the efforts of the college to create a nature trail, manage storm water, plant native flora. You will even visit the Howard County Champion American Beech tree! (Meet on the Quad outside the Galleria.)

2:00pm - 3:00pm

Reptile & Amphibian Survey - Help out with the five year reptile & amphibian survey underway state-wide. We will search a wooded area of the campus and identify as many reptile and amphibian species (snakes, frogs, turtles, etc.) as we can. Wear old shoes that can get muddy. Recommended for 10 years and older. (Meet on the Quad outside the Galleria.)

2:00pm - 3:00pm

Dumpster Dive – Join the HCC Environmental Club to find out how much of our daily waste could actually be recycled or composted rather than sent to the landfill. Gloves will be supplied for you to join in the sorting. (Meet on the Quad.)