

GreenFest 2013

A community-wide celebration to increase awareness of and interest in improving the environment at home, work, and in the community. Events below are hosted by the ACC Recycling Division. For a complete list of events occurring during GreenFest, visit www.athensgreenfest.com.

Eco-Focus Film Festival Presents Trash Dance

Friday, March 22 at 2:00 PM

Cine, 234 West Hancock Avenue

Join ACC Recycling Division for this FREE screening. Get inspired by a garbage truck! For Eco-Focus Film Festival information visit - www.ecofocusfilmfest.org.

"Wood" you Chuck a Can for Gus?

February 2 - April 22 (Earth Day)

Aluminum can collection for Gus the Groundhog at Bear Hollow Wildlife Trail. Proceeds from the cans will give Gus "new digs". Special drop-off containers are at Bear Hollow Wildlife Trail at Memorial Park and ACC Solid Waste Office off Olympic Drive.

Super Shredder Saturday!

Saturday, April 20 from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

ACC Recycling Facility, 699 Hancock Industrial Way

Residents can shred up to 2 boxes of documents for free! Additional boxes can be shred for \$5.00 per box, payable in cash.

Recycling Happy Hour

Tuesday, April 23 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM

UGA Intramural Fields, Lot E01 off College Station Road

Bring electronics, including TVs, batteries, bulbs, and used cooking grease for recycling.

Recycling Facility Spring Open House

Thursday, April 25 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM

ACC Recycling Facility, 699 Hancock Industrial Way

Tour the recycling facility and see how material is sorted, processed and made ready for its role as a new product. Bring an aluminum can to support the special collection for Gus.

Scavenger Hunt at the ACC Landfill

Sunday, April 28 at 9:00 AM

5700 Lexington Road

"Hunt" around with the Recycling Division and the Oconee River Audubon Society for nature's best recyclers, the Vulture and other species. Cancelled if raining, dress for a trail hike.



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US Composting Council

International Compost Awareness Week

May 6-12, 2013



Compost Sale at the ACC Landfill - 5700 Lexington Road

May 6 - 11, 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM (loading times)

\$6/Cubic yard - half the normal price!

Compost can start your flower beds, plant your shrubs, and replenish soils in your yard. For more information call the ACC Landfill at (706) 613-3508.

Dirt! The Movie - The State Botanical Garden of Georgia Callaway Building Auditorium, 2450 S. Milledge Ave

May 6 from 7:00 - 9:00 PM

The FREE screening is cosponsored by the EcoFocus Film Festival. More information is at www.ecofocusfilmfest.org.

Compost Bin Sale at ACC Solid Waste Department, 725 Hancock Industrial Way

May 7 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM

\$49 Each, proceeds benefit Keep Athens-Clarke County Beautiful.

Purchase a compost bin and receive a free kitchen compost bucket.

"Compost Stew" by Mary McKenna Siddals story time

Athens-Clarke County Library, 2025 Baxter Street

May 6 at 7:00 PM, May 7 at 9:30 and 10:30 AM,

May 8 at 9:30 and 10:30 AM, May 9 at 4:30 PM

This is a special environmental kids "cookbook" about composting.

Athens Farmers Market - Composting Basics

May 8 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM at City Hall

May 11 from 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM at Bishop Park

Get your tough composting questions answered or purchase a bin.

For more info visit <http://athensfarmersmarket.net/>.



Commercial Compost Facility Tours

ACC Landfill, 5700 Lexington Road

May 9 from 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Learn about large-scale organic recycling programs (aka composting).

Lunch and Learn: A lesson on Bokashi

ACC Solid Waste Training Room, 725 Hancock Industrial Way

May 10 from 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Registration required at recycle@athensclarkecounty.com.

Bring your lunch and learn about Bokashi (Japanese word for fermented organic matter).