Welcome to GRC's monthly Green Sheet Electronic Update! We hope you find the information helpful.

Please send us releases, captioned photos and other great news that you want to share with the membership; email us at garecycles@mindspring.com

Still Time to Register!

[Image of sorting bin with various recyclable items]

Georgia Recycling Coalition
27th Annual Conference
September 16-19, 2018
King & Prince - St. Simons Island, GA

Link to info/registration:
https://www.georgiarecycles.org/event/grc-annual-conference/

Agenda - see who is speaking...

Bruce Karas-Keynote Speaker
Bruce Karas is the VP of Environment & Sustainability for Coca-Cola North America. He has over 25 years of experience as an EHS professional and has practiced in a wide range of Industrial operations in North America. He is a Certified Industrial Hygienist in Comprehensive Practice, a Certified Safety Professional and is a Registered Occupational Hygienist in...
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Canada. He has served in various positions in national and local professional organizations in the Environment & Safety space and has presented on a wide range of topics ranging from Sustainability, Water Stewardship, Sustainable Packaging, ergonomics, and health effects of flavorings.

Last Call for Exhibitors/Sponsors:
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Donate to the Eco-Auction

We are seeking special, useful environmentally-themed (or just fun!) items for auction. The deadline to submit is August 31st, 2018

Check out the donation form
Auction Date: Tues., Sept. 19, 2018 at GRC's 27th Annual Conference

The Tide is Turning... Nautical Night!

Whether you feel like Gilligan's Island, the Poseidon Adventure, Pirates of the Caribbean, the Love Boat, the Blue Lagoon, Jaws or Mermaid....attend Tuesday night in your best nautical or ocean themed attire. Marines & Navy Seals most welcome! Let's have some fun. See the flyer!

GRC Taking Aim Skeet Shoot Registration

Tuesday, September 18, 2018
1:00-5:00 PM
Sea Island Gun Club
$150.00 per person
(includes gun, ammo, skeet)
*Sponsorships Available*
Check the flyer and register here:
https://www.georgiarecycles.org/event/grc-annual-conference/

Liability Release Form Required to be Completed.

If You Missed it...the July 31 presentations can be found on the NRC website.

Sponsored by the NRC and GRC, this second in a series of Markets Development Workshops held in metro Atlanta provided dialog and work group notes from the Southeast region. The first was held in April in Portland, Oregon. The next workshop is being planned for the North Central region in November.

**Need a Boost for your Program?‐Submit for a National Award! NRC Awards Nominations DUE SEPT 7th**

Outstanding Community programs, businesses, non‐profits, individuals, elected officials, emerging leaders, Recycling Organizations and Higher Education programs are all potential winners. You only need to prepare two word documents to upload into the survey monkey blanks: 150 words summarizing how they are outstanding; and 250‐1000 words describing the qualifications.

Submittals should highlight effects on recycling, the hierarchy, and tons; how long program or individual has been active; innovation, leadership and program economics (as relevant). The higher education award has different criteria; stress the relationship with degree programs, career services, applied research / tech transfer, and links with recycling industries.

Apply by clicking at:
https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NRC2018AwardsNominations
For questions about submitting nominations OR to help sponsor the awards, contact Lisa Skumatz 303/494-1178 or skumatz@serainc.com if you have questions.

**International Compost Awareness Week May 5 - 11, 2019**

**Poster Contest Starts Sept. 1st**

*Theme: Cool the Climate-Compost!*

**Learn all about it and how to enter here:**

[https://www.compostfoundation.org/ICAW/ICAW-Poster-Contest](https://www.compostfoundation.org/ICAW/ICAW-Poster-Contest)

The successful poster winner will receive a $500 prize. The contest is open to anyone from ten years old to adult. There are 3 contest divisions: grades 3-7, grades 8-12, and college - adult. The best from each division will be entered into the final contest. The winning design will be chosen before the end of the year.

The contest begins on September 1, 2018 and continues until November 5, 2018.

Thank you for your continued support of our great state recycling organization!

**Sincerely,**

Gloria Hardegree
Georgia Recycling Coalition