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CITIZENS INVITED TO EARTH DAY CELEBRATION
ACTIVITIES APRIL 18-22

Convenience Center tours, classes offered

FORSYTHCOUNTY, Georgia – Beginning April 18, Keep Forsyth County Beautiful invites local residents to celebrate Earth Day 2011 at Forsyth County’s Coal Mountain Park.

Residents can learn more about how recycling works in their community through tours of the Coal Mountain Recycling Convenience Center. Participants can choose from the following tour times:

- Monday, April 18 at 4 p.m.
- Tuesday, April 19 at 3:30 p.m.
- Thursday, April 21 at 4 p.m.

A special tour entitled “Homeschool Special” is scheduled for Wednesday, April 20, at 10:30 a.m. The “Homeschool Special” invites homeschool students to tour the center, bring a sack lunch to enjoy lunch in the park, and participate in a class about the dangers of water pollution.

The Earth Day festivities culminate with an “Earth Day Celebration” on Friday, April 22. Tours of the Convenience Center will be taking place every hour on the hour from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Two pre-school dragonfly classes will entertain visitors at the Coal Mountain Park Community Building. The classes will take place at 10 a.m. and 11 a.m.

“The Gross Graffiti Cover-Up” book reading by Denise Carleton with Reaping Nature

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Productions will start at 11:30 a.m. at the Coal Mountain Park Community Building. An “Enviroscape” class on point source and non-point source water pollution will begin at 12:30 p.m. at the Coal Mountain Park Pavilion.

An adult rain barrel class scheduled for 5:30 p.m. at the Coal Mountain Park Community Building will instruct attendees how to make their own rain barrel, and allow those in attendance to take home a completed rain barrel. The cost for the event is \$40. Those interested in attending this class must pre-register.

For more information on any of these events or to schedule a tour for your group, call Keep Forsyth County Beautiful at 770.205.4573.

Coal Mountain Park is located at 3560 Settingdown Road in Cumming.

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