

Earth Week Calendar of Events



Friday, April 18th

Ribbon Cutting Event for the new solar transit shelter on the Truax Campus.

Monday April 21st

10-2pm Tabling by local environmental organizations at Truax Campus.

12:30 am EnAct speaker in the Truax cafeteria.

Tuesday April 22nd

Earth -friendly art project event with area middle school students at Truax.

Wednesday April 23rd

Environmental Film Showing in the Mitby Theatre, Truax.

Thursday April 24th

Bike Clinic at Truax.

Saturday April 26th

Earth Service Day at the McCarthy Youth Conservation Park in Sun Prairie

Want more info on living green?

See the MATC Libraries Renewable Energy and Sustainability Resource guide:

<http://matcmadison.edu/library/library/green.shtm>

Presidents Climate Commitment

<http://www.presidentsclimatecommitment.org/index.php>

AASHE: Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education

<http://www.aashe.org>

CERET: Consortium for Education in Renewable Energy Technology

<http://ceret.us>

Renewable Energy and Sustainability Resource Guide

<http://matcmadison.edu/library/library/green.shtm>

Many books, magazines and films on sustainability, renewable energy are available at the MATC Libraries.

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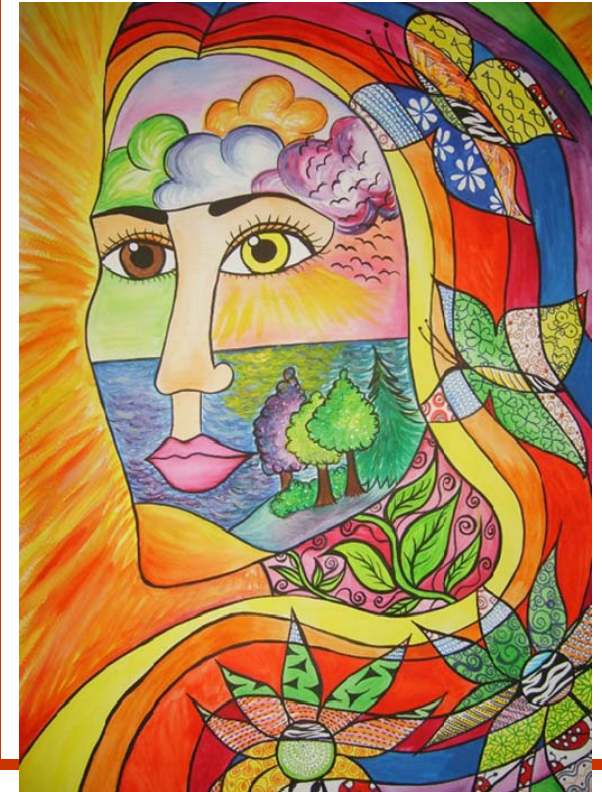
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MATC **Earth Week** **April 18-26th**



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MESA

MATC Environmental Sustainability Alliance

MATC EARTH WEEK EVENTS

Friday, April 18th

MATC will kick off Earth Week with a ribbon cutting event for the new solar transit shelter located on the Truax Campus near the 25 min parking area.

Monday April 21st

EnAct Steps to Greener Living

12:30pm Speaker: EnAct Program Manager Nicole Craig

Learn how you can reduce your environmental footprint by being a part of an EnAct team at MATC or in your community. EnAct is a free and local sustainable living program managed by the Madison Environmental Group, Inc.

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10am –2pm Tabling at Truax by local environmental groups.

All students, faculty and staff are encouraged to visit the Truax Campus for more information about getting involved in local issues, living green, and reducing your impact on the environment.

Tuesday, April 22nd

Area middle school students will be creating an earth friendly art project at the Truax campus.

United Common Ground—UCG has invited middle school students from two area schools to take part in “Respect Week.” Along with respecting others differences they have included an earth friendly project themed “Respecting the Earth.”

Wednesday, April 23rd

MESA will be hosting an environmental film showing in the Mitby Theatre. All students, faculty and staff are welcome.

Thursday, April 24th

Alternative Transportation Day

Local organizations will be available to help the MATC community explore alternative ways to come to campus.

A Bike clinic will be available for students, faculty and staff.

Saturday, April 26th

Earth Week Finale Event

MATC Volunteer Center's Annual Earth Day Spring Clean Up Event at the McCarthy Youth and Conservation Park in Sun Prairie.

This year we will be assisting Dane County Parks with their annual Youth Service Day event. All students, faculty and staff are encouraged to participate. Breakfast and a hotdog lunch will be provided by the Madison East Kiwanis. The MATC Volunteer Center will be providing veggie options. Come wrap up the week with the Volunteer Center by clearing invasive species, removing brush, and mulching trees.

MESA Vision:

MATC is a community of leaders in sustainability education, technical training and facilities management. All members of the community will have the knowledge and tools, both institutionally and individually, to make environmental concerns a priority.

MESA Steering Committee

Find future meeting details at www.matcmadison.edu/green

**If you have any questions or would like more information on Earth Week please contact:*

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