

# Northern Montgomery County Recycling Commission News!!!

## Montgomery County Household Hazardous Waste & Electronics Collection Program

9 A.M. to 3 P.M

Info 1-610-278-3618 or [www.montgomerycountyclecyles.org](http://www.montgomerycountyclecyles.org)

### Dates and Locations.

#### Saturday April 24, 2010

Indian Valley Middle School  
130 Maple Avenue  
Harleysville, PA

#### Saturday June 19, 2010

Temple University at Ambler Campus  
Butler Pike Entrance **ONLY!!!**  
Student Parking Lot

#### Saturday July 17, 2010

Montgomery County Community College  
473 Cathcart Road  
Blue Bell, PA

#### Thursday August 12, 2010

Abington Junior High School  
Rear Faculty Parking Lot  
970 Highland Avenue  
Abington, PA

#### Saturday August 21, 2010

Spring-Ford Flex School  
833 South Lewis Road  
Royersford, PA

#### Saturday October 23, 2010

Lower Merion Township, Public Works Bldg.  
1300 N. Woodbine Avenue  
Penn Valley, PA

### Acceptable Items:

**Paint Products:** Oil-based paint, paint thinner, turpentine, shellac, stains and varnish, furniture stripper and finisher and wallpaper cement.

**Outdoor Products:** Swimming pool chemicals, weed killers, septic tank degreasers, asphalt sealers, caulking compounds, joint compound, roof cement and rodent poison.

**Automotive Products:** Grease and rust solvents, fuel additives, motor oil, antifreeze, gasoline, carburetor cleaners, transmission/brake fluid, and lead acid batteries.

**Household Products:** Drain/oven cleaners, rug cleaners, kerosene, toilet bowl cleaners, adhesives/solvents, mothballs/flakes, spot removers, dry cleaning fluid and wood and metal cleaners.

**Electronic Equipment:** CRT Monitors, CPU's, cameras, cell phones, fax machines, scanners/printers, televisions (30inches and smaller), and computer peripherals.

**Miscellaneous:** Acids, caustics, solvents, flammables, oxidizers, organic peroxide, reactives, lead, pesticides, mercury bearing items, propane cylinders (20lb or less) and rechargeable batteries.

**\*This program is a community service to the residents of Montgomery County and Bucks, Chester, Delaware and Philadelphia Counties ONLY and is NOT open to businesses, institutions or industry.**



### WHAT AND HOW TO RECYCLE FOR CURBSIDE COLLECTION

#### Aluminum, Steel & Bimetal Cans

All metal food, beverage and aerosol cans are recyclable.

All other metal items such as pots and pans, wire hangers are **not** recyclable. No lids or covers, just cans. Rinse out and crush aluminum cans if possible.



#### Glass- Clear, Amber and Green Glass

All glass food, beverage bottles and jars are recyclable. No lids or covers



#### Plastics Number 1 & 2

(HDPE & PETE)

Look for the number in the triangle on the bottom of plastic items.

No lids, rinse out containers.

#### Newspapers, Magazines & Junk Mail

Tie in a bundle or place in a paper bag (Not in Plastic Bags).



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### **COMMUNITY RECYCLING DAY**

**Sponsored by SAVE and Montgomery County**

**Saturday April 24, 2010**

**9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Indian Valley Middle School**

**FREE to the Public. All donations benefit the students of SAVE.**

**COLLECTING:** All types of paper, cardboard, scrap metal and car batteries.

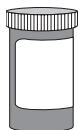
Tires (\$3/tire charge - \$4 with rim). Cell phones, ink cartridges and clothing.

**In addition:** Computers, electronics, oil based paints and household hazardous wastes and oil.

Questions: Call SAVE at 215-723-4989.

### **\$35.00 REBATE & FREE PICKUP OF OLD ENERGY WASTING REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS.**

PECO, PPL and FirstEnergy customers can take advantage of this Recycling Program. If you have an older, **working** second refrigerator or freezer the utility companies are offering a rebate check of \$35.00 and free pickup. To learn more about the program PECO customers log onto the website at [www.pecosmartideas.com](http://www.pecosmartideas.com) or call 1-888-573-2672. PPL customers log onto their website at [www.pplelectric.com/recycle](http://www.pplelectric.com/recycle) or call 1-877-270-3522. There are some requirements for program participation.



### **Montgomery County Medicine Collection Program**

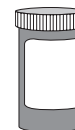
**April 17, 2010 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Collection Locations:**

**Souderton Police Department, 31 W. Summit St, Souderton, PA**

**Norristown Police Department, 235 E. Airy Street, Norristown, PA**

**Cheltenham Police Department, 8230 Old York Road, Elkins Park, PA**

**Pottstown Police Department, 100 E. High Street, Pottstown, PA**



Montgomery County District Attorney, local police and county government will host a medicine collection program to turn in unused or outdated drugs for disposal. In addition to preventing unused medicines reaching the hands of children, the April 17<sup>th</sup> collection also aims to protect the environment and waterways by keeping the drugs out of sewers, as in the case when people pour medicine down the drain or flush them down a toilet.

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*The Northern Montgomery County Recycling Commission has an updated website. There is a link to your municipality as well as information on recycling in Montgomery County. The website is [www.northmontcorecycle.com](http://www.northmontcorecycle.com).*

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\*\*\*\*\*RECYCLING - IT'S GOOD FOR THE ENVIRONMENT!!!!!!!!!!!!\*\*\*\*\*