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Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling
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Business & Industry Highlights

Business Highlight - In this edition, we're highlighting The Pershing House for their significant increase in recycled materials for this quarter between the months of January and February! In January they recycled 66 pounds of materials, increasing in February to over 500 pounds! Wow! What a significant increase! Thank you for helping to reduce your carbon footprint!



Industry Highlight - We would like to acknowledge South Eastern Machining on Lincoln Avenue in Lancaster for their efforts on increasing recycled materials for this quarter! In January, this industry recycled 185 pounds of corrugated cardboard, increasing to 250 pounds in February. That's an increase of over 35% and counting for the quarter! Way to go South Eastern Machining of Lancaster! Great job diverting waste from our local landfills.

Featured Schools

In this Spring edition of our newsletter, we would like to recognize Pleasantville Elementary for their increase in efforts of their recycled materials for this quarter. So far, they have recycled over 470 pounds of corrugated cardboard, 775 pounds of paper, 62 pounds of steel, 16 pounds of plastic, and 2 pounds of aluminum! They've recycled the most materials out of every school in Fairfield County! Third graders at this school also participated in our Annual Third Grade Billboard Contest in February and were eager to learn even more about recycling and litter prevention from our Education Specialist!



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Community News

Community Highlight - The Fairfield Soil and Water Conservation District is partnering with the Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling and Litter Prevention Program, Violet Township, and the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office to sponsor a prescription drug and electronics collection on Saturday, April 28th from 10:00-2:00 at the Violet Township Service Center at 490 N. Center St. in Pickerington, OH

- **DRUGS ACCEPTED:** Prescription pills and capsules. NO aerosols, inhalers, liquids, creams, gels, ointments, powders, syringes, IVs, patches or suppositories will be accepted. Please black out the name or remove the label before bringing containers to the disposal site. If you have something of unknown origin, you may dispose of it, no questions asked.
- **DOCUMENT SHREDDING:** Will be offered with a limit of 3 legal size boxes per vehicle.
- **ELECTRONICS ACCEPTED:** Computers, laptops, printers, cables, keyboards and mouse, discs, electronic clocks, VCR's, DVD's, radio's and cell phones. No items containing CFC's will be accepted. Monitors will be accepted for no charge if they are part of a computer system (must have Tower). \$3 charge on monitor only. **TELEVISIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR A MINIMAL FEE OF \$1 PER DIAGONAL INCH.** Only cash or checks will be accepted as payment for disposal fees.

For more information, call the Lancaster Fairfield Community Action Recycling and Litter Prevention Program at (740)- 681-4423 or the Fairfield SWCD office at (740)- 653-8154 or visit www.fairfieldswcd.org

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In our local community, we would like to give kudos to Lancaster City for their use of the Hubert Avenue drop off recycling location! This drop off recycling trailer located in the parking lot of The Dollar General has collected over 17,006 pounds of recyclable materials for this quarter, and counting! WOW! This quarter last year, they recycled just 16,171 pounds of recycled materials! What a great way to kick off Spring! Keep it up residents of Lancaster!



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