

Keep North Platte & Lincoln County Beautiful



Beautiful News



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NebraskaLand Days Recycles!

Nebraskaland Days went **Green** in 2012! And they called on **KNPLCB** to make it happen. Yellow-lidded bins, provided by the city of North Platte, were placed around the arena during Rodeos and concerts. Groups then volunteered to sort and bag materials in



Cans For Critters



the recycle bins. And they received the profits from the aluminum. Together the Bandits 12U Softball Teams, Cans For Critters and Velocity 14U Softball team collected, sorted and

Velocity 14U Softball bagged over 2,000 pounds of aluminum and nearly just as much plastics!

We hope more people will be aware of the yellow-lidded bins next year and help us continue our efforts to keep aluminum out of the landfills!



Bandits 12U Softball

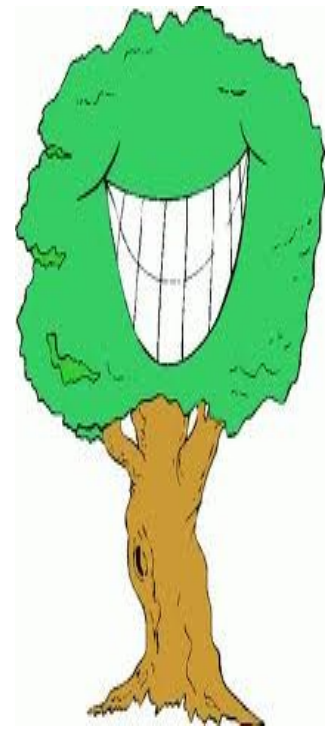
Please repost and recycle this newsletter.

If you would like to view the newsletter on-line, please call our offices to be taken off the newsletter mailing list.



2012 CommuniTREE Program

The CommuniTREE Program was a great success this year! Over 45 trees have been planted in the city of North Platte so far. Grants cover 75% of the cost of trees for homeowners, so they pay only 25%. It's a great way to expand the green canopy in our community. President and CEO of Keep America Beautiful, Matthew M. McKenna, recently congratulated KNPLCB on planting 200 trees through the program over the past 4 years. But he says, "The programs recent expansion to include homeowners, has greatly increased community involvement and efforts to build a healthy and sustainable community".



TIRE COLLECTION

This is your chance to get rid of old tires **October 1st-5th**, The Tire Amnesty Collection is sponsored by the city of NP and NDEQ's Waste Reduction and Recycling Incentive Grant Fund. Individuals will be able to drop off up to five tires that week. This is only for residents, **NO businesses**. Tires collected during this event will be recycled and made into other products. We will release more information about the program **SOON!**



BURLINGTON BOULEVARD PLANTING PROJECT

Good News on Burlington Blvd! The drip system will be installed throughout the median by the end of July by Sprinkler Medic. Thank You to the homeowners who diligently helped us water the trees until then!



Kids Parade



Nebraskaland Days Kids Parade, Be on the Lookout for a New Mascot!

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Golden News

KNPLCB received the Gold Circle Award from the annual Keep Nebraska Beautiful Conference. Exec. Dir. Mona Anderson attended the event.

She says. " This award is a testament to the effort of dedicated volunteers who strive to keep our community clean."



Litter Index

The cities Litter Index is up this year. On June 26th, volunteers helped rate the cities litter and it was higher this year compared to 2011. That means we have more work ahead of us. But we do appreciate the volunteers who dedicated their time that day!

****Reminder****

KNPLCB Annual Volunteer Picnic
Cody Park, September 12th

Look for your invitation in the mail. If you have volunteered in the past year and do not receive one, contact us...we'd love to have you there!!

For more info CALL US (534-8100),
Facebook or email us at knplcb@yahoo.com.



Recycling Opportunities and Locations



ALUMINUM:

Regional Recycling, 810 E. 7th
1st Christian Church, 220 N. Vine
Senior Center, 900 E. 10th
NPCC South Campus, 601 W. State Farm Rd.
Westfield Shopping Center, 1800 block of W. A
Adams Middle School, 1200 McDonald
North Platte Metals, 1911 S Newberry Access

APPLIANCES:

North Platte Metals, 1911 S Newberry Access
532-4544

BATTERIES:

Car Batteries:

Regional Recycling, 810 E. 7th
Wal-Mart, 1401 S. Dewey
North Platte Metals, 1911 S Newberry Access,
532-4544
Cohagen Battery Store , 532-8656,
320 S. Dewey,
Household Hazardous Waste Facility,
1308 N. Sycamore
2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month
from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Ni-Cad Batteries:

Cohagen Battery Store, 532-8656,
320 S. Dewey

CARDBOARD:

Regional Recycling, 810 E. 7th
Senior Center, 900 E. 10th
1st Christian Church, 220 N. Vine
NPCC South Campus, 601 W. State Farm Rd.
Westfield Shopping Center, 1800 block of W. A
Adams Middle School, 1200 McDonald

COMPUTERS & ELECTRONICS (Fee

Charged):

Goodwill Industries (Household Computers
Free)
Staples, 1000 S. Dewey, 532-1990
Call for more information
Electronics Recycling Shed
1308 N. Sycamore
2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month
from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

INK JET CARTRIDGES:

Household Hazardous Waste Building,
1308 N. Sycamore
2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month
from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.
KNPLCB, 715 S. Jeffers, 3rd Floor
Senior Center, 900 E. 10th
UPS Store, 410 E. Leota Ste 5

MAGAZINES, NEWSPAPER, OFFICE

PAPER:

Regional Recycling, 810 E. 7th
Senior Center, 900 E. 10th
1st Christian Church, 220 N. Vine
NPCC South Campus, 601 W. State Farm Rd.
Westfield Shopping Center, 1800 block of W.
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Adams Middle School, 1200 McDonald

METALS:

Regional Recycling, 810 E. 7th
North Platte Metals, 1911 S. Newberry Access

OIL (Small Amounts):

North Platte Metals, 1911 S Newberry
Household Hazardous Waste Building,
1308 N. Sycamore

PLASTICS 1&2:

Regional Recycling, 810 E. 7th
Senior Center, 900 E 10th
1st Christian Church, 220 N. Vine
NPCC South Campus, 601 W. State Farm Rd.
Westfield Shopping Center, 1800 W. A
Adams Middle School, 1200 McDonald

STEEL (TIN):

Regional Recycling, 810 E. 7th
Senior Center, 900 E 10th
1st Christian Church, 220 N. Vine
NPCC South Campus, 601 W. State Farm Rd
Westfield Shopping Center, 1800 W. A
Adams Middle School, 1200 McDonald
North Platte Metals, 1911 S Newberry Access

SALVAGE APPLIANCES:

North Platte Metals, 1911 S. Newberry Access

TELEPHONE BOOKS:

Regional Recycling, 801 E. 7th

CELL PHONES:

KNPLCB, 715 S. Jeffers, 3rd Floor
Household Hazardous Waste Building,
1308 N. Sycamore
2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month
from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Senior Center, 900 E. 10th

GOOD USED CLOTHING/HOUSEHOLD

GOODS:

Thrift Connection, 422 E. 6th, 534-7634
Thrift Center, 218 W. 4th, 534-3514
Bargain Bin, 421 E. 3rd, 534-9121

The mission of Keep North Platte & Lincoln County Beautiful is to educate and interact with the public encouraging beautification, a litter free environment, and waste reduction through recycling.