



NEWS FROM PLAINFIELD, MARCH 2015

Heavy Trash Days on April 11 & 18

Recycle Electronics and Shred Documents, too!

The Town's Spring Heavy Trash Day event will be held on two consecutive Saturdays in April: the 11th and 18th, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. both days. The event is free and open to Town of Plainfield residents only.

Residents may deposit acceptable items in designated dumpsters at the Town garage located at 986 S. Center Street. No hazardous waste, tires, building materials, or yard waste will be accepted. This event is provided to Plainfield residents in an effort to help keep our community clean.

Technology Recyclers will be on site to accept appliances and electronics. They will have to charge \$5 each for any television or monitors, but for all other electronics like fax machines, computer peripherals, DVD players and VCRs, camcorders and cameras, and iPods/MP3 players, there will be no charge. Please note they cannot accept satellite dishes.

Ray's Document Destruction will be nearby in the Plainfield Community Middle School parking lot (enter on Longfellow Drive) on both days, also from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., to shred documents residents would like to dispose of.

For further information about any of these services, contact the Department of Public Works at 839-3490.

Also on April 11, the Town will participate in Hendricks County's annual Spring Clean-Up. Locally the Town will host volunteers picking up trash along roadways and ditches in an effort to keep trash and debris out of our waterways. Commercial property owners are also encouraged to do a widespread clean up event of their properties. Adopt-A-Road sponsors will be out picking up trash along their adopted routes, as well. To volunteer your time, please call Shannon at the Department of Public Works at 839-3490.

Easter Egg Hunt (Above ground and Underwater) April 4!

Join us for the annual community Easter egg hunt at Hummel Park, sponsored by Carpenter Realtors® of Plainfield from 10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 4. The event will feature a bounce house for younger children, prize giveaways and more. Activities will take place at the Hummel Park baseball and softball complex, 1500 South Center Street, Plainfield.

Or, if you're looking for an underwater experience, come to the Recreation & Aquatic Center from 10 a.m. to noon for the Happy Easter Eggstravaganza! In addition to pictures with the Easter Bunny, there will be small craft activities in the café and in the common area outside the cafe. Then, at 11 a.m., we'll have our annual underwater Easter egg hunt in the Splash Island indoor aquatic center. Ages 5 and under will be 11:00 to 11:10; ages 6 to 10 from 11:15 to 11:25, and ages 11 and older from 11:30 to 11:40. The Recreation & Aquatic Center is located at 651 Vestal Road in Plainfield.

Both events are FREE!



Plainfield Yard Waste Recycling Center Opens



The Hendricks County Solid Waste District's Yard Waste Recycling Center in Plainfield opens for the season on Friday, April 3. The site is located at 7020 South CR 875 East on Mondays, Fridays & Saturdays and is open from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Both yard waste sites (there is another in Brownsburg) are open from April through November and are for use by residents of Hendricks County. Businesses are prohibited from using these facilities.

Tox-Away Days for 2015 Announced

The Hendricks County Solid Waste Management District will provide five Tox-Away Days in 2015. The events are an opportunity for Hendricks County residents to properly recycle or dispose of household hazardous wastes, medical sharps, unwanted medicines, tires, appliances, computer components and electronics.

The 2015 Tox-Away Days will be held as follows:

- **April 11th** at the Brownsburg High School—enter from Odell Street
- **May 30th** at the Hendricks County Fairgrounds—enter from East Main Street
- **July 11th** at Hickory Elementary School in Avon—enter from State Road 267
- **August 29th** at the Hendricks County Fairgrounds—enter from East Main Street
- **October 17th** at Plainfield Middle School—enter from Longfellow Drive.

The events are open from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and are available to Hendricks County residents only. Regulations prohibit businesses from using the events.

Common examples of household hazardous wastes include: cleaners, antifreeze, fluorescent light bulbs (including CFLs), herbicides, pesticides, pool chemicals, oil-based paints and

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stains, fuels, mercury-containing items, medical sharps, batteries and adhesives. All household hazardous wastes are accepted free of charge and will be recycled or disposed of in an environmentally responsible manner.

PLAINFIELD RESIDENTS PLEASE NOTE: The Town provides for the disposal of unwanted medications throughout the year. We have a drop off box at the Plainfield Police Station, 1075 W. Main St., for disposal during normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.). Prescription and over-the-counter medicines are accepted. All medications should be kept in their original containers. Individuals may choose to black out or remove their personal information from the container labels, but all information pertaining to the drug itself should remain intact and readable. Also please note that no illicit drugs, syringes, lancets, needles, or thermometers are accepted through the program.