

Goochland GREEN Day

Saturday, April 26, 2014

7:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Tucker Park at Maidens Crossing



**Sponsored by Friends of Goochland Parks,
Goochland County and Dominion Resources
ALL ACTIVITIES ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!**

**The Friends of Goochland Parks is proud to host a
GREEN event filled with activities designed to promote
environmental stewardship and showcase the natural
and historical significance of Tucker Park.**

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Directions to the park site: From Route 6, head south on Route 522 towards Powhatan County. The entrance to the park is on the right, before you cross the bridge.

Activities

7:30 a.m.

Spring Bird Walk

Join Robert McLemore of the Richmond Audubon Society for Tucker Park's first Spring Bird Walk! From waterfowl on the James River to our elusive white hawk, Tucker Park's bird bounty is not to be missed! So, bring your binoculars and wear your walking shoes! A special treat will be monitoring our new Blue Bird Trail, which features ten nest boxes, built and installed by Boy Scout, James McLemore.

8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Litter Collection

There's no better way to take care of the environment than by tackling trash! Volunteers are needed to assist in picking up litter on the Tucker Park site and surrounding area. All necessary equipment (i.e. safety vests, grabbers, trash bags, gloves) will be available onsite courtesy of Goochland Anti-Litter and Recycling Council (GARC).

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Goodwill Electronic Recycling Collection

Bring your old electronic equipment to be refurbished or recycled. Acceptable items include most household electronics, including but not limited to old televisions, computer monitors, desktop computers and laptops.

9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Build a Butterfly Garden

Join Goochland –Powhatan County Master Naturalists in establishing a new Butterfly Garden at Tucker Park. Volunteers are needed to help with planting and mulching.

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Children's Green Activities

Turn imagination into creation by building your own crafts inspired by nature. Bring the birds to your backyard with your own birdfeeder and fashion a rustic drum from recycled materials.

11:00 a.m.

Historical Walking Tour at Maidens Adventure Inn

Step back in time and learn about how the Maidens Adventure Inn helped to shape Virginia's early commerce history. Join historian Chuck Peple as he tours the site where the Inn once stood.

12:00 Noon

Tucker Park Drum Circle

Discover the power of rhythm to unite people and pay tribute to the natural environment. The Drum Circle will feature local artists but everyone is invited to join in this unique ritual.