



Reuse Fair

Saturday, April 21
9 a.m.-2 p.m.
Porter County Expo
215 E. Division Rd., Valparaiso

Bring your unwanted but reusable household items to this event, held in conjunction with the Northwest Indiana Earth Day Celebration! We are collecting specific items for REUSE to benefit participating schools and organizations (see reverse). *All items must be clean and in good condition. We reserve the right to inspect and refuse any item before it's dropped off. Please donate working and usable items NOT LISTED BELOW directly to charities. Items collected only April 21, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., at the Porter County Expo.*

Items accepted include:

- Alligator clips
- Aluminum foil (industrial sized)
- Animal books
- Antibacterial/disinfectant wipes
- Avian cages
- Baby toys (infant such as rattles, hoops, crib toys, plastic balls)
- Beads
- Bikes, accessories & parts
- Bird feeders & houses
- Blankets
- Bleach (liquid)
- Blocks (craft)
- Bras
- Burlap sacks
- Buttons
- Cardboard (clean & flattened boxes OK)
- Cardboard tubes (TP, paper towels, & wrapping paper)
- Canvas (for painting stretched or mounted)
- Catch nets
- Ceramic glazes
- Chains (plastic)
- Clay (craft)
- Clipboards
- Clips (stainless steel)
- Clothes pins
- Computers w/power cords (laptops or desktops, working or not, that have run Windows at any point in the past 20 years). No monitors, mice, keyboards, cables or other peripherals or software accepted.
- Crayons
- Darkroom equipment
- Decoy animals (plastic)
- Easels (artist and presentation)
- Fabric (sheets, bolts and scraps of fabric and felt)
- Feathers (craft)
- Felt
- Film (camera)
- Film cameras
- Film photo/darkroom equipment
- Flashlights
- Flower pots (small and medium sized of any type)
- Food dehydrator
- Garbage bags (any size)
- Glazes (ceramic)
- Glue (white, sticks, craft, and hot gun sticks)
- Googly eyes (craft)
- Hole punches
- Hooks (stainless steel)
- Horse care items
- Jars (empty w/wo lid)
- Jewels (craft)
- Jewelry (broken OK)
- Keys
- Knex building pieces
- Laundry detergent (liquid or powder)
- LED bulbs
- Legos (all sizes)
- Magnets
- Magnifying glasses
- Manilla folders (new)
- Markers (any also dry/wet erase)
- Mirrors (stainless steel)
- Newspapers
- Paint (acrylic, watercolor, non-toxic watercolor, non-toxic & childproof paints)
- Paint brushes
- Paint trays (artist)
- Paper (white copy, construction, artist drawing pads & shredded w/o staples)
- Parrot toys
- Pencils (all colors)
- Pencil erasers
- Pens
- Perfumes
- Pet bowls
- Pet crates
- Pet toys
- Phone books
- Picture frames (wooden 16" x 20" or larger)
- Pillow cases
- Piñatas
- Pipe cleaners
- Plastic bags (single use store)
- Plastic buckets (one gallon white plain)
- Poster board
- Post-it Notes
- Pots/planters (small and medium sized of any type)
- Puppy pads
- Puppy play pens
- Reptile supplies
- Ribbon
- Rope
- Rubbermaid totes with lids
- Saran wrap (industrial sized)
- Scales (human, kitchen, vet)
- Scissors
- Sewing materials (thread, needles, etc.)
- Shoes
- Shredded paper (no staples)
- Soccer nets
- Stampers
- Stencils (painting and drawing)
- Styrofoam cups & plates
- Sweatshirts
- Sweaters (100% wool only)
- T-shirts
- Tape (duct & masking)
- Thumb drives
- Tile (any color/size/type)
- Tools (hand, yard, garden)
- Towels
- Water jugs (5 gallon)
- White out
- Wire
- Wooden craft sticks
- Wool sweaters (100% only)
- Wrapping paper
- Yard decorations (outdoor)
- Zip ties

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Only items listed on the back of this flyer will be collected. *Items collected only at this event on April 21, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., at the Porter County Expo.* Please donate unwanted but reusable items not listed directly to charities of your choice.

On this day, your household items will benefit these organizations and schools:

- First Christian Church (DOC)
- Green Research
- Lakeshore PAWS Dog Rescue
- Martin T. Krueger Middle School
- Michigan City High School
- Opportunity Enterprises
- Portage Township Schools
- Westville Middle/High School
- Washington Park Zoo
- Working Bikes



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