

Montgomery County Middle School Envirothon

Wednesday May 2, 2012
Norristown Farm Park

Presented By:

Montgomery County Conservation District

Montgomery County Parks and



Rain washes fertilizers to storm drains, which flow into our streams and rivers.



When animal waste is left on the ground, rainwater or melting snow washes pet waste directly into our local creeks.

- Compete against schools from across Montgomery County.
- Learn about real world environmental challenges in 4 areas:

Wildlife/Aquatic Ecology, Forestry, Soils, &

Nonpoint Source Pollution and Low Impact Development

Teams will present a local problem-solving scenario to judges, combining their understanding of how the above topics relate to real world decisions.

- County Envirothon T-shirt for all participants.
- Awards for local winners.
- Access to Green Lane Nature Center Staff for student preparation.
- Add to your science library with free resource packets that address the Pennsylvania Environmental Education Standards.
- Interact with conservation groups & environmental professionals.

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Teacher _____

School _____

Address _____

Email address _____

Phone _____

Each school may bring teams of five students per team.

Number of teams registering: _____

Please check the box if you do not have the resource packet from participating in previous events.

Please register by April 2, 2012 by mailing or faxing registration to

Please provide shirt sizes for all participants and chaperones. Extras may not be available the day of the event.

Adult Sizes: X-Small _____ Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ X-Large _____ Please call for other sizes.

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24th Annual Montgomery County Envirothon

Nonpoint Source Pollution and Low Impact Development

Middle School Event Schedule

May 3, 2012

at Norristown Farm Park

8:30 - 9:00	Registration, Welcome, and Opening
9:00 - 9:30	First Station
9:35 - 10:05	Second Station
10:10-10:40	Third Station
10:45-11:15	Fourth Station
11:15-11:45	Presentation Preparation
11:45-12:15	Lunch
12:15-1:15	Presentation to Judges
1:15-1:30	Awards
1:30	Depart for schools



Sediment can be discharged from many sources including construction sites, agricultural fields, stream banks and highly disturbed areas.

Each school may select teams of 5 students from 7th to 9th grade to participate. At least one coach will be required to accompany each team throughout the day.

Directions and a facility location map, as well as additional Envirothon information, can be found on our website at www.montgomeryconservation.org

This is an outdoor activity, and will be held rain or shine.



A properly maintained vehicle can prevent oil leaks, heavy metals, and toxic materials from leaking from a car, onto the street and into waterways.

To ensure the Envirothon is fun and safe:

- Please have students bring a brown bag lunch
- Dress appropriately for outside activities (sneakers, boots, rain gear)
- Sun lotion and hats are recommended
- Alternative hand cleaners are recommended (wet wipes, no-rinse soap)
- Light colored clothing makes the detection of ticks easier

Register your teams as soon as possible in order to receive a resource packet to help teams prepare for all Envirothon stations, including this year's current topic, Nonpoint Source Pollution and Low Impact Development.