

earth 2009 week milwaukee, wi

April 20 '24

Monday, April 20

"Going Styrofoam-Free"

Join John Damico from Sodexo as MIAD and the cafeteria go Styrofoam-free! Learn how to get Styrofoam out of the landfills, see examples of biodegradable alternatives and sign the Green Manifesto.

Tuesday, April 21

"Recyclables Drive Kick-Off"

Learn what to do with those odd items! Bring in your old cell phones and used batteries to properly recycle them. Old clothing and extra art supplies will also be collected for donation to the Salvation Army of Greater Milwaukee and Artists Working in Education.

Wednesday, April 22

"Saving Energy"

Learn how MIAD is working to become more energy efficient. Find out how to decrease your own energy use and carbon footprint while also saving money with Kelly Boettcher of WE Energies.

Thursday, April 23

"Healthy Waters"

What pressing issues do our waters face today? What is our community doing to face these issues? What can I do as an artist to sustain river health? Evan McDoniels from the Environmental Health Program of the Sixteenth Street Community Health Center will be at MIAD.

Friday, April 24

"Keeping Milwaukee and MIAD Beautiful"

Help staff beautify the landscape by the MIAD Union at the lunch hour. In the afternoon, weed garlic mustard, plant trees at the Urban Ecology Center and get a tour of Riverside Park and UEC's sustainable building. Meet at Urban Ecology Center, 1500 E. Park Place (right on the 15 bus line) at 3:30 pm. Activity will last until 5:30 pm.

An information table will be in the cafeteria all week from 11:00-12:30.
Check out the Earth Week book display in MIAD's library!