Schedule for the 12th Annual Blacksburg Sustainability Week

Please visit Sustainable Blacksburg website for weather cancellations, additional details, instructions and directions: http://sustainableblacksburgva.org/sustainability-week-2018/

Event lengths vary, only start times are shown

Some activities may not be suitable for younger children, please check website for details*

Saturday, September 15

_____ 9:30 am  Outdoor Family Class: Photography In Nature @ Heritage Park
          registration required, e-mail: youthoutreach@newriverlandtrust.org

Sunday, September 16

_____ 1 pm     Nut Foraging Skills Workshop: Acornucopia Project
_____ 4 pm     Hale YMCA Community Garden and Solar Greenhouse Tour

Tuesday, September 18

_____ 2 pm     SEEDS Freshwater Heritage of Blacksburg Tour: 16 Frogs and Troubles
_____ 6 pm     Hoof Hearted Farm: Rotational Grazing & Carbon Sequestration

Wednesday, September 19

_____ 8 am     Active Commute Celebration @ Squires Plaza
_____ 12 pm    Simply Elemental: Mindfulness in the Garden @ Hahn Hort Garden

Thursday, September 20

_____ 12 pm    Indigenous Garden Tour @ Turf Grass Research Center
_____ 1:30 pm   Mobile BioDigester Demonstration @ Squires Plaza, VT Campus
_____ 5 pm     Sustainability Skills Workshop @ Library (middle school age and older)

Friday, September 21

_____ 3 pm     Urban Forestry & Invasive Species: Sawmill Demo @ Wong Park
_____ 5:30 pm   Homefield Farm Tour: Sustainable Food Production for VT Dining Halls
_____ 8 pm     Blacksburg Bike Party @ Perry St. Garage
               (middle school age and older, bike lights and helmet required)

Saturday, September 22

_____ 8:45 am  Blacksburg Bike Parade starts @ VT Electric Parking Lot, Energy Drive
_____ 11 am    Free Kids Movie/Eco-Matinee: The Lorax @ The Lyric Theater

Monday, September 24

_____ 5 pm     Glade Road Growing: Sustainable Farm & Brewing Tour + Food!

Weeklong

_____ Caught Green Handed Campaign
_____ Wands for Wildlife Collection
_____ The Last Plastic Straw Campaign
_____ 16 Frogs and Storm Drain Murals Scavenger Hunt
_____ Blacksburg Children’s Museum
               (different events offered each day at BCM —check website for details)

A grand prize will be awarded to the child with the most “stamps” in their passport. Please give us a way to contact you if you are the winner!

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parent/teacher initials go here

* Kids who collect at least 4 “stamps” (parent or teacher initials) will receive a special prize.

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