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# RAIN BARREL WORKSHOP!



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## VIRTUAL!

*Bringing new life  
to water conservation  
with an old idea!*



## Registration fee \$50.00

\*Workshop participants receive a  
**65 gallon capacity rain barrel,**  
valued over \$200!

Due to Covid 19, the rain barrel presentation  
will be distributed via email, early March 2021.

Additionally, you will receive an evaluation and  
sign up sheet. Both will need completed prior  
to picking up your barrel. Rain barrel pick up is  
tentatively scheduled for April 1st & 2nd at the  
Lebanon Ag Center.

# WHAT IS A RAIN BARREL?



A  
RAIN  
BARREL IS  
A RAINWATER  
COLLECTION SYSTEM  
THAT STORES ROOFTOP  
RUNOFF TO BE USED LATER  
FOR ACTIVITIES SUCH AS LAWN  
AND GARDEN WATERING,  
CAR WASHING, AND  
WINDOW CLEANING.



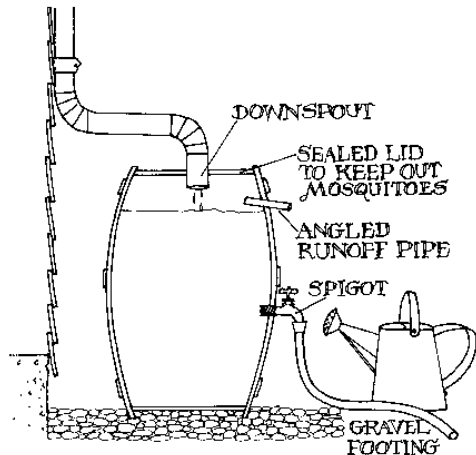
## BENEFITS OF USING A RAIN BARREL:

- Reduce stormwater runoff
- Water conservation
- Water reuse
- Protection of our natural resources
- Clean water you can use for many purposes, and it's FREE!

## WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH THE CAPTURED WATER?

- Water lawns
- Water gardens
- Water flowers
- Wash cars
- Clean windows, lawn furniture, etc.

**CAUTION: STORED WATER SHOULD NEVER BE USED FOR: DRINKING, COOKING OR BATHING!**



## WATER CONSERVATION!

Rain barrels conserve water by:

- Capturing water that would likely runoff without being absorbed into the ground.
- Promote infiltration by allowing water to be used at slow intervals, not all at once as in a storm.
- Reduce groundwater consumption.
- Reduce electricity needs (well owners).

## STOP THAT STORMWATER!

- Stormwater is excess water that is not infiltrated into the ground during a storm.
- Rain barrels help reduce the volume of stormwater runoff by capturing large quantities of water before it runs off.

## WHY CARE ABOUT STORMWATER?

- Stormwater is the number one means for pollutants to enter our local waterways!
- This results from excess runoff and impervious surfaces.
- Leads to increased erosion of stream banks & flash flooding.
- Stormwater contributes to Nonpoint Source Pollution (NPS), which impacts the water quality of our local streams and waterways.

## WORKSHOP DETAILS:

- Welcome & Introductions
- PowerPoint Presentation
- Rain Barrel Demonstration
- Evaluations & Distribution

*Just a Note:*

*Due to the overwhelming interest in this workshop, we anticipate it will fill up quickly. We will maintain a list of names for those who are not able to attend but would be interested in future workshops. We would like to thank everyone for their enthusiastic interest in rain barrels, water conservation and protecting our natural resources!*

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:  
**FEBRUARY 26, 2021**

**\*WORKSHOPS ARE LIMITED TO THE NUMBER OF RAIN BARRELS AVAILABLE & WILL BE GUARANTEED TO THE FIRST PAID REGISTRANTS.**

Due to Covid 19, all registrations will be taken over the phone. We cannot hold or take registration - unless paying via credit card.

Registrations via email will NOT be accepted.

Please contact:  
Stephanie Harmon  
at 717-277-5275  
with any questions

**This workshop is limited to one rain barrel per household.**  
**Thank you!**

## RAIN BARREL WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM

**\*Registration is limited!**

I would like to attend the following workshop:

- 2021 Rain Barrel **VIRTUAL** Workshop!

NAME:

SUBTOTAL

\$50.00

Total:

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Email

## Method of Payment

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Credit Card #

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