

ENVIRONMENTAL CALENDAR:

- Mar. 25 - Birds in Your Back Yard, planting trees and shrubs to attract wildlife. A presentation at the Southern Kings and Queens Regional Services Centre starting at 7:00 pm. Presentation by the Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project of ECOPEI with support from Environment Canada's Action 21 program. All participants in this series of free workshops will receive a 10% discount on purchases of trees and shrubs from Macphail nursery.
- Mar. 26 - Birds in Your Back Yard, planting trees and shrubs to attract wildlife. Presentation starts at 7:30 pm at Fire Hall on Fitzroy Street.
- Mar. 28 - Streamside Management, planting trees and shrubs to attract wildlife. A presentation by the Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project of ECOPEI with support from Environment Canada's Action 21 program. Presentation starts at 7:30 pm at Dunstaffnage Community Centre.
- Mar. 26 - Birds in Your Back Yard, planting trees and shrubs to attract wildlife. Presentation starts at 7:30 pm at Beaconsfield in Charlottetown.
- Mar. 29 - deadline for nominations for Island Nature Trust's 1996 Natural Areas Award. Contact Trust at 892-7513 for nomination information or mail documentation and nomination letter to Trust at P.O. Box 265, Charlottetown, P.E.I. C1A 7K4.
- Mar. 30 - Piping Plover workshop. For further information contact Jackie Waddell of Island Nature Trust at 566-9150.
- Apr. 2 - Chris Lecroix will be the Natural History Society's guest speaker on the Baltic Bog and Its Plants. The meeting starts at 7:30 pm at the Farm Centre on University Avenue.
- Apr. 7 to 13 - National Wildlife Week on the theme "Take Action for Ecosystems".
- Apr. 12 - Island Nature Trust Fund Raising Dinner at the CP Prince Edward. No host cocktails start at 6:00 pm and Dinner starts at 7:00 pm. Tickets \$30. Auction and prizes galore. Contact Trust at 566-9150
- Apr. 12, 17 & 20 - Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project will host one day workshops on Basket Making with Twigs. There is a \$30 fee which covers instruction and materials but participants will be required to bring some tools and their lunch. Contact Ruth Richman at 902-583-2674 to register.
- Apr. 22 - Earth Day. A variety of events are planned so call P.E.I. Coordinator Sharon Labchuk at 566-4696 or 621-0719 for details or to register your event.
- Apr. 27 - Second Annual Earth Day concert at Carrefour in Charlottetown. Cohosted by ECOPEI and CUSO. Great entertainment and door prizes.
- May 1 - Doug Tarry Awards application for bird camp. See News from About article in this issue.
- May 7 - The Natural History Society's Annual Slide Show. Please drop your slides off to Ray Cooke at 8 Shamrock Drive or to Meike Keunecke at the next meeting. The deadline for slides is April 20th. The meeting starts at 7:30 pm at the Farm Centre on University Avenue.
- May 17 - Arbor Day - please plant a tree or shrub for wildlife.
- May 25 - The Society will hold its annual Bain Bird Count. Please register your trip with Dan McAskill at 569-4351.
- Jun. 1 to 9 - Second International Piping Plover Survey. Contact Jackie Waddell at 566-9150 if you are able to assist with the census.
- Jun. 1 to 9 - National Environment Week
- Jun. 1 to 9 - Annual Moosehead Maritime Beach Cleanup and Litter Survey. Contact ECOPEI at 566-4696 for information or free supplies to clean up a beach of your choice.
- Oct. 8 - First autumn meeting of the Natural History Society. The meeting starts at 7:30 pm at the Farm Centre on University Avenue.