

Rye Recycling Education Committee

Meeting Notes 10/19/21

Attendees: Joan P, Alex H, Pam H

Action Items

- Joan- updates for the newsletter- due 11/19
- Joan- follow up with Terracycle/Rick at Transfer Station

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- November 15th Recycling Day- could we do something special? Not much time to plan...
 - Next Meeting 11/16
- Wentworth Metals (MAC)- Jones Ave
 - Remind folks they can bring metal here for \$\$ instead of the swap shop
- Rye Swap Shop
 - Wood bulky- what happens to these items? Ask Rick
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 - Bulletin Board- could we leverage the board for announcements?
 - Recycling- educating community where to bring items outside of the transfer station
 - Swap Shop Tag Line?
- Membership
 - Additional members? Two people may join in the future...
 - Need to post reminder before the next meeting
- Mr. Fox
 - Liners- would people be interested in purchasing?
 - Saturday- busy day at Transfer station, good day to set up a table and educate the town
- Discussion on Recycling in Rye Elementary and Middle Schools- how to keep children engaged when it comes to recycling
 - Rye Elementary has programs in place for recycling but additional recycling education offered to students may be a great idea
 - Rye Middle School- not sure of the recycling programs in place today- Alex knows the principal Marie Soucy and could reach out
 - Turnkey landfill- field trip to Rochester for the Middle Schoolers could be a great learning experience for them
- Terracycle
 - Can Transfer Station support this program to allow add'l plastic to be recycled?
- Newsletter info
 - Joan looking for information for the next newsletter, discussed sharing our thoughts so far on the swap shop and what we have seen so far
 - Updates due 11/19
 - Recycling- educating community where to bring items outside of the transfer station