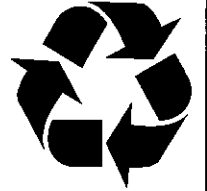




2017

# Recycling Events

Coordinated by Berrien County Parks Department



Accepts materials generated from Berrien County households only.  
Waste from businesses is NOT accepted.

## April 12, Wednesday, 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. Reduce, Reuse, Recycle Day

Lake Michigan College, 2755 E. Napier Ave., Benton Harbor, enter at Napier Ave. follow event signs to parking lot South of the Mendel Center.

### ACCEPTED ITEMS:

- Household Chemicals (see list of accepted waste on this page)
- Electronics (see list of accepted electronics on this page, \$10/computer monitor and \$20/television fees apply, payment due at the event)
- Magazines, Catalogs, & Books (soft & hard cover)
- Shoes (all kinds)
- Polystyrene/Styrofoam (ice chests, foam cups, foam "to-go" containers, egg cartons, foam blocks; *NOT ACCEPTED packing peanuts, soft foam, or building material*)
- Eye Glasses
- Bicycles
- Plastic Grocery Bags (must be clean and completely empty)
- Personal Documents for Free, On-site Shredding (residents only, no business waste)

## May 20, Saturday, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Household Chemicals, Electronics, & Document Shredding  
Southeast Berrien County Landfill Recycle Center, 3200 Chamberlain Rd., Buchanan

## June 17, Saturday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Household Chemicals & Electronics

New Buffalo Township Fire Station, 17655 Clay St., just South of the intersection of Red Arrow Highway/Route 12/Clay Street, New Buffalo

## August 16, Wednesday, 3 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### Household Chemicals & Electronics

Love Creek County Park, 9292 Huckleberry Rd., Berrien Center

## September 23, Saturday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Household Chemicals & Electronics

Silver Beach County Park, 101 Broad St., below the bluff, St. Joseph

## October 14, Saturday, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Household Chemicals, Electronics, & Document Shredding  
Southeast Berrien County Landfill Recycle Center, 3200 Chamberlain Rd., Buchanan

### Household Chemicals:

Home, Garden, & Garage Chemicals, used motor oil & filters, yard & garden chemicals, antifreeze, gasoline, stain, oil-based paint, varnish, household & car batteries, cleaners, paint thinner, unwanted pills and other medications, medical needles/sharps, mercury items, compact fluorescent light bulbs & tubes, photo chemicals, pool chemicals, small 1-lb propane cylinders, adhesives, driveway sealer & more.

### Electronics Waste:

Unwanted equipment that has a cord or is battery operated such as computers, monitors (\$10/monitor fee), televisions (\$20/TV fee), telephones, cell phones, printers, large/small appliances, window air conditioners, DVD/VCR players, power tools, dehumidifiers, cameras, etc.

Electronics will be recycled by Green Earth Electronics Recycling, 3621 Tennis Court, St. Joseph, 269-326-1232, [www.greenearth1.com](http://www.greenearth1.com). Also drop off electronics at their facility Monday - Friday 8 a.m. - 3 p.m., excluding holidays.

### Items NOT Accepted:

Tires, gas grill propane tanks, ammo, fireworks, waste from businesses, & latex paint. Latex paint can be dried out and placed with regular trash; leave lid off the paint can. For tips to dry out latex paint, and proper disposal options for items not accepted at the County events, go to [www.berriencounty.org/recycle](http://www.berriencounty.org/recycle).

### \$ Recycling Fees \$

There is a fee of \$10/computer monitor and \$20/television (all types). Fee due at event. Cash or check accepted.

**THE PARKS DEPARTMENT ACCEPTS DONATIONS TO HELP OFFSET EVENT COSTS**