

# Connecting Neighbors

## Earth Month (& More) Events with the MRC Tool Bucket Library (TBL)



Tool Bucket Library

### Food Preservation & Safety

12:30 p.m. April 3\*

Centralia Christian School Library  
1315 S. Tower Ave., Centralia

Lewis Co. Master Food Preservers dispel canning myths and review food safety measures. Bring pressure canning lids to be checked! Afterward, visit the TBL to learn about kitchen/cooking equipment available for loan.



### Older Vehicle Maintenance

12:30 p.m. April 17

Floral Park Sustainability Project  
104 E. Floral St., Centralia

WSU Lewis Co. Master Recycler Composter (MRC) Volunteers teach how to maintain your older vehicle to prevent costly repairs down the road in this hands-on class. Afterward, stick around the TBL to learn about automotive tools available for loan.

### Sewing Machine Maintenance

12:30 p.m. April 10\*

Centralia Christian School Library  
1315 S. Tower Ave., Centralia

Bring your sewing machine and Lewis Co. Clothing & Textile Advisors will show you how to do annual maintenance. Afterward, visit the TBL to learn about sewing machines and accessories available for loan.

### Bike Maintenance

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 24

Floral Park Sustainability Project  
104 E. Floral St., Centralia

Hub City Bike Shop volunteers will be on site to show how to maintain your bikes during this drop-in period. Bring your own bikes to learn how to maintain them. TBL features bike repair equipment for loan.

**Can't make it on a Friday?** Hub City Bike Shop, 539 N. Pearl St., Centralia, is open 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Tues. & Sat.



### Sustainability Round-Up

Noon to 3 p.m. May 1

Floral Park Sustainability Project  
104 E. Floral St., Centralia

Stop by before or after the Composting Basics Class! Environmentally focused community partners will share their tools, services, and programs available to residents. Information booths will include Lewis Co. Noxious Weed, Lewis Co. Conservation District, Chehalis Timberland Library Gadget Library and more!

### Composting Basics

12:30 p.m. May 1

Floral Park Sustainability Project  
104 E. Floral St., Centralia

WSU Lewis Co. MRC Volunteers teach a class on backyard home composting. The class will showcase home-made and store bought compost bins. TBL features yard and garden tools available for loan.

### Chipping Event

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. May 2

Floral Park Sustainability Project  
104 E. Floral St., Centralia

WSU Lewis Co. MRC Volunteers host a chipping event. Residents are invited to bring branches smaller than 8-inches in diameter for chipping. A contractor will chip the branches and volunteers will spread chips on Floral Park trails.

### Tool Bucket Library Open House Days\*

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Fridays, April 3-May 1

Floral Park Sustainability Project  
104 E. Floral St., Centralia

WSU Lewis Co. MRC Volunteers invite you to stop by the Floral Park Sustainability Project to learn more about the MRC Tool Bucket Library and how to become a volunteer for the environment. Light refreshments will be served.

## Important Information!

\*Classes at the Centralia Christian School are limited to 25 participants. Please pre-register by calling 360-740-1216 or emailing [jason.adams@lewiscountywa.gov](mailto:jason.adams@lewiscountywa.gov).

\*Anyone, at least age 18, attending an MRC Tool Bucket Library Open House is eligible to sign up for a 3-month trial membership to the Tool Bucket Library.



WSU Master Recycler Composters of Lewis County



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