

DAFFODIL FESTIVAL and EARTH DAY FAIR

SUNDAY APRIL 26 | 10:30AM - 2:30PM

VAN NESTE SQUARE, RIDGEWOOD



SUSTAINABLE YARDS

USE ELECTRIC

CONSERVE WATER

CREATE HABITAT

Recycling Magician, Daffy Dog Parade, Petting Zoo, Live Music, Educational Games, Sustainable Scavenger Hunt, and more!





VILLAGE OF RIDGEWOOD

SUSTAINABLE YARDS

2026 Daffodil Festival and Earth Day Fair

Sunday, April 26, 2026 | 10:30 am - 2:30 pm

Memorial Park in Van Neste Square, East Ridgewood Ave

Dear Friend,

Join us this year at the Daffodil Festival-Earth Day Fair as we focus on the importance of "Sustainable Yards." It's about conservation, sustainability, ecology and the many aspects of how to create a natural yard. Programs will feature ideas on: electric landscaping equipment, the importance and beauty of pollinators, creating natural gardens, backyard composting, food waste recycling, the function of rain gardens, plus so much more.

Special plans for the day already include a wide variety of educational displays and programs, demonstrations, crafts and activities for the children, vendors of sustainable and natural products and services, a petting zoo, music from Blue Plate Special, entertainment from the Recycling Magician, a sustainable scavenger hunt and prizes. The Daffy Dog Parade begins at 12:30pm. All leashed dogs and their owners are welcome to dress in costume and join the celebration. Prizes will be awarded in several categories. register for the parade at the Ridgewood Veterinary Hospital vendor table. Please join us as a sponsor, vendor, social service agency, local organization or green entity, at this educational and fun-filled event. Space is limited, the registration form is below for your convenience, please sign up today.

Sustainable Yards will make a difference

Nancy A. Bigos

Director of Parks and Recreation

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EVENT SPONSOR/ VENDOR/ PARTICIPANT- REGISTRATION FORM

Sponsor Donation \$375.00 _____ *Sponsors will receive a prime preferred location, sponsorship signage, advertising, prominent marketing on the day of the event.*

Deadline for event sponsorship is **April 3, 2026**

Commercial Vendor \$165.00 _____ *Food Vendor \$45.00 _____ Social/Charitable Organizations \$35.00 _____

*VOR Health Permit Required

Name of Organization/ Business _____

Address _____ Cell Phone # _____ Business Phone _____

Contact Person _____ Email _____ Check # _____

Have you registered with the New Jersey Sustainable Business Registry? Yes _____ No _____

Please tell us what sustainable products or practices your organization engages in:

_____. *Groups with sustainable products/practices may be included in the Green Ridgewood "Scavenger Hunt" at the Daffodil Festival/Earth Day Fair.*

Checks to be made payable to: The Village of Ridgewood

Attn: Nancy A. Bigos, Parks & Recreation, The Stable, 259 N. Maple Avenue, Ridgewood, NJ 07450.

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