

## Welcome to Vermont's Green Enterprise Community!



### Green Up Looking for Student Winners

Green Up Vermont reminds students K-12 they may enter Green Up annual contests for the design of the poster to promote Green Up Day (May 2, 2009) and for a poem or essay inspired by Green Up. Deadline for entries is the last day of January.

Adults are encouraged to make sure their children or students know about this opportunity. An overall winner is chosen for each contest and winners are also chosen by grade categories by county. Top winners receive a cash prize. All winners will be honored at an Awards Banquet, to be held March 27 in Montpelier, where the Governor presents special recognition certificates.

Poster contest entries must be vertical format in size 11 by 14 inches. They must include the words Green Up Vermont. Computer art is not accepted. Writing contest essays may include up to 400 words. For more information visit Green Up website at [www.greenupvermont.org](http://www.greenupvermont.org)

Vermont's unique "Green Up Day" tradition started in 1970 by Governor Deane C. Davis continues to promote anti-litter education and maintaining a clean green Vermont. Each year, on Green Up Day - the first Saturday in May thousands of volunteers statewide clean litter from roadsides and public places to "spruce up" their communities, showing pride in our beloved state's natural beauty.

Contest entries go to: Green Up Vermont, P.O. Box 1191, Montpelier VT 05601-1191, or deliver to the Green Up office at 14-16 Baldwin St. Montpelier.

**To sponsor "Green Up Day,"** or, for questions, call Melinda Vieux, President Green Up Vermont, at 802-229-4586 or 800-975-3259.

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