



KECB Newsletter-July, 2023

Litter- There were 3 litter pickups in June. Rotary Club picked up at least 160 pounds on Mineral Springs Road. It's sad that the road leading to our industrial park is one of the most littered roads in the county. A big thank you to Eliam Church who collected 9 pounds of litter on Dr. George Ward Road. The prize for the most however goes to the mid-month pickup by KECB. Clark Road, probably Bowman's worst road, topped 200 pounds. It truly makes us wonder why people can't either carry a bag in their car or wait until they get home to rid themselves of the trash. The residents and Elbert County deserve more respect!

Beautification- KECB was awarded a \$350 grant from the Georgia Master Gardener Association. It is our goal to install a raised bed garden by next spring. We plan to use plants that are native to our area of Georgia, are drought resistant and ones that will attract pollinators. If you might be interested in helping with this project, let us know!

Membership- We are so close! We currently have 97 members- only 3 more to that magic 100! Will it be you?

Education- Alex Bennett, our scholarship awardee, visited us at our June meeting. It was exciting to learn of his educational plans! School is out but we are already thinking of the next school year. We will be working with 4-H again and would love to include some other grade levels or classes to our program. Let us know your needs or ideas!

Other- We held our June Recycling Event at the Elberton Recycling Center. 63 cars came through the gates to get rid of unwanted items including old TV's, computers and tires. Thanks for your patronage!

Need an activity? **Give us a call (706-567-0481) or email us at kecbeautiful@gmail.com, to schedule a neighborhood, church group, friends, school organization, etc. event.** We will supply you with all the equipment and supplies that you will need. Clean ups can be held at any time and for as short or long as you want. Pick any street, park/public area, road or section of a road, that you would like to spruce up!

Coming up in July we have-

We welcome any and all volunteers!

-July 11- monthly meeting beginning at 5:30 pm in our Church St. Office. All are welcome!

-July 19- Mid-week event 8-10am. Location to be determined.



Rotary Club 6/3/23



KECB Recycling Event 6/10/23



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Scholarship Committee with Alex



Clark Road in Bowman



Clark Road pickup