



KECB Newsletter-September, 2022

As we enter Fall, we are looking forward to some cooler weather. It is always easier to recruit volunteers for various projects when it isn't 90 degrees outside!

We had a recent request for plant materials for ECMS and got a great response. Likewise, some members of the KECB board attended a lunch to see how we might be able to partner with the Elberton Farm Bureau to provide more agricultural activities in the classrooms. We can certainly help out with topics involving gardens and environmental themes.

Speaking of partnerships, the trash cans to be placed leading away from the Main Square have arrived and are now in the possession of the City of Elberton. We look forward to a cleaner downtown area after events. These trash cans are a result of the City of Elberton partnering with KECB to win the inaugural Sandra Webb Legacy Grant offered by Keep Georgia Beautiful Foundation.

Let us know if you would like to schedule a cleanup. We can furnish you with the needed equipment and it can be scheduled when it is convenient for you. This is a great activity for clubs, school and youth groups, neighborhoods, church groups, businesses, etc.

Coming up in September we have-

September 10- Bowman Recycling Event -see attached flyer in a follow-up email or on Facebook

September 13- KECB monthly meeting. 10 W. Church St. beginning at 5:30. All are welcome.

September 17- Annual River's Alive Broad River cleanup sponsored by KECB and Broad River Watershed Association-see attached flyer in follow-up email or on Facebook

September 21- Mid-month litter pickup if it is not too hot! Email will be sent.

September 26- National Mesothelioma Awareness Day-asbestos exposure is nothing to take lightly. If you are planning a renovation where asbestos could be present, please take a look at this <https://www.asbestos.com/exposure/handling-disposing-asbestos/> The correct handling and removal of asbestos is critical for your health!



Have you seen some of these?



Lions Club members after their 8/6/22 pickup.



KECB table at Youth Lives Matter Event at Blackwell Cultural Center on 8/13/22.