

Greening your Home or Business



The Rockland Business Association's Green Council and Rockland BOCES present a Sustainability Lecture Series. The Lecture Series would comprise 8 two hour classes, one each week, from 7pm to 9pm and would be hosted at the Rockland BOCES Campus in West Nyack by Adult Ed Instructor Ed Gray, Director of Facilities, Rockland BOCES

CALL TO REGISTER 845-348-3500 EXT. 3500

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Session 1 - Monday April 13. 7-9pm Introduction to Sustainability Instructor Ed Gray will teach basics of Home/Business 'Green Tech' concepts. Guest Speaker - Michael Shilale, AIA, LEED, Michael Shilale Architects, LLP



Session 2 - Monday April 20. 7-9pm Save Energy and Save Money

Instructor Ed Gray will introduce topic of Rebates for Electric Customers; Home/Business. Guest Speaker -Charmaine Cigliano, Orange and Rockland Utilities



Session 3 - April 27, 7-9pm Waste not Want not - Solid Waste Reduction Instructor Ed Gray will discuss initiatives in Composting and Recycling. Guest Speaker- Kerri Scales, Rockland County Solid Waste Management Authority

United Water

Session 4 - May 4. 7-9pm Water Conservation

Instructor Ed Gray will update status of Water supplies and Xeriscape Drought Resistant plantings. Guest Speaker- . Don Distante, Director of Planning and Strategic Projects, United Water Co.



Session 5 - May 11, 7-9pm

Solar Power; Cleaner, Greener and Lower Cost.

Instructor Ed Gray will introduce Solar types (Photo Voltaic) and opportunities for 'No Out-of-Pocket' projects.

Guest Speakers - Neil Weiss, On Force Solar



Session 6 – May 18 7-9pm

Make your Home or Building More Efficient

Instructor Ed Gray will lecture on current modalities available, i.e. Insulation, CFL's, etc.

Guest Speakers- Tony Lisanti, C.E.M. Home Energy Rater and Mike D'Arcy, NYSERDA Outreach Coordinator & BPI Certified Regional Energy Coach



Session 7 - June 1 7-9pm

NYSERDA – Incentives to Green your Home or Office.

Instructor Ed Gray will advise on current New York State programs available for Green Tech rebates.

Guest Speaker - Patrice Courtney-Strong, Courtney Strong, Inc, NYSERDA Consultant



Session 8 7 – June 8. 7-9pm

Sustainability in Action

Instructor Ed Gray will tour Students through Rockland BOCES' installations of Green Tech; CTEC Student House, B2 Solar Array, Windmill.