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Garden State GreenFest offers environmental talks, awards and fun experiments

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UNION — Want to steep yourself in the latest on co-ops, composting and climate change?

Head over to the annual Garden State GreenFest, which will mark its fifth year today when doors open at 9 a.m. at Kean University in Union. The two-day event offers a mix of environmental talks, events and awards.

Some big name environmental draws will be in town, including Robert F. Kennedy Jr., saluted by Time magazine as a "Hero for the Planet" for his roles as chief prosecuting attorney for the Hudson Riverkeeper and president of Waterkeeper Alliance. Kennedy's credentials don't stop there, though: a lesser-known fact is that he is a licensed master falconer.

Scientist Bob Pflugfelder will show off fun and possibly explosive experiments that he's previously showcased on television shows including "Jimmy Kimmel Live," the "Doctor Oz Show" and "Live with Regis & Kelly."


Attendees will get actionable information as well: Leslie Reichert, author of the book "The Joy of Green Cleaning," will share green housekeeping tips to make homes safer.

Also on the program is Christy Morgan, known as "The Blissful Chef," who specializes in cooking that steers clear of processed food and harnesses the power of veggies. Don't worry: she'll be giving out samples.



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Kean University hosted the Garden State GreenFest last year, and is also hosting this year's event.

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Tickets can be bought in advance at greenfest.eventbrite.com, or can be purchased at the door for \$10 a day.

GreenFest sponsors include Public Service Electric & Gas, *The Star-Ledger*, PlanetHonda and Kean University.



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Daisy Crubaugh (age 7) of Belvidere is helped by her mother Nicole while making a soda bottle bird feeder instructed by Kelly Wenzel from New Jersey Audubon during the Garden State Greenfest, in this 2010 file photo.

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

10 to 11 p.m.

- **Insects:** Dan Smith Kateri Environmental Center (Main Stage)
- **School Field Trip:** The 4 R's Penny Jones, Association of NJ Recyclers (Breakroom D-169)
- **The Joy of Green Cleaning:** Leslie Reichert, Author "The Joy of Green Cleaning" (Breakdown D-170)

11 a.m. to noon

- **One Earth So Green and Round:** Lydia & Kathy (Main Stage)

• **School Field Trip Program:** What You Can Do More or Less Marc Rogoff - DEP (Breakroom D-191)

• **Always and Forever:** The beautiful truth about natural burials and green funerals Robert Prout, Prout Funeral Home (Breakroom D-169)

• **Sustainable Jersey:** How Towns Can Save Money and Energy and Implement Sustainable Jersey Energy Actions (Breakroom 170)

11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

• **Garden State Green Awards Luncheon** (D'Angola Gym)

Noon to 12:30 p.m.

• **School Field Trip Program:** The Science of Green Cleaning Leslie Reichert, Author "The Joy of Green Cleaning" (Breakroom D-191)

Noon to 1 p.m.

• **School Field Trip:** What the Freak is Fracking? Food & Water Watch (Breakroom D-169)

I Pledge Allegiance to Home Sweet Home: Penny Jones Association of NJ Recyclers (Breakroom D-170)

• 12:30 to 1 p.m.

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- **School Field Trip:** Have a Career in the Green Economy Dr. Nick Smith-Sebasto (D-169)
- **Sustainable Jersey:** Your School as a Learning Opportunity for Energy Conservation

SATURDAY SCHEDULE

10 to 11 a.m.

- **How You Can be a Part of Healthier Communities:** Renee Koubliadis The Citizens Campaign (Breakroom D-191)
- **Energy 101:** Gray Russell Environmental Coordinator, Township of Montclair (Breakroom D-169)
- **What the Freak is Fracking?** Food & Water Watch (D'Angola Gym)



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Volunteer Louise Wootton, professor and mentor of Georgian Court University, pushes some mixed hair of human and animals into a party hose to make a hair boom, which is for preventing oil spill at the Gulf Coast at the Garden State GreenFest.

10 to 10:30 a.m.

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- **Your Future in the Green Economy:** Prof. Nick Smith-Sebasto, Kean University (Breakroom D-169)

11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

- **Investing In Your Values:** Eric Packer Professional Asset Management Group (Breakroom D-191)
- **Indoor Air Quality Health & Wellness in Buildings:** Chris Murphy Smart Little House (Breakroom D-170)

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- **Always and Forever: The beautiful truth about natural burials and green funerals**

Robert Prout, Prout Funeral Home (Breakroom D-169)

- **The Facts About Genetically Modified Food:** Food & Water Watch

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1 to 2 p.m.

- **Robert F. Kennedy, Jr.**(Main Stage)

2 to 2:30 p.m.

- **Partner With Your Backyard Eco-System:** Dr. Jim Conroy & Basia Alexander Tree Whisperer (Breakroom D-169)

2 to 3 p.m.

- **The Importance of Green Body Care:** Dr. Vinay Desai, Desai Soap (Breakroom D-191)

2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

- **Science Bob:** The Fizz, Pop, Boom Side of Green Science (Main Stage)
- **Green Home Energy Tips:** Gray Russell Environmental Coordinator, Township of Montclair (Breakroom D-170)

3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

- **The Realities of Climate Change:** Harriet Shugarman The Climate Project (Main Stage)
- **Blissful Bites:** How Eating Vegan Can be Delicious and Good for You Christy Murphy, Author Blissful Bites (Breakroom D-169)

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