

# Check It Out!

"Providing waste-reduction awareness, education and program support!"



## Join us as we celebrate Environment Week!

In celebration of Environment Week (May 30 - June 6), Waste Check will be holding an open house at the Yarmouth County Solid Waste Park. The event will take place on Saturday **June 6th** from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., at the facilities on Hardscratch Road. Come tour the park and see what happens to your waste after it leaves the curb as well as the NEW Household Hazardous Waste depot and public drop off area. Join us for a free BBQ and a piece of cake.

***We will be giving away sunflower seeds while supplies last.***



## Waste Check receives a Mobius Environmental Award for Region of the Year



Some of the Waste Check staff with Waste Check board member Councillor Gregory and Moby the RRFB Recycling Robot.

A special **“thank you”** to the residents in our region for helping Waste Check receive a Mobius Environmental Award for Region of the Year. We couldn't have done it without you!



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742-1312 or toll free 1-800-569-0039  
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## Summer Events

Are you planning a special event, festival or family BBQ and need help making sure your waste is managed properly? Contact Waste Check for FREE advice on how to set things up. Containers are available to borrow for events. Limited funding is also available for non profit groups to go towards purchasing their own containers.



Friendly, knowledgeable staff are also available to set up an information booth at special events/festivals. Look for us at an event near you or call to book us at your event.



## Community Litter Cleanup Incentive Program

Waste Check is offering non-profit groups an incentive to help keep communities in Digby and Yarmouth Counties litter free. Non-profit groups will be paid \$100 per km for cleaning both sides of the road. A minimum of 1 km must be cleaned to qualify for the incentive program. Maximum funding per group is \$200. This is an excellent fundraising opportunity for non-profit groups and also a great opportunity to do something good for the community. Contact Waste Check at 742-1312, toll free 1-800-569-0039 or visit [www.wastecheck.com/programs\\_litter\\_pickup.html](http://www.wastecheck.com/programs_litter_pickup.html) for an application. Limited funding is available.



## The Great Nova Scotia Pick-Me-Up

Become involved with cleaning up favourite spots in your community such as a park, a beach, a school yard or a stretch of road in front of your house. To get involved and to receive a FREE litter cleanup kit, please contact Clean Nova Scotia toll free at 1-800-665-5377 or visit [www.clean.ns.ca](http://www.clean.ns.ca). They will send you everything you need to conduct a clean up.

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