

Dear Friends,

It's time to gather your friends and family and get ready for our 20<sup>th</sup> annual Table Rock Lake Shoreline Cleanup! This year, the first Saturday in April falls on April 4<sup>th</sup>.

Since 2001 we have removed over 283 tons of trash and recycled almost 4,600 tires from the shorelines of Table Rock Lake. These impressive results are only possible with the support and dedication of volunteers like you! We need your continued support for the Cleanup again this year. Form a team, become a business sponsor (if not already), and help us continue to keep our lake clean and beautiful. If you are unable to organize a team, encourage a neighbor or friend to take the reins this year, and pass this information on to them. **We would also appreciate reports from you on any locations you are aware of that need cleaning up.** You can contact me at [ronna@ozarkswaterwatch.org](mailto:ronna@ozarkswaterwatch.org) or call 417-739-5001.

Cleanup supplies are provided and will be ready for you to pick up starting March 27<sup>th</sup> (locations on reverse).

The Cleanup takes place anywhere along the almost 800 miles of shoreline. We've had over 100 teams and 1,000 volunteers most years and hope to do it again! Teams are made up of families, businesses, home owners associations, church groups, student groups, organizations, scouts, etc. Your team can work morning, afternoon, or during the week. (Roll-off dumpsters only available Friday 4/3 – Monday 4/6) Choose a location you're familiar with, move to another location, or we can help you coordinate an area for your team to cleanup.

Use the *Volunteer and Trash Tracking Sheet* (included) to track your team and cleanup location for us! **Please return the Volunteer and Trash Tracking Sheet to our office by Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020.** Volunteer Sheets and dumpster maps can also be found on our website ([ozarkswaterwatch.org](http://ozarkswaterwatch.org)). **All volunteers will receive a t-shirt and each family gets a coupon for a free night of camping at any Table Rock Lake Corps of Engineers campground!** We love to see photos of your team! **Remember your camera and send a few choice photos** to us at [contact@ozarkswaterwatch.org](mailto:contact@ozarkswaterwatch.org) if you'd like to share your Shoreline Cleanup memories. Please wear sturdy shoes, use a lifejacket while on docks or boats, dress appropriately, **have fun and be safe!**

**Thank you for keeping Table Rock Lake clean!**

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## Dates to Remember!

**NOW:** Gather your team! If you know where you want to clean, give us a call; we would love to know!

**March 30 - April 4:** Pick-up supplies at Ozarks Water Watch at 11 Oak Drive in Kimberling City (M-F from 8-4:30 and April 4 from 8-3) **417-739-5001**

**March 27- April 4:** Pick-up supplies at the Shell Knob Chamber of Commerce located at 25364 MO-39, Shell Knob, MO (M-F 9-4:30 and Saturday by appointment) **417-858-3300**

**March 27- April 4:** Pick-up supplies at the Dewey Short Visitors Center located at 4500 MO-165, Branson, MO 65616 (Daily. 10-4) **501-340-1943**

-  **Gloves**
-  **Trash bags**
-  **Granola Bars**
-  **Tarps**
-  **Trash Tracking Sheets**
-  **Map of dumpster locations**

Dumpsters will be placed at Corps of Engineers campgrounds around the lake from **April 3<sup>rd</sup> through April 6<sup>th</sup>**. Please remember, **do NOT put appliances, large metal, or tires in the dumpsters!** Please put these items alongside the dumpster to be picked up separately for recycling. Call 417-337-3403 if you leave appliances or heavy metal items.

**April 4:** **20<sup>th</sup> Annual Shoreline Cleanup on Table Rock Lake!!**

**April 4-17:** Turn in Trash Tracking Sheets and pick up the T-shirts for you and your team!

Have a happy, safe, *clean* Table Rock Lake summer!

**By participation in and allowing participation of any minors under your care and supervision in the Table Rock Lake Shoreline Cleanup 2020, you release Ozarks Water Watch and/or its event sponsors and supporters from any liabilities or claims resulting from any injury or loss incurred during or as a result your voluntary participation in this event.**

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