

Sunrise Green Team

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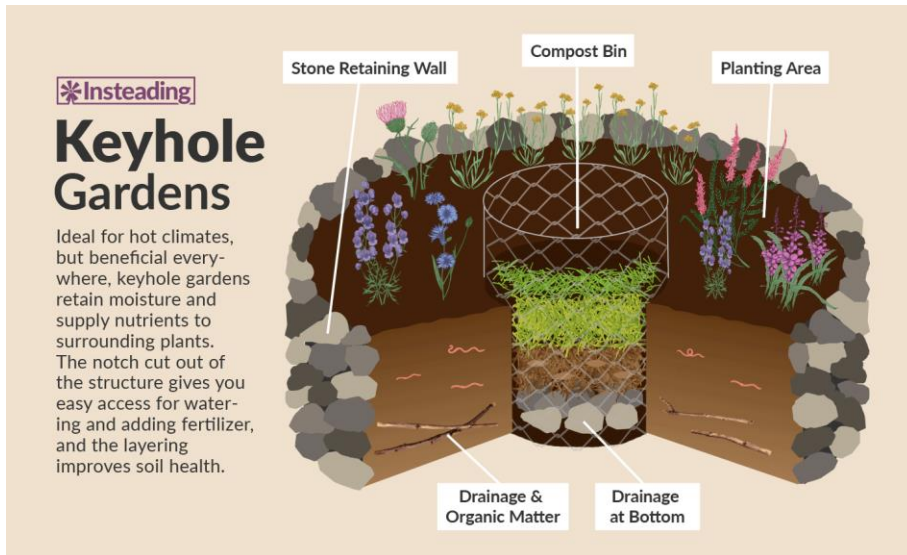
Ready for spring cleaning?

To honor Earth Day on April 22nd, the Green Team has some ideas to share on how to manage your yard waste without throwing it curbside!

Have you thought about a composting system? The Keyhole Garden is a great solution to managing your yard and household waste. It provides an opportunity to produce some of your own food and flowers!



Keyhole Gardens!



For inspiration of both elaborate and simple gardens, check out <https://instead.com/blog/keyhole-garden/> (images in this newsletter provided through instead.com)

This video has a detailed demonstration on how to create a keyhole garden: (Part 1) https://youtu.be/wf_ummokYWY and (Part 2) https://youtu.be/D_1lq-y13K8

These Northeast seed companies can provide seeds that are good for our climate zone:

<https://www.johnnyseeds.com/>
<https://www.fruitionseeds.com/>
<https://www.fedcoseeds.com/>

Online seedling starter instructions here:

<https://www.myfruitionseeds.com/Fruition's%20Seed%20Starting%20Academy>

Fencing Ideas:

One of Dee's solutions to garden waste is to use raw material found in the garden for her organic screens on the front of her property which provides privacy from the road.

Materials: 6' black welded wire farm fencing, sticks, leaves, and pine cones. Heavy duty staples attach the wire fence to the trees and support structures.



Every spring the top of the fence is replenished with new material.