

FEATURED SCHOOL NEWS

Students talk trash, help save the Earth

At John the Evangelist School, students talked trash on Earth Day April 22 as they participated in a "No Trash Lunch Day." ...



Students participating in a trash cleanup activity.

This is not a desk.



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"They were very impressive in their planning," reported Anna's father, Dr. Michael Gloth, a parishioner of Sacred Heart, Glyndon. They found space, secured commitments from bands, printed and sold tickets, and planned on-site logistics like security. ...

About 250 enthusiastic fans enjoyed the fruits of

the girls' labor as a Towson church provided the venue. The bands - Oh the Story, Mir in the Moon, Alliston, Dropout Year, Capitol Risk and American Diary - provided complimentary performances and were given space to sell merchandise.

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St. John Regional Catholic School, Frederick, will host a May 3 electronic recycling event from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Computers, laptops, printers, monitors, cell phones, stereos and other hardware can be

disposed of, thus saving the state's landfills from dangerous toxins.

Previously, a hands-on demonstration in electronic recycling was presented to 500 St. John students by a company called e-EndUSA, which sponsored the event with the school. A portion of the proceeds will help the school's computer and technology needs.

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Brett P. Bennett, class of 1984, and Brooks C. Bennett and Kevin E. Manner, class of 1989, along with other partners, have traveled the coun-

try to promote the product, including at San Francisco's Fleet Week, a Blue Angels air show, taverns and parks, football games, a San Antonio rodeo, and beaches in Florida, California and Texas.

The trio will be featured on several TV programs. Visit www.cooltoss.com to view the product.

In other Calvert Hall news, Andrew R. Weiner, class of 2005, will participate in Push America's "Gear Up Florida" 800-mile bicycle ride next March. Along the route, Andrew, a chemistry major at the Illinois Institute of Technology, will stop at various camps and schools to volunteer with disabled children.

Push America is the national outreach project of Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity. Log onto http://www.pushamerica.org/ to find Andrew's profile.

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