

CONVERSATION

Putnam Soil and Water Conservation District

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Join Us for Our
Annual Meeting Open House

The 58th Annual Meeting Open House will be held September 3, 2014 in the Ag Complex meeting room. An election of two board supervisors and a complementary meal will be held from 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. with a short program following. We will be honoring our 2014 Conservation Farmer, along with other highlights from the year.

If you know you will be attending, please call the office at 419-523-5159 and give a meal count. **Everyone is invited!**

No RSVP is required to attend. If you are unable to be present at the election but would like to vote, an absentee ballot can be sent to you or picked up at the office. Anyone who resides in Putnam County and is at least 18 years of age is encouraged to vote in the election of our supervisors.

Come Join us for Fun, Food, & Fellowship!

Candidates for Election

Be on the look out for a SPECIAL Annual Meeting Newsletter that will highlight our candidates that are running in the election. The newsletter will be available by email, on our website, and Facebook page!

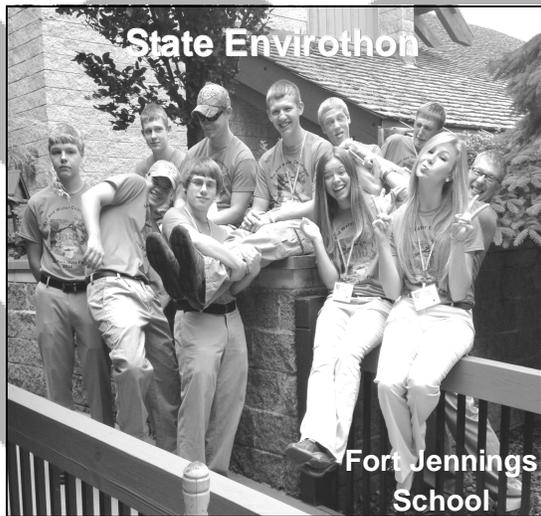
Win a
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Come to our Annual Meeting where we will be giving away a FREE Rain Barrel and other great door prizes!

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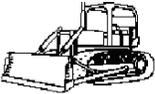
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Silica, & Conductivity)

Pesticide - \$60
(Major Herbicides - Atrazine, Cyanazine,
Simazine, Alachlor, Metolachlor, &
Acetochlor)

Metals - \$75
(Aluminum, Arsenic, Barium, Beryllium,
Cadmium, Calcium, Chromium, Cobalt,
Copper, Iron, Lead, Magnesium,
Manganese, Nickel, Potassium, Selenium,
Sodium, Strontium, Vanadium, & Zinc)

Private Well Testing Program

You will be able to pick up
your test kit with payment
at the Putnam SWCD
Office. Bring your kit on
July 30th and you will
receive your confidential
results in 2-4 weeks.

**Collection
Day
July 30th**
Extended Hours
1:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Contact Putnam SWCD at 419-523-5159 Today!!

Receive Your Newsletter by Email

If you would like to switch to the electronic version,
please email sarah.gerten@putnamcountyohio.gov.

We will send the next newsletter to you by Email.

Thanks for Helping us Conserve!

Upcoming Events

July 20-22

Summer Supervisor School

July 22

Monthly Board Meeting 8:00 p.m.

July 30

Well Water Collection Day

1:00 - 6:30 p.m.

August 26

Monthly Board Meeting 8:00 p.m.

September 1

Office Closed - Labor Day

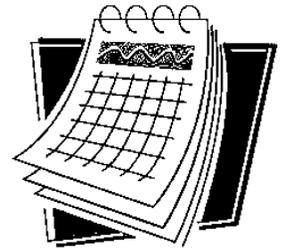
September 3

Annual Meeting Open House

4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

September 23

Monthly Board Meeting 8:00 p.m.



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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Kalida - 1st full week of month; July 7-11; August 4-8;
September 8-12.

Continental - 2nd week of month; July 14-18; August 11-15;
September 15-19.

Leipsic - 3rd week of month; July 21-25;
August 18-22; September 22-26.

Columbus Grove - 4th week of month; July 28-August 1;
August 25-29; September 29-October 3.

Please visit www.putnamcountyrecycles.com or
call 419-523-3656 for more information.