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Peshtigo Students Clean up for Earth Day

An idea born from BPM employee has become an annual commitment to the community.

Peshtigo, Wisconsin – Students from the Peshtigo school joined together on Earth Day to pick up trash, litter and garbage to help make the community a clean place. For the sixth year in a row, physical education students participated in cleaning up the surrounding areas of the schools, park and river.

Beginning with an idea several years ago from Vicki Lange, Traffic and Purchasing Agent at BPM Inc., she requested supplies to be donated by BPM for students to clean up around the schools. BPM supported her idea and has been donating for the past six years.

Lange thought the idea to donate bags and gloves to a local school would help students recognize the need to preserve the environment and in return, provide a beautified community for all.

“The clean up continues to be successful,” said Tye Schoenebeck, Physical Education Instructor at Peshtigo Middle/High School. “The students enjoy making a difference and the consistent donations by BPM has benefited both the community and our classes which have allowed us to be involved year after year.”

Over 200 students whose schedule involved Physical Education class on Wednesday, April 22, participated in the clean up to honor the nationally recognized Earth Day. Students picked up about 40 large bags of trash and litter around Peshtigo schools, Peshtigo River, Badger Park, parking lots and other surrounding areas. A special thank you is extended to the Physical Education Department and the Peshtigo Middle/High School for partnering with BPM.



Students from Peshtigo Middle/High School Physical Ed classes participated in the Peshtigo Earth Day Clean up on Wednesday, April 22.