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Hello all,

I wanted to share an idea for us to discuss on Thursday for Earth day. Due to volunteer and business fatigue, the ask for donations and volunteers needs to be minimal. I would also like to try to hit some of our annual goals with this event by increasing awareness to the parks and rec page and increasing our google presence with pictures.

Here is a potential outline for Earth day:

1. a city wide scavenger hunt
 - a. A clue about the park with a key of the parks in a corner
 - b. 2-4 clues at each park IE who designed the fountain at heritage park
 - c. Optional: upload a park specific picture on google
 - d. Optional: download city app to learn more about our parks and make park reservations
 - e. Participants can complete and turn in by the end of the week so that they can participate on their own time and without crowds
 - f. Optional for us: If we choose to have participants turn in forms, can we get 3 nature based prizes? Scappoose bay kayak rental, Native plant sale gift certificate, etc

Option number 2 can be in addition to or in place of a scavenger hunt.

2. Nature based activities at all or several of the parks
 - a. clean up at CZ trail/Chapman landing
 - b. Nature walk with SBWC
 - c. planting trees/native plants
 - d. supervised removal of non-native plant species

Please be prepared to discuss and/or come with additional ideas on Thursday.

Best,
Cara