

2016 Arbor Day Celebration Contest

The Lancaster Soil and Water Conservation District invites your students and teachers to participate in the LANCASTER SOIL and WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT ARBOR DAY CELEBRATION. Grades K-12 throughout Lancaster County are encouraged to enter.

Each year, the Lancaster Soil and Water Conservation District selects a school in Lancaster County to participate in our Arbor Day Celebration. The Lancaster Soil and Water Conservation District will provide a tree or trees for the students to plant on the school grounds. The Lancaster Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Commissioners and the staff come to the chosen school and enjoy the programs that the school has designed for Arbor Day. The news media are invited to publicize the school and its program. The students, staff of the school, Commissioners and the staff of the District then plant the tree. The Arbor Day celebration will be held **Friday, December 2, 2016.**

We ask that a representative from the school write a short essay telling us why you want us to hold the Arbor Day Celebration at your school. Amanda Roberts will contact the school where we choose to participate. **WE NEED THESE RESPONSES BACK IN THE OFFICE NO LATER THAN 3:00 PM ON OCTOBER 3, 2016.** You may mail the essay to PO Box 2274, Lancaster, SC 29721 or email the essay in a word file to amanda.roberts@sc.nacdnet.net.

We look forward to working with all of you. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at 803-286-4455 ext. 100.

Thank you for your continued support of the conservation district's educational programs.