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## Grantee Newsletter

### Chesapeake Bay Trust's Current Open Grants and Deadlines

**Prince George's Rain Check Rebate Program:** Rolling deadline

**Charles County Forestry Grant Program:** Rolling deadline

**Green Streets Grant Program:** Deadline March 17, 2017

**Nontidal Wetlands Grant Program:** Deadline March 23, 2017

**Chesapeake Conservation Corps Member Application:** Deadline April 14, 2017

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## Around the Bay

### ***New URLs for Grant Program Pages***

Chesapeake Bay Trust's new website is [live!](#) A note to all grantees: if you saved links to specific grant pages, you will need to go to our website and save new links, as URLs for some pages have changed.

### ***Interested in Starting Your Own Pet Waste Management Program?***

Sustainable Maryland is hosting a summit on how to improve your community's health and keep your neighborhoods beautiful through pet waste management! The Prince George's County Pet Waste Management Summit on April 6 in Largo will offer a unique opportunity for elected officials, staff, Green teams, HOAs, civic associations and engaged residents to learn more about pet waste management and how they can incorporate pet waste best management practices into their overall sustainability initiatives. Attendees will hear about the County's new Pet Waste Campaign, share best practices, and access resources to start their own local pet waste management program. Register [here](#).

### ***Save the Date for our annual Treasure the Chesapeake Celebration on Thursday, May 4th***

We have set the date for our Treasure the Chesapeake Celebration! New this year, we have an honoree: Mike Hankin, Chairman of the Waterfront Partnership of Baltimore. Sponsorships and tickets available. More details are available [here](#). We hope to see you there!

### ***Want to Grow Fruit Trees in the City?***

The Civic Works Baltimore Orchard Project's Fruit and Nut Tree Academy will provide you with all the knowledge you'll need to plant and care for fruit and nut trees throughout the year. Members of the BOP team will lead three sessions:

March 22nd: The Lifecycle of a Fruit Tree  
March 29th: The Best Defense  
April 5th: Orchard Ecosystems

The cost is \$125 and all classes will be held on Wednesday evenings from 5 -7 PM at the Civic Works Mansion (2701 St. Lo Drive). Email Gwen Kokes at [info@baltimoreorchard.org](mailto:info@baltimoreorchard.org) for more information!

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