



Earth Smart Store News

New Products at the Earth Smart Store

- ❖ Building Products
 - Insulation made from recycled Blue Jean cotton fibers. R-values equivalent to glass insulation. Treated to ensure it is non-flammable. Easy to install without a mask required and no itching afterwards.
 - New products from Eco-Timber flooring.
 - New bamboo colors and patterns
 - Additional hardwood types and patterns
 - Come in and check them out!
 - Land Ark Stains and wood treatment
 - You won't find a less toxic more naturally pure stain anywhere and its made in Oregon!
 - Non-Toxic paint stripper
 - Reclaimed wood flooring and wood products
 - Boards reclaimed from historic buildings and schools prior to demolition.
 - Flooring, mantel pieces, beams and other products reclaimed from historic buildings.
- ❖ Home Products
 - Pet beds stuffed with organic cotton fibers.
 - Low flow water saver shower heads
- ❖ Check out the handiwork of The Earth Smart Store's clay expert, Abby, at the new Flat Tail's Pub. The inside of the pub was textured with American Clay products from the Earth Smart Store. Abby did a phenomenal job. Let us know what you think.
- ❖ Contact the Earth Smart Store staff with questions on environmental products. Customers approach us all the time, requesting research on products.
- ❖ If you have an event and want to make it green but have no place to compost our products, we can help. For large events we will drop off and pick up the waste for composting. For smaller events the compostable waste can be dropped off at the store

and we will compost it for you. Our goal is to have none of our products going to the landfill.

EcNow Tech News

EcNow Tech Wins the Entrepreneur of the Year Award at Celebrate Corvallis!

Paul and I are honored to be the 2010 recipient of this award. Our goal in 2010 is to continue to grow a sustainable business which remains in our community for many years to come.



Green Tip of the month

Going green takes a little effort. Here are a couple of techniques we've tried and work well:

1. Bring your own compostable produce bags to the store. We re-use the bags over and over then compost them.
 - a. Side benefit is that fruits and vegetables stay fresher in the bags. They retain just enough moisture but don't allow too much build-up which causes rotting and mold.
2. Use compostable containers (round and square) at the food bins. Bring an empty and have them zero out the scale at the checkout stand. Re-use your containers then compost them.