



DuPage Water Commission's Water Conservation and Protection Program Attends Energy in Motion 5K Walk/Run

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On Saturday, April 17th, DuPage Water Commission Water Preservation Group Member, Jenessa Nesbitt, was in attendance as an exhibitor for Glendale Heights' Energy in Motion 5K Walk/Run. The Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce and the Village of Glendale Heights hosted this annual Walk/Run with all profits donated to schools and the Parks & Recreation P.A.T.H. program for educational tools, new before and after-school programs, health and fitness equipment, literature, or whatever it is that they need to educate children in making better activity choices. The Walk also brings awareness of what earth needs for us all to live in a clean, green environment.

At the end of the walk participants received a card with the nine exhibitors' logos as well as a reusable bag. If the participants visited each booth and received a stamp as well as learned something about conservation, they were in the running to win an iPod nano.

Although it was a blustery morning, 27 runners present for the 5K run and 150 walkers for the 5K walk.

DWC's rain barrel and dual flush toilet were both present. Around 20 informational pamphlets about toilet leaks, lawncare, indoor/outdoor water use, and a water quiz were handed out. About 40 5-minute shower timers, 50 rain gauges, and 50 toilet leak detection tablets were distributed.

See below for pictures from the event and see http://www.energyinmotion5k.org/index.html for more information on the event.





Dual-flush toilet display



Water Conservaton Giveaway and Information table