

Earth Day Roundup – 2014

With warm weather and sunny skies, the annual Earth Day sponsored by Polk County Parks, Forestry, Buildings, and Solid Waste Department, Land and Water Resources and Public Health was a great success.

Both past and present Polk County employees, as well as, volunteers from the general public gave demonstrations and tours to approximately 580 third, fourth and fifth grade students from Polk County. In addition, at least 100 people from the public also enjoyed the tours.

Some of the demonstrations included:



Diane Voltz
Rural Balsam Lake
“Making Maple Syrup”

Ron and Christine Wilson
Rural Amery
“Polk County Beekeepers”



Jeremy Williamson
Polk County Land and Water Resources Dept.
“What’s in a Drop of Lake Water?”



**Amy Kelsey, Former Employee
Polk Co. Land & Water Resource Dept.**

***“ Groundwater Model: Wisconsin’s
Buried Treasure”***



**Bob Kazmierski, CNRED Agent,
UWEX**

***“Watershed Model: Where does our
water go?”***

AND, saving the best for last...

Polk Burnett Electric Cooperative

***Demonstrated the power of
electricity by setting a hot dog on
fire.***

