



Thomaston ~Watertown ~Waterbury
~Naugatuck~ Beacon Falls~

Five-Town Naugatuck River Greenway Cleanup

Saturday, May 14th
8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Cleanup Rules and Regulations

1. In case of an emergency call 9-1-1.
2. If you have any questions about an object, speak with an adult or team leader.
3. Watch out for hazards including: broken glass, rusted metal, nails in wood, sealed containers, and syringes.
4. Do **NOT** open sealed containers.
5. Do **NOT** handle syringes or pick up broken glass with bare hands. Report all such objects to team leader, who will place broken glass/syringes in a bucket.
6. Beware of natural hazards: pricker bushes, vines on the ground, ticks, spiders, snakes, poison ivy/oak, slippery rocks etc.
7. Work with a partner and, if possible, carry a cell phone
8. Stay away from railroad tracks.
9. Stay out of the river.
10. Follow directions about what debris must be separated if any (recyclable things).
11. Bring all debris to predetermined location.
12. Check yourself for ticks following cleanup.

****This cleanup is a registered *American Rivers* 2011 National River Cleanup event**