



North Portland Tool Library

presents a **Free Workshop:**

Rain Barrel Workshop

Saturday, October 18th at 10:00 am

at the Kenton Firehouse

(2209 N Schofield - above the tool library)

Save water, harvest rain for your garden!

Participants will learn how to make and set-up rain barrels for rain harvesting. Rain harvesting allows water to be stored for use in the dryer months on your garden and lawn.

Making your own rain barrels is less expensive, allows you to custom design applications for your home and is a lot of fun. The rain barrel to be built this year is different from the one built last year. It is simpler and more economical to build, and it is easier to maintain.

This workshop will be held outside on the patio so be sure to dress for the weather!

Instructor: John Nicol

John has worked with the North Portland Tool Library and put on a rain barrel making workshop last year. He has made some improvements to the design and donated specialty tools to the North Portland Tool Library for making rain barrels.

The final product (a working rain barrel) will be auctioned and proceeds will go to support the North Portland Tool Library. To cover materials cost, the minimum bid for the rain barrel is \$50.



The North Portland Tool Library is a community resource dedicated to building community and fostering sustainability by providing residents with tools and the power to use them.

We loan a wide variety of tools to community members free of charge. The North Portland Tool Library helps support diverse, livable neighborhoods and fosters community pride. Registration with the Library is free to all residents of North Portland.

This is a free workshop for residents of North Portland. Donations to NPTL are appreciated. Thank you!

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Kenton Firehouse (2209 N Schofield- above the tool library)

To register, please contact Drew at toolclasses@gmail.com, or just come in and sign up.

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