

# Water Conservation

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## Order Your Rain Barrel Today!

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207.439.2492 or [ledgett@comcast.net](mailto:ledgett@comcast.net)

To order a rain barrel, send your name, address, phone, email and first two color preferences (Terra Cotta, Black, Grey, or Blue) along with a check payable to Gundalow Company to:  
Spruce Creek Association  
PO Box 53, Kittery ME 03904

### Pick up your Rain Barrel:

**Event:** The Gundalow Comes to Kittery Point

**When:** Saturday, May 16  
between 9am and 12pm

**Where:** Town Pier, Kittery Point, Maine

### SkyJuice Rain Barrel features:

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- ◆ Fully screened intake port keeps mosquitoes, insects, and debris out
- ◆ The lid can be removed for easy cleaning and for storing hoses inside the barrel during the winter
- ◆ The brass spigot can be connected to a regular hose or a drip irrigation system
- ◆ The over flow tubing is used to direct water away from the foundation, back into the normal drain, or to join multiple barrels for additional capacity
- ◆ No gutters needed – place where water streams from your roof



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Funded by the Maine Department of Environmental Protection Nonpoint 319 Program  
Town of Kittery, Maine  
200 Rogers Road Extension  
Kittery, Maine 03904  
[www.protectkitterywaters.org](http://www.protectkitterywaters.org)

## Spruce Creek Watershed Improvement Project 2009 Rain Barrel Program



# \$75

What a deal! Save \$50!

Recycled barrels come in grey, black, blue and terra cotta. Please give your first and second choice colors on your order form. All barrels are functionally sound.

#### Optional accessories

2 x 3" Rain Diverter - \$30.00 (save \$6!)

3 x 4" Rain Diverter - \$32.00 (save \$6)

## SAVE

Collect rainwater from your roof!  
1/4 inch of rain on a 1,000 square foot roof will fill 2 rain barrels!

## USE

Use the collected chlorine-free rain water on your gardens and house plants.  
Your plants will love this naturally soft water!

## Become Part of the Solution!

You are helping the Spruce Creek watershed by slowly releasing rainwater from the rain barrels into your gardens. Allowing rain water to soak into the soil decreases stormwater runoff, reduces erosion, and helps recharge your groundwater.

Order deadline: May 1, 2009. For more information on the rain barrel, installation, and how to use it, visit [www.skyjuice.us](http://www.skyjuice.us)

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2. Please indicate your color preferences: Terra Cotta, Black, Grey, Blue
3. Include your check or money order payable to Gundalow Company for the amount.
4. Payment must be received by Friday, May 1, 2009.

Item	Cost	Quantity	Total	1 <sup>st</sup> Color Choice	2 <sup>nd</sup> Color Choice	3 <sup>rd</sup> Color Choice
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## PRESS RELEASE

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### **Discounted Rain Barrels offered to Kittery and Eliot Residents and delivered by the Gundalow on May 16**

As part of the Spruce Creek Watershed Improvement Project (SCWIP), a Maine Department of Environmental Protection 319 grant sponsored by the Town of Kittery, SkyJuice rain barrels are being sold at the discounted price of \$75 (\$50 off the normal price of \$125). The Town of Kittery and the Gundalow Company have teamed up with SkyJuice New England to offer these rain barrels to help area residents conserve water, save money, reduce stormwater run-off and help with erosion issues.

A rain barrel collects water from the roof when it rains and stores it for use during dry weather to water house plants or outside plantings. Collecting water in a rain barrel is an excellent way to save some of the runoff and take the pressure off our water supply and stormwater management systems. By using the rainwater on your gardens you are helping to replenish your groundwater and benefit our water supply. A one-inch rainfall on a 1,000 square foot roof yields 562 gallons of water. A quarter inch run-off will easily fill a barrel. Five rainy days can provide 275 gallons of free water. Collected rainfall is especially valuable during droughts or dry conditions. It contains more nutrients and less salts than tap water, so it's great for plants.

SkyJuice rain barrels are made from 55-gallon recycled food grade barrels in a variety of colors. The fully screened intake port keeps mosquitoes, insects, and debris out. The lid can be removed for easy cleaning and for storing hoses inside the barrel during the winter. The solid brass threaded spigot can be connected to a regular hose or soaker hose. The overflow connector and tubing can be used to direct water away from the foundation helping with flooding or erosion issues or to join multiple barrels for additional storage capacity.

SCWIP and the Gundalow Company are taking orders through May 1, 2009 and have scheduled a rain barrel pick-up day on Saturday, May 16th at the Kittery Point Town Pier (90 Pepperell Road, Route 103, behind Frisbees and Cap'n Simeons) from 9:00am to 12:00pm.

The barrels will be delivered by the Gundalow Company on their replica shallow-drafted cargo ship, once common in the tidal rivers and bays of the Piscataqua region and the Great Bay estuary in the late 1800's, and used by the Frisbee Store for deliveries in Chauncey and Spruce Creeks. Visitors will be welcome to board the gundalow and learn about how they carried freight between ocean going schooners and navigated up shallow rivers in the area to the growing towns in the region. Cotton, the raw material for the factories producing

cloth, spices and other goods from around the world were transported from the schooners to area businesses by this method. This spring, this historic re-creation of the gundalow will bring you your rain barrel.

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*Optional Photos:*



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