



# Upper Peninsula Recycling Coalition

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## ANNOUNCING: U.P. School Recycling Awards

The Upper Peninsula Recycling Coalition (UPRC) is an organization formed in 1988 to promote the reduction of materials going into landfills through reducing, reusing, and recycling. Our organization hosts an annual conference aimed at informing our members and the public at large about current trends and programs in recycling. We recognize individuals and businesses for their efforts in promoting our goals, as well as area youth for their efforts and ideas through the presentation of our "Young Recyclers" award.

At our annual conference, we will present \$100.00 cash awards to the top contestants in three age groups: grade school, junior high (middle school), and high school. Two school representatives will be invited to attend the conference to receive the awards.

We are asking you to pass this information along to your local area school. Please encourage your district's involvement in this competition.

If you are interested in applying for these awards, please submit a report on an existing or proposed program in your school that you feel encourages reducing, reusing, and/or recycling. We feel that the involvement by youth will encourage innovative thinking, promote lifelong conservation habits, and allow us to showcase creative projects. Please send your reports to:

UPRC SCHOOL NOMINATIONS  
P O BOX 2610  
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Feel free to contact Pete Rossato at 906.774.5718 if you have any questions.