



Partners For Environmental Progress

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Dear PEP Member,

Two weeks ago I had the privilege and the pleasure to speak at the LeMoyné Community Advisory Panel (CAP). The LeMoyné CAP started 27 years ago and is the most engaged CAP I have been involved with on the Gulf Coast. Much trust is being built between manufacturing and community residents through open dialogue and sharing of information. I was proud to share information about PEP with these fine folks, informing them of PEP's mission to apply best environmental practices to business and community issues.

This issue of PEP News is full of opportunities for fun in support of a great cause, including the upcoming [PEP Member Breakfast](#), [Annual Membership Meeting and PEP Environmental Awards](#) (note - sponsorship opportunities are still available), [PEP 19th Annual Golf Tournament](#), [Thompson Engineering Funky Monkey 5K & Fun Run](#), Shred Days at the Mobile Recycling Center, and MORE!

Don't forget! The [PEP Science and Technology Scholarship Fund](#) at the Community Foundation of South Alabama application deadline is March 21st. [PLEASE help us spread the word by including the information in your company newsletters and emails.](#)

Best Regards,

Jennifer Denson  
Executive Director

## MEMBER NEWS

# The PEP Science and Technology Scholarship



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growing today, growing tomorrow  
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION of South Alabama

### \$1,000 Scholarships to 3 Students

The members of the PEP Board of Directors are excited to announce the Partners for Environmental Progress [Scholarship Fund](#) for employees of PEP member companies and their dependents at the Community Foundation of South Alabama.

Each year, PEP will award up to three \$1000 individual scholarships to students who meet the [Scholarship Criteria](#) and are enrolled in a two or four year college or university pursuing a degree or advanced degree in fields related to engineering and environmental science.

PEP believes that successful business and community quality of life are dependent on innovation and an understanding and respect for our coastal environments and natural resources. To that end, PEP seeks to invest in and support educational opportunities in the engineering and environmental sciences to expose students to critical issues involving the Gulf Coast, encourage innovation in the work place, and promote further improvements of best practices that have a positive impact on our environment and resources.

Deadline for application is March 21, 2019

[Eligibility and How to Apply](#)

[Download the Flyer!](#)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Annual Membership Meeting and PEP Environmental Awards

April 4th, 2019

Five Rivers Delta Center

30945 Five Rivers Boulevard, Spanish Fort

5:00 - 5:45

Registration and Beverages

5:45 - 6:15

Business Meeting and Awards

Reception Immediately following

Please make your reservation for you and your spouse or guest by April 1st to [stacy@pepmobile.org](mailto:stacy@pepmobile.org).

Thank you to our Event and Award Sponsors.

[If you are interested in becoming a sponsor, click here.](#)



### March Membership Breakfast

Thursday, March 21

Scott Page, US Marshals Service

'Business Active Shooter Response'

Registration 6:30am

Breakfast Meeting 7:00am

Heron Lakes Country Club

3851 Government Blvd, Mobile, AL 36693

[REGISTER](#)

Thank you to our Event Sponsor:



### 19th Annual Golf

### Tournament

Friday, May 3

[Team Registration and Sponsorships Now Available!](#)

250 business leaders, course games & prizes, great food and networking all while supporting PEP's mission and core beliefs!



[Team Registration and Sponsorships](#)



### Litter Gitter in Action

PEP Member and Vice President of Operations at Thompson Engineering, Don Bates, designed a low-cost device called the Litter Gitter to intercept trash as it flows through waterways. Pictured left, the Litter Gitter captures post Mardi Gras litter on Three Mile Creek near downtown Mobile.

Learn more [here](#).

### Creekfest 2019

Saturday, May 11

Once upon a time, a beautiful creek ran through Mobile. Unfortunately, that creek was neglected during urbanization and the important waterway became an eyesore. Fortunately, the tide has turned, and the revitalization of the Three Mile Creek watershed has become a priority. PEP is a proud supporter of Creekfest, a family-friendly event that supports these revitalization efforts. Live music, food and kayak rides will be part of the half-day event as the natural beauty of one of Three Mile Creek is showcased. [Click here for more details.](#)



For more information and Shred Days and Monthly Volunteer Clean Up Days, click [here](#).



### Mobile Recycling Center Events

SHRED DAYS

Every second Wednesday from 2:00pm - 5:00pm at the Mobile Recycling Center (7450 Hitt Road, Mobile, AL 36695)

- Watch as your files get shredded by the Mobile Recycling Center staff.
- \$5 donation per box - four box limit.

MONTHLY VOLUNTEER CLEAN UP DAYS

Roll up your sleeves, and volunteer with Goodwill Easterseals and Keep Mobile Beautiful at the Mobile Recycling Center (7450 Hitt Road) every third Saturday of the month from 9:00am - 12:00pm Upcoming dates:

- March 16 (9:00am - 12:00pm)
- April 20 (9:00am - 12:00pm)
- May 18 (9:00am - 12:00pm)

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### 2019 Events

Save the Date for all PEP Upcoming Events. [Visit our website for full list!](#)

- [Annual Meeting - April 4](#)
- [Golf Tournament - May 3](#)
- [Reverse Trade Show - Oct. 17](#)



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