

Plastic Cap Drive

About Me

- ▶ Castle High School Junior
- ▶ Career in medical field
- ▶ College at UE

Japan

- ▶ Constant vending machines
- ▶ No trash on streets
- ▶ No trash cans along streets & rarely in stores
- ▶ Plenty of recycling bins

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Project Goals:

- ▶ Increased community involvement
- ▶ Benefit upcoming local park
- ▶ Giveback to the community

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Project Description:

- ▶ Collect 10,000 plastic caps
- ▶ Sort through the caps
- ▶ Manufacture usable caps into a bench
- ▶ Donate bench to Warrick Trails

Challenges

- ▶ Collecting caps
- ▶ Timeline
- ▶ Time to sort caps
- ▶ Finding benefactors

Successes

- ▶ Collected 200lbs of caps
- ▶ Recycled 100lbs of unusable plastic
- ▶ Increased awareness of IRC
- ▶ Motivated others to recycle