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Allenstown Elementary Receives NRRA's Special Recognition Recycling Award

EPSOM, NH – The Northeast Resource Recovery Association (NRRA), New Hampshire the Beautiful and NRRA's School Recycling CLUB presented a Special Recognition award to the Allenstown Elementary Drama Club at the 9th Annual School Recycling Conference on May 22, 2018 at the Manchester Downtown Hotel in Manchester, NH.

The Allenstown Drama Club was recognized for their spirited performance of *The Green Machine*, by Michael and Jill Gallina, adapted by Allenstown Teacher Kimberlie Berrigan. The children sang and danced their way from a polluted park, through a Green Machine transformation, to a litter-free park and a *Party for the Planet* song. In keeping with the Conference *Recycling Rules* theme, the students received gold crowns, green bracelets and hearty applause.

"The future of recycling in Allenstown looks secure with these enthusiastic future recyclers. I especially liked the *Recycle Michael* song," said Michael Durfor, NRRA Executive Director.

Eleven awards in total were given out. For nomination details on each recipient, visit The School Recycling CLUB website www.schoolrecycling.net and click on the [2018 Conference](#) tab, or visit our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/school.recycling>

About NRRA School Recycling CLUB

The School Recycling CLUB is a non-profit group that assists schools in implementing, maintaining and improving recycling programs. The CLUB is managed by NRRA. The CLUB offers school groups a chance to join a program that will help them promote or advance their efforts, network with other school groups, and stimulate school recycling, waste reduction and energy savings. To learn more, visit www.schoolrecycling.net

About New Hampshire the Beautiful

New Hampshire the Beautiful (NHtB) is a non-profit 501 (c)(3) Charitable Trust supported by members of the NH Soft Drink Association, the Beverage Distributors of New Hampshire Association and the New Hampshire Grocers Association. This collaborative effort by food and beverage companies has developed comprehensive programs to address, litter issues, recycling challenges, environmental awareness and education. To learn more, visit www.nhthebeautiful.org

About Northeast Resource Recovery Association (NRRA)

Founded in 1981, NRRA provides a clearinghouse for current, up-to-date information and a source of technical and marketing assistance in the general areas of waste reduction and recycling. NRRA is a member driven organization made up of over 400 municipalities, individuals, and businesses in New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Southern Maine. NRRA is a non-profit 501(c) organization. NRRA's School Recycling CLUB assists schools in implementing, maintaining and improving recycling programs. To learn more visit www.NRRA.net.

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Allenstown Elementary School's Drama Club members were presented with NRRA's Special Recognition Award from for their Keynote Musical on May 22, 2018 in Manchester, NH.