KNB LIFESTYLE:

REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE, REPLENISH?

The 3 R’s

Most of us are already practicing the 3Rs in our lives. We reduce the amount that we consume and waste, we reuse items as much as we can, and we recycle everything that our local recycling program accepts. But what about going the extra environmental mile and doing things like replenishing a repurposed bird feeder to fill the bellies of our flying friends? Here’s a DIY project to make the birds sing while reusing and repurposing household items.

Soda Bottle Feeder

Rescue any sized plastic beverage bottle from your recycling bin and locate two wooden spoons, dowels, or twigs around your house or yard. Cut four small holes in the bottle and push wooden pieces through to make two perches. Fill the bottle with bird food, twist the cap back on, and hang your new feeder from a porch or tree branch. Looking for more kid-friendly bird feeder projects? Check these out: http://earth911.com/home/7-diy-recycled-bird-feeders/