



# Recycle Your Sneakers!

**Believe it or not . . .**

**DEQ wants your smelly old sneakers!**

We will be collecting athletic shoes for recycling during the C.A.S.T. April 26 Earth Day Celebration.

**Where?** Rosser Conservation Education Center  
(east end of OKC Zoo parking lot)

**When?** Saturday, April 26, 2008 - 1:00-4:00 pm

**How?** Drop into rolling cart in front of Rosser Center marked "Reuse-A-Shoe"

- Athletic shoes only -- no metal eyelets, steel toes, cleats, spikes
- No mud on shoes; shoes must be dry
- Any brand acceptable and no shoe is too worn out for recycling
- Please do not tie pairs of shoes together

**Reuse-A-Shoe Contact:**  
[Susie.Shields@deq.state.ok.us](mailto:Susie.Shields@deq.state.ok.us)

## Why?

The Nike Reuse-A-Shoe Program recycles and reuses 100% of the materials reclaimed from used and defective athletic shoes. The byproducts from your recycled sneakers will be made into new materials used for football, baseball and soccer fields, basketball and tennis courts, playgrounds, running tracks, gold products, weight room flooring and padding under hardwood basketball floors.

