



UNAR NEWSLETTER

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Special Climate Change Edition

Things to Know

1. The Paris Agreement, a legally binding international treaty on climate change, aims to limit the average global temperature increase to 1.5 Celsius since the Industrial Revolution.
2. May 2024 was the warmest May on global record and 12th consecutive month with record-breaking temperatures.

UPCOMING EVENTS

UNAR UN DAY:

Thursday October 24, 2024
Rochester Academy of Medicine,
1441 East Avenue Rochester, NY
14610- More Details to Come!

For UN Day 2024, the United Nations Association of Rochester has chosen to focus on how climate change hits home. We will bring in local groups dedicated to turning their communities green and helping refugees settling in Rochester due to weather catastrophes in their home countries. Our event will examine what's being done to consider the impacts of climate change here in Rochester.

Climate change - since the industrial revolution - has been driven by humans. Every time we put gasoline in our cars or use coal to heat our homes, we are burning fossil fuels that generate greenhouse gas emissions. These emissions trap the sun's heat and contribute to the warming of our world. This produces harmful conditions that can affect our safety, health, work, homes, and future.

