Installment March 2017

Hey, Orson, what are you doing?

I'm out drumming up support for more sustainability action on campus. Let me guess: you're the different drummer that we are all supposed to be marching to... Ba-dum-bum!

Watch it! I would point out that I am holding a couple of sticks here...

OK, lead on, Orson!

# Be "Maniacal" about Recycling!

Through April 1st, Wells

is participating in RecycleMania, a friendly national contest to see who can recycle the most. Please help Wells do well. Remember:

#### Recycling is right - Landfill what's left.

We have placed recycling bins in residence hall bathrooms to capture recyclables that all too often get tossed in the trash. like shampoo and body wash



bottles, etc. We also put bins in the laundry rooms for empty detergent and softener bottles. Reminder: these bins are only for recyclables generated in the bathroom or laundry room. Please take recyclables and landfill trash you generate in your room or your office to the nearest waste separation station in your building. Remember: carry in, carry out.



#### Installments

are produced as a community service by the Wells Center for Sustainability and the Environment.

Arrive curious : Graduate prepared.

## Do some Spring Cleaning!

As you plan ahead for your well-earned Spring Break, take some time to sort thru vour closet and drawers. Have winter gear you won't



use again this season? Don't take stuff home for Mom to deal with. Bring *clean*, still-usable items to the **Bargain Basement** in Main.



Same goes for the *Rumpus Room* in Macmillan: do you have a pile of unused folders, pens, binders, index cards, paperclips, paper, you-name-it? Drop off unwanted but still usable school and office supplies for others to take.

Faculty and staff: Have you been holding onto months (years??!) of old paperwork? Think about "lightening your [filing] load." This RecvcleMania season is a great time to sort through and recycle no-longer-needed files.



Bring out your dead: If you have dead batteries, blown lightbulbs, or empty plastic bags kicking around, bring them to recycle in the designated



collection boxes in the Center for Sustainability and the Environment in Zabriskie Hall 213. We'll recycle them for vou over the break.

"Installment" is a double play on words: these informational mini-newsletters are put inside bathroom cubicles ("in stalls") and the content gets changed out - in "installments."

Get it? Got it? Good!



### Did we getcha?

Did we spot you doing the right thing and reward you with a GOTCHA card?

Remember: Block1 GOTCHAs are redeemable at the GRIND for a free refill in your reusable container until the start of Spring Break, New GOTCHA cards will be issued after break.

## Please give Wells an energy break!

When you leave for break, **PLEASE** make sure to turn off all lights. Since you will be out of your room or office for the extended Spring Break period, please *turn off* and *unplug* all energy using equipment. Many continue to draw power even when the item is turned off but left plugged in.

## Share your ride for break

Make friends.



**Save money**. Juse Well's private **Zimride** network to share the ride! Go to

zimride.com/flxrideshareacademic and set up your profile. Then start posting ride offers to others or request rides. You may restrict your requests to only within the Wells campus community, or you can open up your search to other trusted academic partners in the area, including Cornell, Ithaca College, and TC3. Have a safe and enjoyable break!

Questions about more sustainable practices? Email: **sustainability@wells.edu**