Installment November 2014



Oh, Orson, what are you up to now..?!?

Just showing solidarity with my cousins, the Galliformes.

That's nice of you. Do you have any Thanksgiving plans?

Well, the owlets and I thought we would invite over some of the local field mice for our dinner... I mean, for dinner...

Oh, Orson...

Hey, an owl's gotta do what an owl's gotta do!

We still see some "mis-cycling"!

New waste separation station bins are coming soon which will look more like those in the picture below. The one item *STILL* being most *improperly* handled is the dining hall *"go-cup":* a paper hot cup, plastic top, and paper sleeve Please do not place full/half-full cups of liquid in either the trash *or* recycling bins. The *empty* paper cup is *landfill trash* – everything else is *recyclable!* Look for this sign near the waste stations to remind you *"what goes where."*



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Make sure you regularly carry and use your reusable beverage container or coffee mug. Who knows? You might just be spotted "doing the right thing" and get a **GOTCHA** card. In collaboration with

the Center for Sustainability and the Environment, Skillet & Embers will reward GOTCHA card recipients with a free beverage refill. See the reverse side of the GOTCHA card for details about where to redeem your reward. Members of the three sustainability-related student organizations: Campus Greens, F.O.R.C.E.S., and the Greenhouse Club are serving as our GOTCHA spotters.

Want a free recycling collection box for your residence hall room? Want to make it super cool? Watch the *Wells Weekly* for news about *Campus Greens'* recycling box decorating party, coming soon! *No more excuses* for not properly recycling in your residence hall!

Looking to learn even *more* about sustainability? Check out these cool courses for Spring 2015:

BUS 365 Management for a Small Planet
CRIM 285 Law and the Environment
ECON 326 Energy & the Economy
ENVR 385 The Climate System
WGS 285 Sustainability, Gender & the Environment

"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!

Over the river and through the woods, to Grandmother's house we go...

Looking for a ride home for Break? Have you checked out the free ride-matching service at www.zimride.com..?



Create a profile and request a ride from someone with a car or, if you have a car, fill the empty seats in your vehicle when you head home for break. Zimride connects to Facebook so you can check out the ratings and connections of your potential driver or rider in advance. Try it out!

Recycle batteries, bags and bulbs!

Bring dead batteries, extra plastic shopping bags, and even your burned-out light bulbs to the *Center for Sustainability and the Environment* in Zabriskie 212 and deposit these items in the labeled collection boxes.

Don't be a Turkey..!

As you leave for Thanksgiving break, please remember to *turn off* and *unplug* all energy-using equipment and appliances in your room - many keep drawing power even when the item is turned off but still plugged in.



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