

Recyclemania 2009 Events

Planning Items

- Commissioning of UH Recyclemaniac Captains
- Web Site Up and Running
- Link for people to become UH Recyclemaniacs
- Recyclemaniac meetings
- Post calendar of events
- Press release to the media
- Shuttle bus advertising
- UH Recyclemaniacs buttons
- Place for Departments to Order Recycling Bins

Kick-off Week - January 19th

- Pep Rally, Thursday, January 22nd
 - At UC
 - UH Cheerleaders, Band and Shasta
 - Introduction of the event
 - Announcement of events
 - Showcase bins
 - Good vs bad recycling

January 28 & 29th

- METRO Fair – Find your METRO stop and route to UH
- Highlight METRO/UH partnership and web site
- Sign pledge to go carless one round trip during Recyclemania and receive one free METRO round trip
- Pledge to go carless at least once per week during Recyclemania
 - If winners go carless once per week and show proof, receive \$10 added to their “Q Card”

Week of February 2nd

- Campus Produce Garden Planting
- Highlight use of composting in the gardens - Reuse
- Produce to be used in dining halls to highlight locally grown produce
- Bring awareness of sustainability by bringing it into the halls

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Week of February 9th

- Van Pool/Car Pool Fair with VPSI
- Form a vanpool this week and all riders receive a free, reusable water bottle

Week of February 16th

- “Reduce Waste, Make a Clean Plate” Week
- During lunch hour in the halls
- Students, faculty and staff eating everything on their plate will be in “Carl’s Clean Plate Club”
- Picture taken and highlighted on the web

Week of February 23rd

- Educational Tablings at Key Locations
 - Events at tablings
 - Weekly – Tuesday and Wednesday
 - Two UH Recyclemaniacs at each table
 - Two-hour sessions
 - Seed paper recycling facts to give to all
 - Showcase – “good to recycle” vs “bad to recycle”
 - Locations
 - PGH Breezeway
 - UC
 - UC Satellite
 - Recreation and Wellness Center

Week of March 2nd

- “Dorm Storms”
 - Monday
 - Competition by floor of each residence hall.
 - UH Recyclemaniac knock on residents’ doors to collect recycling.
 - Educate halls about recycling.
 - Publish # of bags of recycling collected
 - Pictures of winning floors on web
- “UH Apartments Recycle”
 - Tuesday
 - UH Recyclemaniacs go door to door collecting recycling
 - Educate community about recycling
 - Publish # of bags of recycling collected
 - Publish pictures of the event on the web site

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- Caught “Green Handed”
 - Monday-Friday
 - “Caught Greenhanded” Buttons for people seen recycling, turning off lights, reusing water bottles, bicycling, riding the shuttle bus, taking public transportation, and eating all the food on their plate. Publish pictures of students, faculty and staff caught greenhanded in the newspaper and on web site.

March 11, 2009

- 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
- Games: Dumpster Dive, Phonebook Shot Put, Recycled Art Contest and Can Toss

Recyclemania Closing Ceremony

- Noon, March 31st
- Thank you and final statistics to the community