



University of Nebraska at Omaha
CBA Green Team

February 20, 2017 10:30 am
CBA Mammel Hall Room 200E

Attending

Rick Yoder
Jade Jensen
Lacey Merica

Dave Nielson
Sarah Burke
Jenna Taulman

Messages

Messages are reviewed at every meeting. Jade will send messages to Chelsea and David Nielson for the Mammel Hall digital displays.

- *Sept. 2016: Stedman's Updates - Jade*
- *Oct. 2016: Sustainability - Sarah*
- *Nov. 2016: Give Green Holiday - Jean*
- *Dec. 2016: Rechargeable Batteries - Rick*
- *Jan. 2017: Take the Stairs - Lacey*
- *Feb. 2017: Advertisement for March 9, Student Panel & Maverick Business Plan – Jade/Jonna/Sarah*
- **Mar. 2017: Earth Week Promotion - Details the activities for Earth Week in Mammel Hall - Annesha**
- *Apr. 2017: Move-Out - Edward*
- *May 2017: Be a Green Mav (Including solar umbrellas) - Chelsea*
- *Paper Towel Usage*
- *Recycle Batteries and Cell Phones*
- *Clothing Swap*

Green Team Activities for 2016-2017

- Student Research Project Student Panel:
 - Thursday, March 9 at 7:00 pm.
 - Mammel Hall Auditorium
 - Guest Speaker: Bob Toy, Director of Environmental Sustainability at Union Pacific.
 - Presentation of Student Research:
 - Living Without a Personal Vehicle, Chris Winchester
 - Fair Trade and the Triple Bottom Line, Lauren O'Malley
 - Certifying UNO as a Fair Trade Campus, Afra Albassam
 - Bus Scavenger Hunt, Michaela Johnson & Isabella Lombardo
 - Uranium Pollution on the Pine Ridge Reservation, Trevor Kroger

- Feeding the World: Power of Insects, Sammy Jo Young
 - Co-sponsored between Delta Sigma Pi & the UNO Office of Sustainability.
- What's the Business Model for Utilities Presentation (April):
 - Rick is currently looking for speakers and donors.
- MWEC & Business Plan:
 - Maverick Business Plan will be taking place on April 27th.
 - Dr. Eesley agreed to let us provide a Triple Bottom Line Award to the best business idea with sustainable aspects.
 - The award will be advertised on the website and the student awarded the Triple Bottom Line Award receives \$300 to go toward his/her business.
- Electronics Recycling:
 - Sarah plans to reach out to Keep Omaha Beautiful to see what they have planned in April for Electronics Recycling. If they do not have anything planned, she wants to set up an Electronic Recycling city event at Baxter Arena. Either way she hopes to partner up with them.
 - Free Electronics Collection Event. Saturday, March 11th – 10 am to 1 pm. Midwest Woodworkers. 14605 Wright Street, 68114.
 - Free Electronics Collection Event. Saturday, March 25 – 10 am to 1 pm. Digital Doc. 3822 North 156th Street, 68116.
 - Environmental Fees apply to recycle CRT tube items and alkaline batteries. See www.crossrecycling.com for more information.
- Water Taste Test:
 - Will happen in August 2017
 - We will use plastic cups instead of paper cups
 - Most can't tell the difference between the water, we will make a "Can't tell the difference" category.
 - Let the person taste testing the water what their preference was.
 - Perhaps hand out wide mouth reusable bottles in the future.
- Seven Days of Service
- Clothing Swap:
 - Annesha plans to head this event. She will schedule and plan it (probably for April 10-11).
 - We will ask Chelsea to design a flyer for the event.
 - Fly distribution will occur on North and South campus. Sarah will present the event to the sustainability committee when they meet next (Feb. 23rd).
 - Edward mentioned introducing the event to members of the Staff Advisory Council (SAC) during their next meeting.
 - Annesha suggested that in the future, the clothing swap take place in January or February (before the career fair), so students have business professional clothing to wear at the career fair.
- Move-Out: Sarah met with RHA for Move-Out. They plan to extend the event. It will take place probably during the last week of April and during the original Move-Out Week. They plan on partnering with Youth Mart to collect clothing and apartment items people no longer want. Last year three Uhaul trucks were full.
- Earth Day: Sarah is working on getting a table at Earth Day (April 22nd).



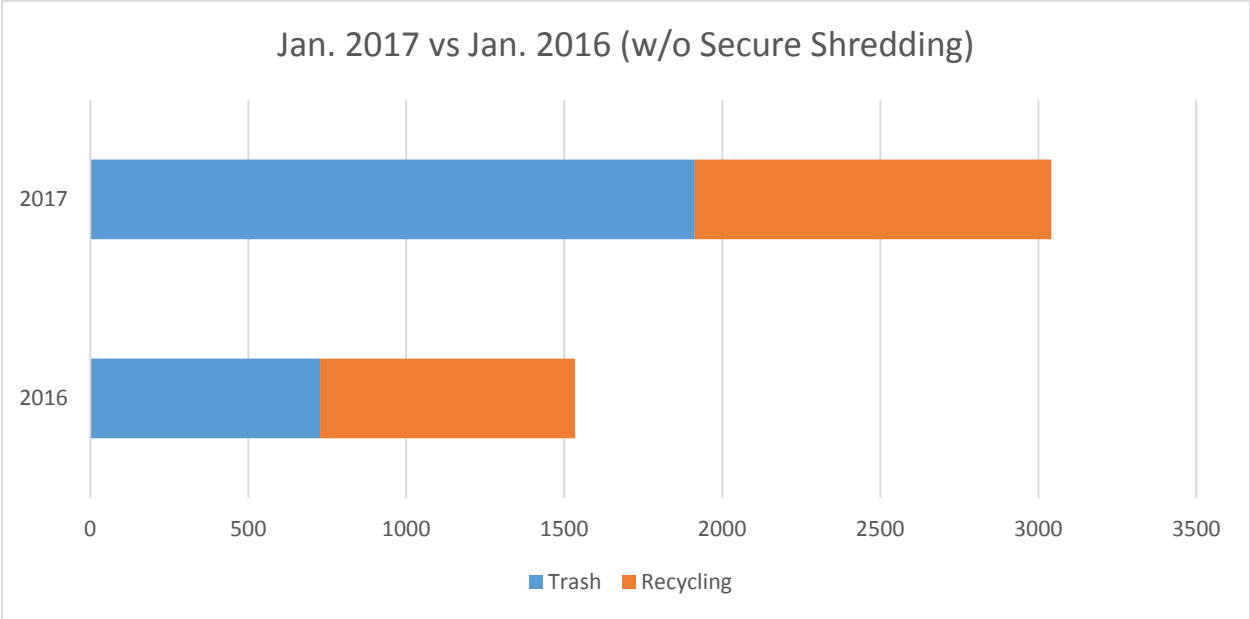
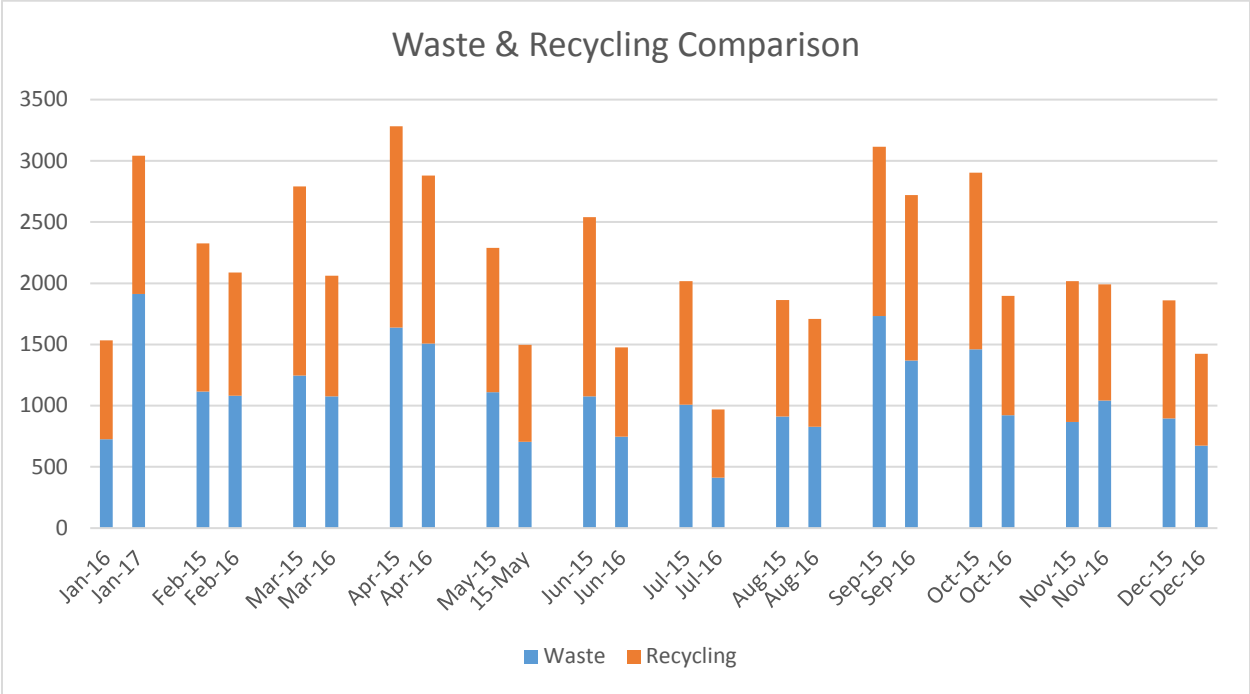
- March 11 – Movie showing in the CEC. The movie is the Island President. It is the story of the president of the Maldives islands dealing with being the first island going underwater because of climate change. After the movie, there will be a panel discussion to talk about how people can make a difference.
- March 21 – Event planned that is transportation oriented.
- April 28 – Arbor Day. This day the student government plant its tree.
- April 22 – Sarah plans to attend Earth Day Omaha.
- April 29 – Sarah is thinking about attending Earth Day Bellevue.

Mammel Hall Dashboard Descriptions:

Rick and Jade are in the process of finding a way to add the sustainability piece to the website.

Waste Wise/Hydration Station

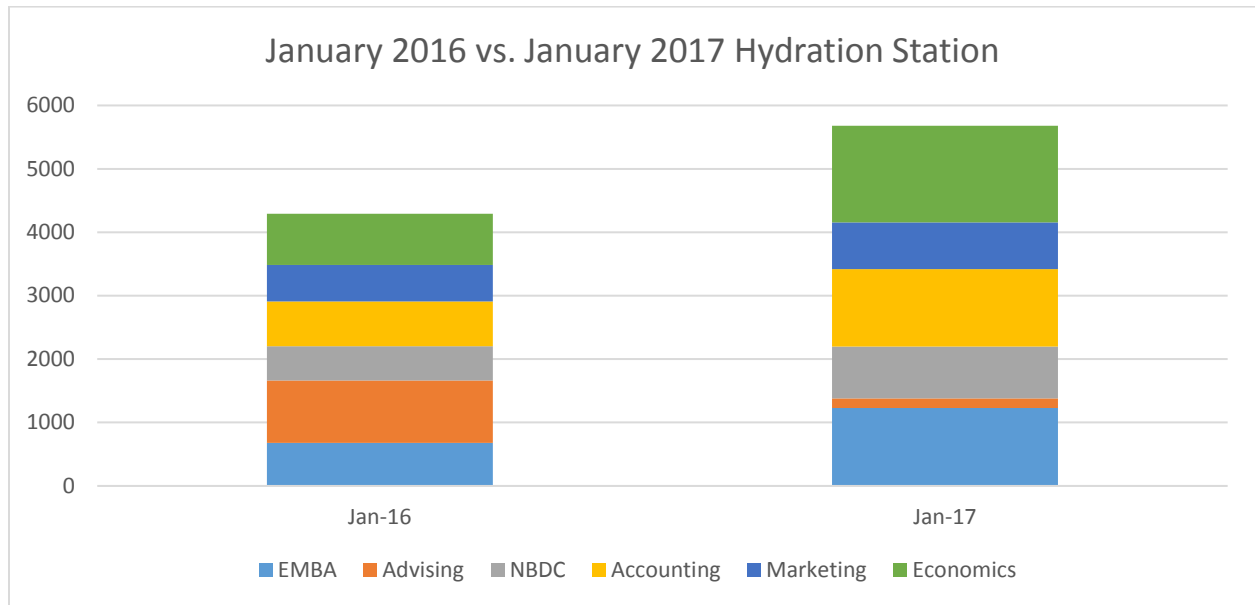
Waste Wise numbers are reviewed monthly. These numbers include the trash and recycling at Mammel Hall.



Hydration Station

As of January 2017, Mammel Hall Hydration Stations have prevented 5679 disposable water bottles.

Sarah Burke is now collecting hydration station numbers on all campus locations. Jade will continue to collect numbers at Mammel Hall and share them with Sarah on a monthly basis.



Numbers indicate an increase in water bottle prevention.

Advising office hydration station was broken for two weeks.

Announcements/Updates:

None (Listed Earlier)

Next Meeting: Monday, March 13, 2017.