



University of Nebraska at Omaha
CBA Green Team

November 21, 2016 10:30 am
CBA Mammel Hall Room 200

Attending

Rick Yoder
Jonna Holland
Jade Jensen
Lacey Merica

Sarah Burke
Edward Johnson
Dave Nielson
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: Lighting - Rick**
- Jan. 2017: Vestibules – Rick
- Jan. 2017: Dashboard – Rick & Jade
- Feb. 2017: Take the Stairs - Lacey
- 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

The following activities were discussed for the new academic school year:

- Review of Sustainability Month – October
- Sarah discussed the events of Sustainability month as being a success.

The following graphic exhibits student attendance at some of the sustainability events.



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CAMPUS SUSTAINABILITY MONTH



35+

attendees at film showings



70+

attendees at speaker series



120+

attendees at informational tables



15+

attendees at Three Days of Service

- Informational Tables:
 - Worked out well because of the time of day and the amount of traffic flow coming in and out of HPER at that time.
 - Students across campus showed interested in being a member of a sustainability student group on campus.
 - Currently in the planning process to launch the student group working with communication and event planning of sustainability events.
 - One event will be hosting Earth Hour around the clock tower.
 - 60 people expressed interest in the club.
 - 30 students attended the first meeting.
 - UNO Sustainability is offering an internship
- Film Showings:
 - The Food Waste movie was the most well liked of the three movies.
- International Micro Enterprise Development:
 - Dr. Holland's presentation had quite a few people attend. The room was filled.
- *Before the Flood*: The new documentary featuring Leonardo DiCaprio is being offered to universities for a free showing.
 - Sarah is requesting a free showing. She's just looking at a time and date for the showing to occur. At the moment, it will most likely occur at the beginning of February at the Student Center.
 - Dr. Holland suggested using the Aksarben Movie Theater for the screening.
 - According to Dr. Holland, awareness of the movie is pretty high, and perhaps having two showings and opening it up to the community is a good idea.
 - The possibility of adding a panel discussion was a suggestion.

- More information will be brought in during the December Green Team Meeting.
- Student Research Project:
 - This semester Dr. Holland required each of her students in her Sustainability class to write a research paper on sustainability.
 - She suggested having a mini Student Research/Internship Panel of six to seven students in January or February.
 - Would this be interesting to students?
- What's the Business Model for Utilities Presentation (April):
 - What is the new business model for utilities?
 - We could bring speakers in to talk about this.
 - Possibility schedule during Earth Month.
 - Jade will work with Rick to schedule this.
 - Sarah will reach out to a few faculty members.
- Move-Out Day:
 - Sarah will find out more about this.
 - There needs to be increased advertising especially to students on campus.
- Change from Earth Week to Earth Month. Since Earth Week typically falls on the week before finals, we think more students will be more interested in attending events if it's spread though out the month. Earth Week will be known as Earth Month from now on.
- MWECC & Business Plan:
 - Jenna will be checking to see if there can be an award for the most sustainable business idea.
 - Rick, Jean, and Jonna can work on getting an external sponsor to give the award. They are willing to put money into the award.
 - Contestants for the Business Plan contest will not be determined until a week and a half prior to the event.
 - Jenna will keep us updated and provide us with more information at the next meeting.
- Compositing on Campus – Edward
 - Nothing is in the works. Sarah said it's something that will be figured out in the spring.
- Baxter Arena – Electronics Recycling:
 - Going to try doing this during Earth Month.
 - Can try to plan around when students are moving out.
 - Will be open to the community
- Seven Days of Service
- Clothing Swap
- Move-Out: Help support in the Spring.
- Earth Day: the CBA Green Team plans on participating.
- Waste Sort and Water Taste Test will be done during Earth Week in April 2017.

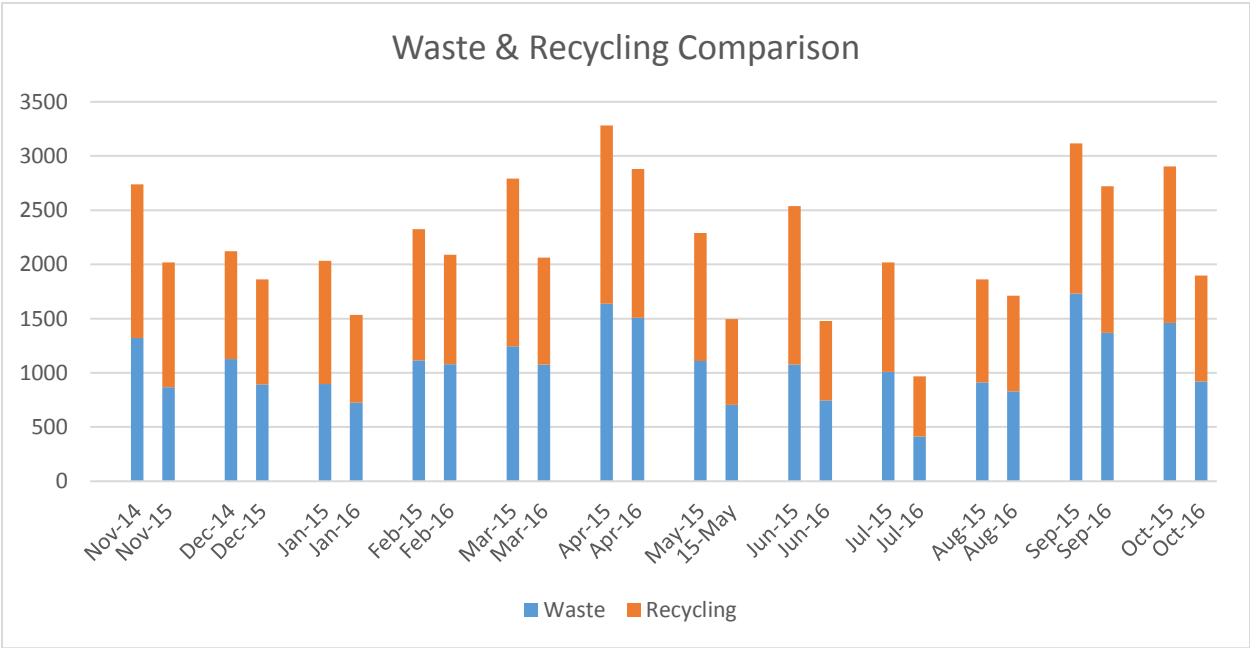
Mammel Hall Dashboard Descriptions:

Rick and Sarah will review the Mammel Hall dashboard descriptions. Afterwards, Jade will add to the dashboard.

Waste Wise/Hydration Station

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

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. Jade will include campus numbers to the power point at the December Green Team meeting.



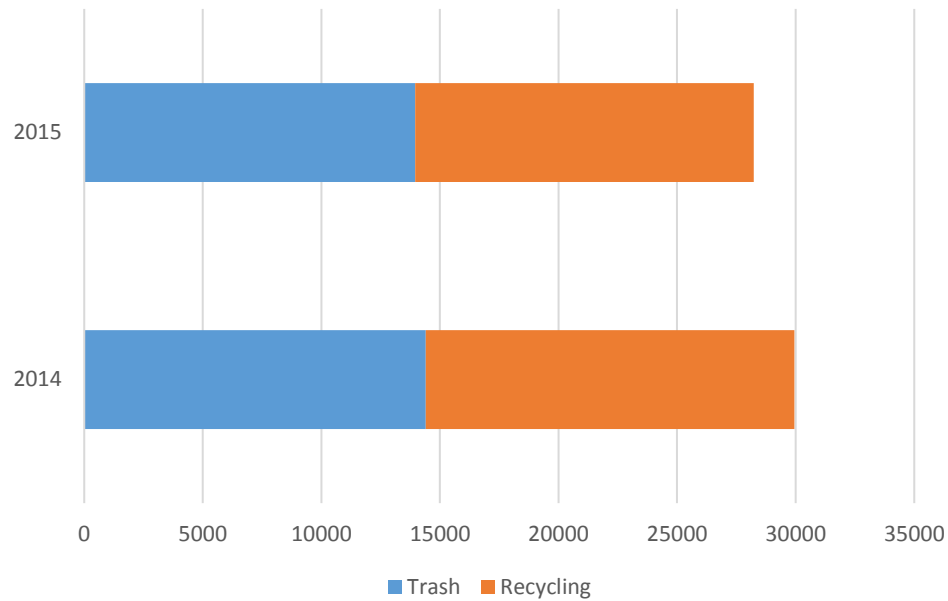


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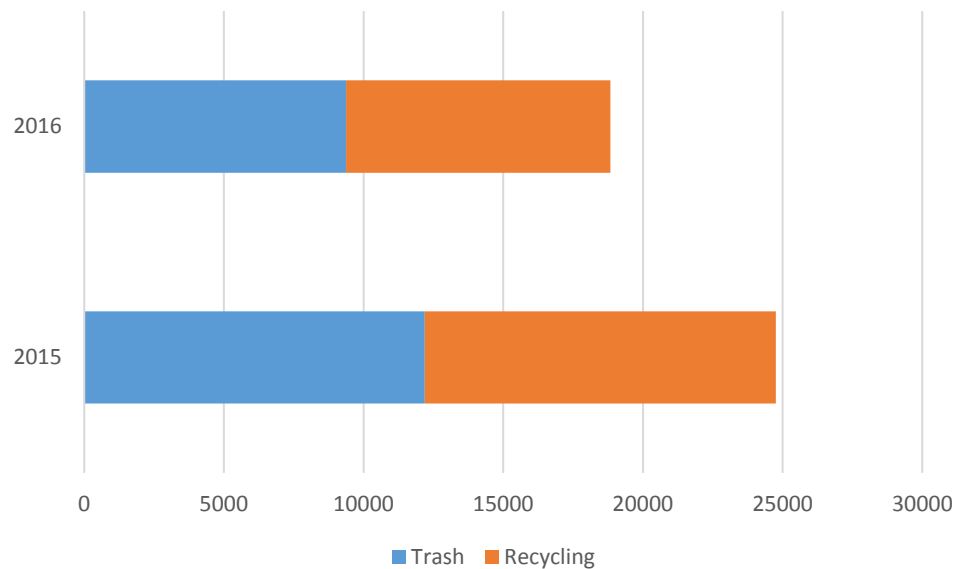


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2014 vs. 2015 (w/o secure shredding)

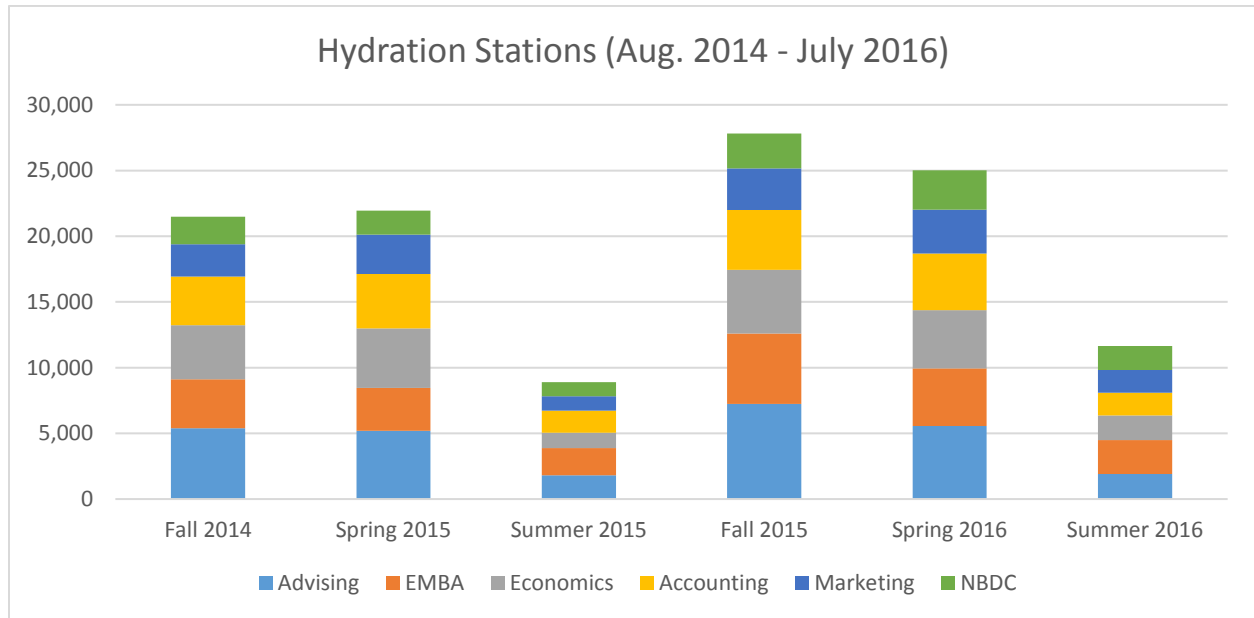


Jan. - Oct. (2015 vs. 2016) (w/o secure shredding)



Hydration Station

As of January 2016, Mammel Hall Hydration Stations have prevented 62,403 disposable water bottles.



Numbers indicate an increase in water bottle prevention. The hydration stations were used more frequently the last three semesters than the three before it (Fall 2015 prevented more bottles than fall 2014, just as spring 2016 did compared to spring 2015, and summer 2016 to summer 2015).

Announcements/Updates:

None (Listed Earlier)

Next Meeting: Monday, December 18, 2016.