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Project Green Meeting Notes: Oct. 3rd 2007

Community Garden:

We are in need of volunteers for the Community Garden that is located between 31st and 32nd Streets and MLK Blvd. We will be meeting there every Saturday starting at 10am. Please bring jeans, sturdy shoes, and any tools you think would be helpful. See you out there!

Want to be accredited?

Join the LEED Study Group:

Specifically directed towards School of Building Arts majors. This is a great thing to put onto your resume. We will be meeting formally as a group on the off Wednesdays (when there isn't a Project Green meeting), in Eichberg room 112. Study material will be available for the next section on Wednesday October 17th 2007.

What is the impact of LEED®?

Number of LEED Registered Projects Worldwide

New Construction: 5,423

Commercial Interiors: 740

Existing Buildings: 535

Core and Shell: 1013

Neighborhood Development: 238

Schools: 78

Retail: 50

Total Commercial: 8,074

Homes: 8,204

SCAD Recycling Initiative:

The SCAD recycling initiative is a student run project with student volunteers taking out the recycling. We hope to get other student organizations involved such as SBE and USF because it is an important step. Working together with other organizations and student volunteers from other buildings we hope to raise an awareness to the school community as a whole that recycling needs to happen at SCAD. Project Green's goal in this coming year is to start an information campaign to get students involved and aware of the recycling initiative.

Step it up 07:

Last year's event for climate action was a great success. We had lots of fun in Johnson Square. This time we want to do it bigger and better and get the school as a whole involved in this project. Step it Up 2 is happening November 3rd 2007. For more information on this project <http://stepitup2007.org/> If you'd like to be involved in the planning of this exciting event please attend the next Project Green meeting or send us an email.

Recycling Rally and Coordinator:

Missy Carter has been named the Recycling Coordinator for Project Green and the upcoming Recycling Rally. This event is going to be exciting and is a perfect opportunity for anyone who would love to get involved to do so. More details on this event in future Recaps.

Faculty Lecture Series:

Do you know a teacher committed to environmental responsibility? Passionate about their major? Then nominate them for our Faculty Lecture Series. Let us know at projgrn@scad.edu

Greenfest Recap:

Greenfest was a great success this past Saturday. Located in the Starland district from 11am-4pm Project Green members came out to showcase student made works with recycled materials such as reclaimed tire shoes and a changeable chair made from recycled cardboard tubes. We gave out plants and became a great opportunity to talk to members of the community about issues of sustainability. It was an exciting event full of hope.

Our next Project Green meeting will be Wednesday October 17th We hope to see you there!

Any questions or comments contact us at projgrn@scad.edu