

# Green Campus e-newsletter

## Humboldt State University

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### GREEN CAMPUS AWARDED!

Green Campus' efforts last year won them the Best Practices Award in the CSU division. The students were awarded at the Sustainability Conference in Santa Cruz.

Their trophy is a recycled glass plate that was made in Humboldt County! Under the sponsorship of HSU faculty and with the assistance of the Campus Center for Appropriate Technologies, the HSU Green Campus program coordinators were able to establish the credit/no credit class to run the Redwood Manor Energy Challenge. This was a pilot program and the Energy Star dorm remodel is the first of its kind on campus and it sets an example for other campus housing projects as students seek ways to make their campus residence halls more energy efficient.  
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Patrick McAuley accepts award at UC Santa Cruz

### GREEN CAMPUS SAVES

Total kilowatt hour reduction, as a result of behavior changes during a one month period in the Redwood Manor was 838 kWh. With 43 residents in the Redwood Manor it can be said that each resident conserved 19 kWh within that month.

Projecting these savings to the entire residence halls, Green Campus has the potential to help student save 209,773 kWh in one school year, or monetary savings of \$25,173.

### GREEN CAMPUS, LEED THE WAY

Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) "is a voluntary, consensus-based national standard for developing high-performance, sustainable buildings." Green Campus is branching out and has decided to conduct a 1 unit credit/no credit lecture class about LEED and Green Building. The class will take place on Wednesday at 5:30 for eight weeks during fall semester. The location is yet to be determined as well as the starting date. All are welcome to attend this informative series.

Following the fall class Program Coordinators hope to host a 4 unit class were students would certify an existing building on campus as LEED. The building to be certified has not been selected, and suggestions and thoughts are welcome.

**WATCH FOR....**

- \* CFL handout to incoming residents
- \* LEED Lecture Class fall semester, Wednesday 5:30pm
- \* Energy Competition in the Residence Halls fall semester, will commence after baseline is established
- \* Energy Awareness Day
- \* Take the Stairs Day
- \* Showings of "Green Eye for the Common Gal"
- \* Game & Movie nights



Pictured, from left to right, Jocelyn Orr, Richard Carlson, Nate McKeever, & Patrick McAuley with Energy Star Certificate

**Awarded, Continued**

A final report by the interns is now available online at: [www.humboldt.edu/~green](http://www.humboldt.edu/~green) in preparation and will allow other campuses to recreate this program.

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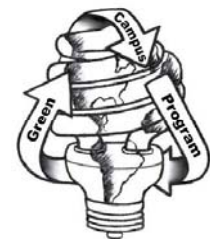
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**KRYSTAL RETURNS FROM SENEGAL, AFRICA**

Green Campus Program Coordinator Krystal Rogers, was absent last semester while studying in Senegal. Jocelyn Orr, tried to fill her shoes in her absence from Green Campus. Krystal has been enthusiastically working on Green Campus programs for the fall since her return. Patrick McAuley is now a CCAT (Campus Center for Appropriate Technology) Co-Director, but will be continuing some duties as a Program Coordinator. Nate McKeever & Jocelyn Orr will also be continuing their roles as Green Campus Coordinators.