

Santa Fe Community College

Gainesville, FL • Campus Sustainability Day • October 24, 2007

Sponsored by Sustainable Santa Fe, Saints for Sustainability, Student Life, Gainesville Regional Utilities, SFCC Student Government, and the Center for Student Leadership & Activities

Highlights Included:

- Sustainability Fair, which featured:
 - ✓ a CFL giveaway
 - ✓ a decorate your own canvas shopping bag workshop
 - ✓ a Recycling Relay, complete with prizes
 - ✓ a Brown Bag discussion with the President and Mayor on “What Would a Sustainable Campus Look Like?” and “What Will it Take to Get Better Bus Service to SFCC?”
 - ✓ an improv performance with Earth balls by Dance Theatre Santa Fe
- Film screenings of “Gimme Green,” a comic movie about the U.S. obsession with lawns, and “Kilowatt Ours,” which reveals consequences of a coal-powered economy
- Global Society, SFCC’s model UN team, gave a presentation on the UN and the Challenges of Global Climate Change
- Health and Wellness Fair for personal sus-

Encouraging Participation

Sometimes, a simple nudge can do the trick. Here’s how SFCC’s Campus Sustainability Day encouraged campus community participation:

“You have a unique and important contribution to make to help create a sustainable future. We can’t imagine doing this without you!”

tainability with free blood pressure checks and cardiac ultrasound, sponsored by Health Sciences faculty

- Kickoff of the “Imagine a Sustainable Campus” contest, where students were invited to enter their ideas in the form of writing, video, photography, multimedia, paintings, sculpture, or poetry

Source: www.sfcc.edu/sustainability/

Take a Look at the Logo!

Looking for further inspiration when it comes to Campus Sustainability Day logos? Check out the bulls eye pattern at SFCC, which incorporates clickable sponsor logos (online), event teasers, time and place details, and the event website. It’s simple, clean and eye-catching.

Related Resources

- ▲ Get your own reusable shopping bags (to decorate or not) from www.reusablebags.com
- ▲ Watch the preview of “Gimme Green” and order the DVD here: www.gimmegreen.com/home.htm
- ▲ The website for “Kilowatt Ours” is more than just a movie website. Find free educational resources, places to buy energy efficient products, and ways to save money on electric bills. Make a tax-deductible donation to Jeff Barrie’s energy conservation awareness campaign and get a copy of any one of his documentaries here: www.kilowattours.org