



Photo above: Buttons that were given out at tabling events this Fall quarter

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www.GreenCampusCPP.org.

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Bronco Fusion

On September 25, Green Campus participated in Bronco Fusion, the all day event that welcomes new students to campus during the fall quarter. Interns spoke with incoming students about the Green Campus program and shared ideas to promote energy savings

and informed them of current projects. Southern California Edison and the Gas Company donated giveaways such as Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFL's), calculators, pens, and informational energy brochures. Green Campus interns also gave out their very own in-house designed buttons with the slogans "Pull the Plug on Global Warming," "Green Campus Program," "Reduce the Juice," and "Hit the Switch & Save Energy."



Two informative posters were displayed at the table. One focuses on the Green Campus program outlining upcoming projects, and the other provides home and office energy savings tips. Interns also gave away Green Campus t-shirts after students correctly answered trivia questions about sustainability.

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By the end of the day, Interns handed out 147 Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFL's) to students who made the commitment to replace a incandescent bulb in their home or dorm room.

Parking Structure Presentation

In spring of this year, the Green Campus noticed the parking structure lights were on almost all day, every day. Seeing it as a great opportunity to help Cal Poly Pomona reduce their carbon footprint, the Green Campus team requested a meeting with Parking and Transportation Services to discuss the structure's lighting. As a result of the meeting, Interns were given approval to conduct a lighting audit of the whole structure during spring break. Using baseline light level readings and experimental test results, the team came up with two options to reduce energy

consumption in the structure. Option 1 consists of different lighting on the different floors of the parking structure. Here, emergency lights would remain lit on the ground, 2nd, and 3rd levels and the 4th and 5th levels would have all light of.

Option 2 is a de-lamping strategy where one of the 2 fluorescent lamps in the light fixture is removed. Interns also made recommendation for part-time shut downs during weekends, holidays, and breaks. Moreover, the team saw the opportunity to take advantage of the resources on campus, and hope to present the parking structure as a project for an Energy and Environmental Controls class offered in winter or spring. In the class students will be able to create a model of the structure's light levels based on the varying seasons of the year.

On September 11, the Green Campus team put together a final report based on their findings and interns Brandon Ro and Razilee Tadeo presented their recommendations to Parking and Transportation Services. The meeting was



much anticipated as Parking and Transportation Services have been looking for ways to reduce the structure's energy consumption for quite some time.



Following the presentation, Parking and Transportation Director, Glenn Shenker, agreed to discuss these options with Associate Vice President of Student Affairs, Christi Chisler who will determine the optimal course of action.

Green Campus is grateful for the opportunity to have presented their findings to Parking and Transportation Services, and looks forward to seeing their recommendations implemented.

Did you

California saved more than 4 billion kilowatt-hours in 2005 – enough to power more than 660,000 homes. (www.fypower.org)

Know?

Website Up & Running

Cal Poly Pomona Green Campus proudly announces the launch of its first website! Over the past two months, Green Campus intern Brandon Ro has been hard at work on the web design for the site. The website has every-



thing one needs to know about the program, including the current interns and fun upcoming events that are planned.

For tips on how to save energy please visit the "Take Action" page, which lists the top ten ways to save energy! This page includes

an interactive dorm room that teaches students how to save energy as well as funny and interesting educational videos such as the "Phantom Hunter" by Humboldt State University! If you are interested in finding out what Green Campus has been up to, go to the "Announcements" page or check out the latest Green Campus newsletter. To receive exciting Green Campus updates you can subscribe via the CPP Green Campus RSS feed.

Metrics

CFL Exchanges:

Bronco Fusion: 147
Housing Check-Ins: 83
Welcome Week Check-in: 194
Total CFLs Exchanged Aug/Sept: 424

Total Energy Savings: 87,362 kWh
Dollar Savings: \$11,508



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Housing Check-in

On September 21 and 24, Green Campus held a Compact Fluorescent Light bulb (CFL) exchange during housing check-in. The Green Campus team tabled in front of the Los Olivos Dining Hall, talking to both parents and students as they entered the residence halls about energy efficiency and how to get involved with the Green Campus program. Although everyone had their



hands full moving in, it was amazing how many people still took the time to stop by the table. Many students were concerned about eventually living on their own and saw the importance of saving money through energy conservation. Parents also appreciated the free CFLs, although some had already purchased them beforehand. Over the course of the two days, over 400 students and parents stopped by the table, 277 CFLs were distributed with pledges signed to replace the less efficient incandescent bulb in their respective dorms. In addition, buttons, pens, and calculators were given away.

