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Dear Tufts Environmental,

The Tufts Office of Sustainability would like to welcome our new subscribers this fall and give a shout-out to our loyal readers - we've missed you too! Our team here at Miller Hall has been hard at work developing more effective, intuitive and visually dynamic communications to keep the Tufts community up-to-date with the latest and greatest in the world of sustainability.

Our newsletter will now be sent out every two weeks (vs. weekly) with the usual listings of news, events and jobs, but we would love to start a conversation with you anytime online! Our social media channels will be updated regularly throughout the week. Follow us online now!

On [Facebook](#), we will be highlighting sustainability events (especially those within the Tufts community), photo albums, interesting videos and news or ideas and CONTESTS! For instance: this week is Massachusetts Car-Free Week - if you [share a picture of your car-light commute, you can join us for a free lunch on Friday](#). Or [tell us why you want to attend the New England Sustainability Forum](#) and we might just be able to get you in for free!

[Like us on Facebook](#)

Follow us on [Twitter](#) for the latest news, ideas and conversations with other sustainability-related organizations on and off campus, plus day-of event reminders and farm share alerts. Our hashtag [#tuftsgetsgreen](#) is for all things related to Jumbos getting green. Use it whenever you are promoting something sustainable!

[Follow us on twitter](#)

Our blog, [Tufts Gets Green](#), is the centralized outlet for detailed events, job & internship opportunities, as well as the home to regular updates from the [Campus Sustainability Council](#) and our very own [Eco-Reps](#).

[Visit our blog](#)

The [Office of Sustainability website](#) continues to serve as the most comprehensive repository of past and present sustainability initiatives at Tufts.

We look forward to staying in touch and seeing you at [events](#) like this week's [Car Free Week Kickoff on Tuesday at the](#)

Mayer Center from 11am-2pm.

Let's get green!

- Fannie

Communications and Outreach Specialist, Office of Sustainability



P.S. We're looking for **Eco-Ambassadors**! Can you recommend anyone fabulous? [Please send them our way.](#)

Featured Event

Sept. 17-21 is Mass Car-Free Week

MASSACHUSETTS 2012 Car-Free Week Tufts Office of Sustainability is celebrating Massachusetts Car-Free Week September 17th-23rd by

encouraging students and faculty members to make their commutes car-light! Endorsing the environmental, financial, community, and health benefits of sustainable travel options, Mass. Car-Free Week promotes public transit, carpooling, bicycling, walking and teleworking as greener modes of transportation. Sign up and track your progress on [NuRide](#), a travel rewards and ride-sharing program sponsored by the MA Department of Transportation. **Win daily prizes** for commuting car-free by signing in from Sep 17-21!

Car-Free Kick-Off:

Tues., Sept. 18th, 11am - 2pm

Lower patio of Mayer Campus Center

Try a folding bike, pick up bike maps and flyers, register your bike with TUPD, and purchase bike locks and other transit merchandise. You can munch on a (free!) local apple while perusing the tables and logging your Car-Free Week on NuRide!

Car-Free Celebration:

Fri., Sept. 21st, 11am - 2pm

Pearson parking lot (across from Dewick)

Tufts Office of Sustainability will offer a free lunch *for all registered participants* in Car-Free Week! Tufts' "Myth, Ritual, & Symbol" class will also demonstrate alternative uses for an open parking space. Please RSVP to the lunch either by sharing a picture of your car-light ride on our Twitter or Facebook pages, or by sending us an email of your NuRide account progress at sustainabilityoffice@tufts.edu.

Click [here](#) for more info.

More Events

- **Sept. 17:** [Center for International Environment and Resource Policy \(CIERP\) Meet & Greet](#)
- **Sept. 20:** [Environmental Studies Program \(ENVS\) Lunch & Learn - featuring Tina Woolston, Director of Tufts Office of Sustainability, on "Environmental Sustainability at Tufts University"](#)
- **Sept. 21:** [New England Campus Sustainability Forum](#)
- **Oct. 4:** [Massachusetts Green Career Conference](#)
- **Oct. 4-6:** [The National Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference - "Anticipating Climate Change: Sustaining Justice, Greening Peace"](#)
- **Oct. 13:** [Medford's Harvest Your Energy Festival](#)

Contests


- [Sept. 4-Oct 5: EPA's Campus RainWorks Design Challenge](#)
- [Oct. 19: 2nd Annual Undergraduate Environmental Photo Contest](#)
- [Nov. 15: Cool Science Art Competition](#)

Visit the [Tufts Environmental Calendar](#) or subscribe to [our Events RSS feed](#) for more frequent updates.

Jobs in Sustainability

- [Built Environmental Specialist Assistant \(New York\)](#)
- [Community Organizer - Community Labor United \(Boston\)](#)
- [O'Neill Institute Associate \(Washington, D.C.\)](#)
- [Government Affairs Intern \(Boston\)](#)

- [Affiliated Network Department Intern - Membership Assistant \(Somerville, MA\)](#)
- [Intern, Boston Cyclist Union \(Boston\)](#)
- [Student Organizers, Tufts Energy Conference 2013](#)
- [Ecological Agricultural Economist \(Costa Rica\)](#)

Job and internship opportunities are posted regularly on the [TuftsGetsGreen blog](#) 

Set up a dedicated RSS feed for the "Career" category so you never miss another post!

Additional internship and academic opportunities may be found at the [Environmental Studies Program blog](#).

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