

It's Easy Being Green!

April 22 is Earth Day!

Check out what's happening
in our community this month:



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Upcoming Earth Day Events

April 16
All day
“Party for the Earth!”
Where? Franklin Park Zoo
Learn about various animals that we share our planet with as well as ways to contribute to a healthier planet!
[Click here for more info](#)

April 16
9am-noon
“Annual Earth Day Charles River Cleanup”
Where? Volunteers are needed in 8 different regions along the Charles River.
More info about the cleanup
www.crwa.org/cleanup.html

April 22
8:45am-5:30pm
“MIT Sustainability Summit”
Where? Microsoft NERD Center on the MIT campus
Cambridge, MA

Tickets (\$40 student) & information
<http://sustainabilitysummit.mit.edu>



Tufts launches a bike share program!

How it works:

1. Check the Tisch website to see how many bikes are available
2. Go to Tisch to check out a bike - you will receive a key and a helmet
3. Go to the bike locker area
4. Grab a bike and ride (up to 24 hours)!
5. Return the bike and lock it up
6. Return key to Tisch

Come celebrate the opening of Tufts Bikes!

Friday, April 1 from 4pm-6pm

Campus Center Upper Patio

Free food, entertainment, raffels, bike advocacy organizations & more!

<http://tuftsbikes.wordpress.com/>

A GREEN TIP: NOW THAT THE WEATHER IS (FINALLY) GETTING WARMER, CONSIDER RIDING A BIKE OR WALKING TO YOUR DESTINATION! SOAK UP THE SUN AND GET SOME EXERCISE WHILE REDUCING YOUR CARBON FOOTPRINT! YOUR MIND, BODY, AND PLANET WILL THANK YOU.



<http://users.skynet.be/flowergarden/fotoblz/fotoblz3eng.htm>

Don't forget about our Free Cycle Room!



Spring Greening?

Want to shed some layers after this long winter?

Drop off any unwanted items in the Free Cycle Room!

Tufts Office of Sustainability recently featured BSOT's Free Cycle Room in a March newsletter! Some members of the Tufts community have expressed interest in creating a similar program within their departments. We have invited anyone to come and take a look at our space for ideas and inspiration. If you encounter someone looking for the Free Cycle Room, please show them the way!

A Call for Your Community Work:

In an effort to make the Free Cycle Room a community space, we would like to give students, faculty, and staff an opportunity to share their local, national, or international community service projects.

This is a great opportunity to showcase your work, advertise your project, and get the BSOT community involved.

Please contact either Svea or Steph if you are interested:

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Looking for cheap, healthy, organic & local "fast food?" Look no further!

Clover Food Lab just opened a new location in Harvard Square!

7 Holyoke St., Cambridge (Near the Harvard Square T stop)

Check out Clover's website to learn more about their philosophy & food: www.cloverfoodlab.com