WMU OFS COMMUNICATION TEAM

FALL 2018 PROJECT BRIEF

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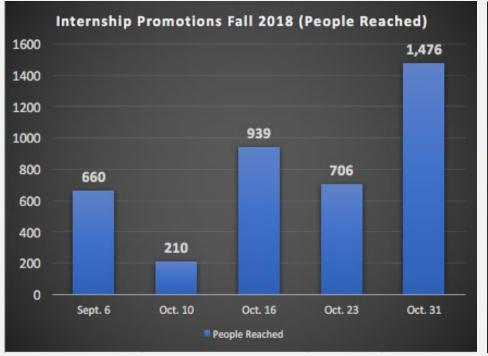
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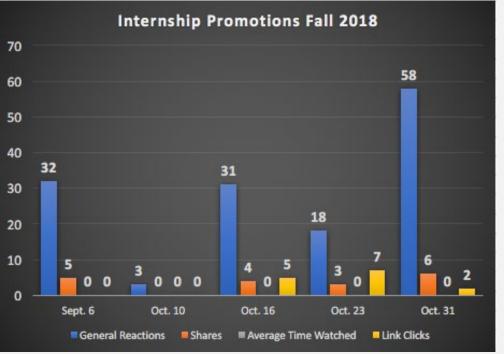
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WESUSTAIN INTERNSHIP

For this semester's promotion, we utilized both photo, text and video posts. There were a total of 27 applications.

| Post Desc. | Post Date | People Reached | General Reactions | Shares | Average Time Watched | Link Clicks |
|-------------------------------|-----------|----------------|--------------------------|--------|----------------------|-------------|
| First post, photos | Sept. 6 | 660 | 32 | 5 | N/A | 0 |
| Paddle into adventure, photos | Oct. 10 | 210 | 3 | 0 | N/A | 0 |
| Helene video | Oct. 16 | 939 | 31 | 4 | 7 seconds (19%) | 5 |
| Marshall video | Oct. 23 | 706 | 18 | 3 | 6 seconds (48%) | 7 |
| General intern video | Oct. 31 | 1,476 | 58 | 6 | 8 seconds (10%) | 2 |
| | Total: | 3,991 | 142 | 18 | N/A | 14 |





WESUSTAIN INTERNSHIP



WMU Office for Sustainability

Are you ready to paddle into adventure? Well put your life jacket on, the Wesustain Internship can take you there!

The Wesustain Internship is a paid semester-long opportunity that is experience and learning-based. You will work in a group of interns to explore, understand and analyze topics of sustainability. And of course, there is always plenty of time for fun!

To find more information and the application, visit our website. Applications are due November 2 by 5 p.m.

https://wmich.edu/sustainability/opportunities/internships







WMU Office for Sustainability

WMU students! Today is the last day to send in your applications for the Wesustain Internship. Email your applications and the supplemental documents to wmu-sustainability@wmich.edu by 5 p.m. today to be considered!

Check out our other posts and website for more information about the internship.

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SUSTAINABILITY CELEBRATION

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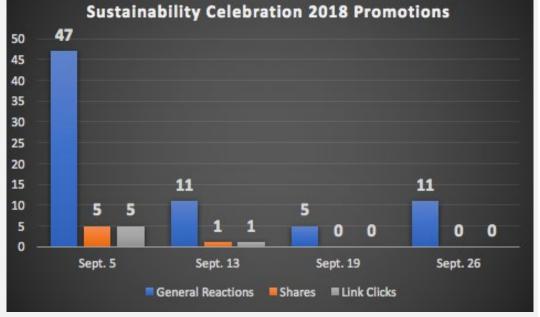
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SUSTAINABILITY CELEBRATION

This year's Sustainability Celebration was modelled after last year's with some minor changes. There were tables set up from community and on-campus groups, local food and drink, our Open Bike Shop and more. The event concluded with two workshops led by OfS employees.

| Post Desc. | Post Date | People Reached | General Reactions | Shares | Link Clicks |
|-------------------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------|--------|-------------|
| First post, photo, link | Sept. 5 | 775 | 47 | 5 | 5 |
| Workshops descriptions | Sept. 13 | 270 | 11 | 1 | 1 |
| Bicycle Giveaway | Sept. 19 | 250 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Reminder - tomorrow | Sept. 26 | 244 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| | Total: | 1539 | 74 | 6 | 6 |





SUSTAINABILITY CELEBRATION



WMU Office for Sustainability shared an event.

Tomorrow is the day! Come to the Office for Sustainability (OfS) to join the Sustainability Celebration! We will have live music, local food and coffee, a recycling game, a bike giveaway and more.

We will also have our Open Bike Shop open from 12 to 3 p.m., so bring your bike!

Don't forget to sign up for the workshops from 4 to 6 p.m. Our Worm Composting for Beginners is full, but our Bike Basics still has room. Sign up online on our website or at the OfS the day of the event.

We'll see you there!



THU, SEP 27

Sustainability Celebration

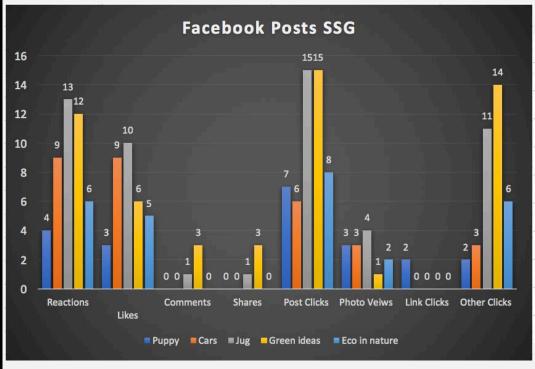
WMU Office for Sustainability · Kalamazoo 41 Went · 150 Interested ✓ Going ▼

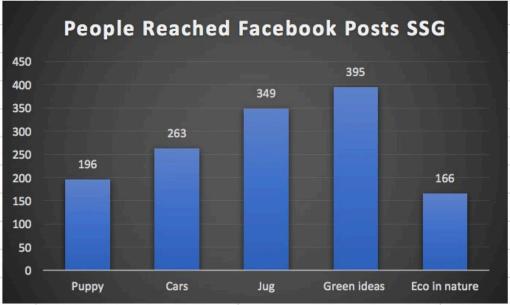


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The SSG was promoted on Facebook and Instagram using text, photos and video. We received a total of 14 abstracts and 7 grants.

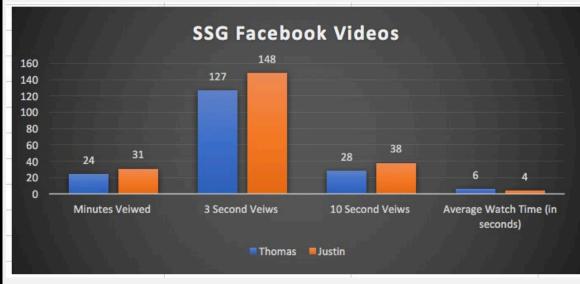
| FaceBook | People Reached | Reactions | Likes | Comments | Shares | Post Clicks | Photo Veiws | Link Clicks | Other Clicks |
|---------------|----------------|-----------|-------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Puppy | 196 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Cars | 263 | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Jug | 349 | 13 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 11 |
| Green ideas | 395 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 14 |
| Eco in nature | 166 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 |

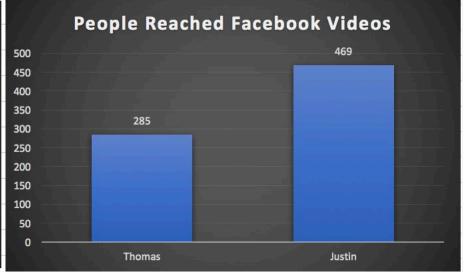




Facebook videos included Justin explaining the SSG, as well as Thomas talking about his SSG experience.

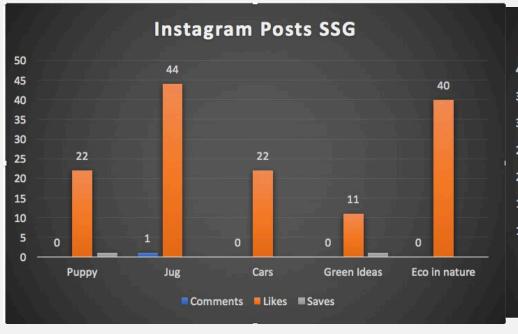
| Facebook Videos | Minutes Veiwed | 3 Second Veiws | 10 Second Veiws | Average Watch Time | People Reached |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Thomas | 24 | 127 | 28 | 6 seconds | 285 |
| Justin | 31 | 148 | 38 | 4 seconds | 469 |

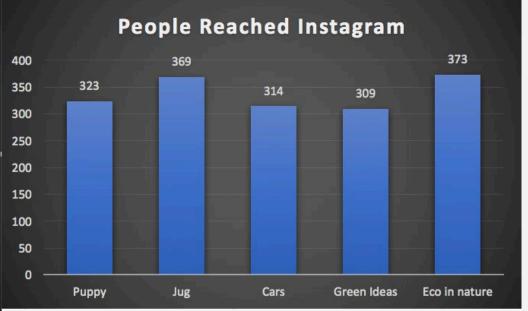




The SSG was promoted on Instagram using pictures of past SSG winning ideas.

| Instagram | People Reached | Comments | Likes | Saves |
|---------------|----------------|----------|-------|-------|
| Puppy | 323 | 0 | 22 | 1 |
| Jug | 369 | 1 | 44 | 0 |
| Cars | 314 | 0 | 22 | 0 |
| Green Ideas | 309 | 0 | 11 | 1 |
| Eco in nature | 373 | 0 | 40 | 0 |





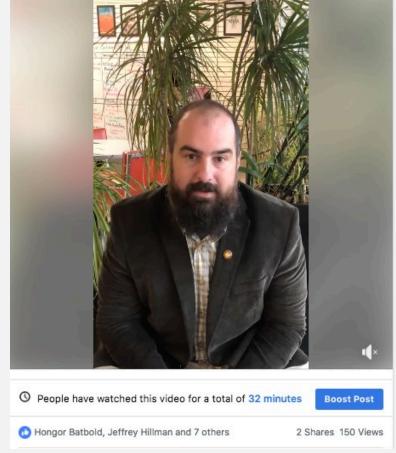


Tomorrow is the last day to turn in applications for the Student Sustainability Grant. If you have a green idea that you want to see implemented on campus, make sure to submit your application by 11:59 p.m. tomorrow. We can't wait to see your green ideas!





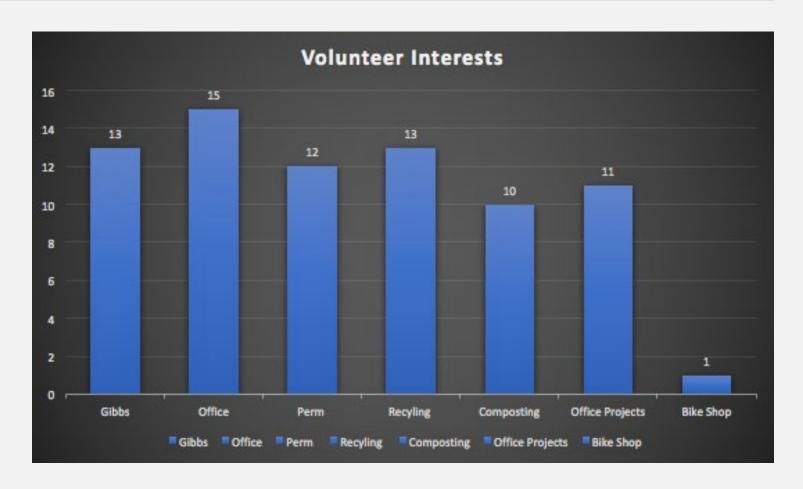




VOLUNTEERS

There was a total of 18 volunteers this fall, compared to 25 last fall. There are very few opportunities available for volunteering at the office.

| Number of Volunteers | Gibbs | Office | Perm | Recyling | Composting | Office Projects | Bike Shop |
|----------------------|-------|--------|------|----------|------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 18 | 13 | 15 | 12 | 13 | 10 | 11 | |

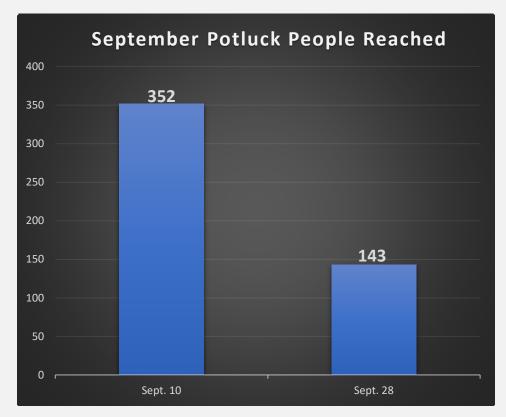


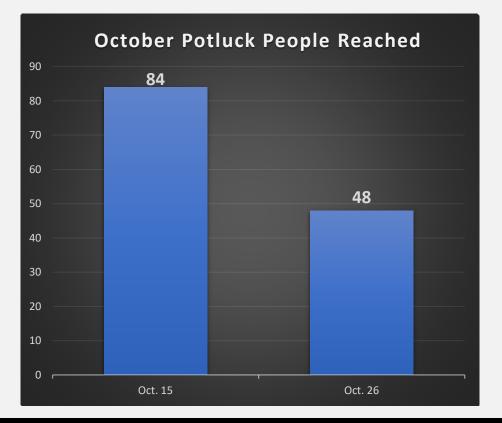
GIBBS HOUSE POTLUCKS

Maggie Scannell

GIBBS HOUSE POTLUCK

| September Potluck | | | | October Potluck | | | |
|---------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|
| Post Desc. | Post Date | People Reached | Responses | Post Desc. | Post Date | People Reached | Responses |
| September Event Published | Sept. 10 | 352 | 15 | October Event Published | Oct. 15 | 84 | 0 |
| Day-of Reminder Post | Sept. 28 | 143 | 5 | Day-of Reminder Post | Oct. 26 | 48 | 0 |
| EVEI | NT PAGE TOTAL | 2,998 | 84 | EVEN | NT PAGE TOTAL | 395 | 53 |





GIBBS HOUSE POTLUCKS



WMU Office for Sustainability added an event.

September 10 · 🚱

On Friday, September 28th everyone is invited to the first Gibbs House Potluck of the season! Come meet the new Gibbs Fellows, enjoy delicious vegan-friendly food, play ping pong in the yard, and learn about current Gibbs House happenings!

Please bring a dish to pass if you are able to.

*Parking instructions: please park in lot P7.

A free shuttle will transport attendees from the soccer field parking lot to the Gibbs house and back at your convenience!

Do not park at Asylum Lake Preserve parking lots

Please understand that alcohol is prohibited at this event.



FRI, SEP 28

September Gibbs House Potluck

4503 Parkview Ave, Kalamazoo, MI 49008-2505, United...

✓ Going ▼

11 27 Went · 57 Interested

353 people reached

Boost Unavailable

Denia Ramirez Soriano, Wayne Bond and 13 others



Howling October Potluck

26 Public · Hosted by WMU Office for Sustainability

★ Interested

- Friday, October 26, 2018 at 6:30 PM 9:00 PM EDT about 1 month ago
- Historically Haunted Gibbs House



GENERAL COMMUNICATION

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WMU OFS COMMUNICATION TEAM

We utilize varying platforms and techniques to promote our events, programs and projects.

- Social media
- Paper products
- Constant Contact/Email blasts
- Signature program
- Tabling events
- Website/Press releases

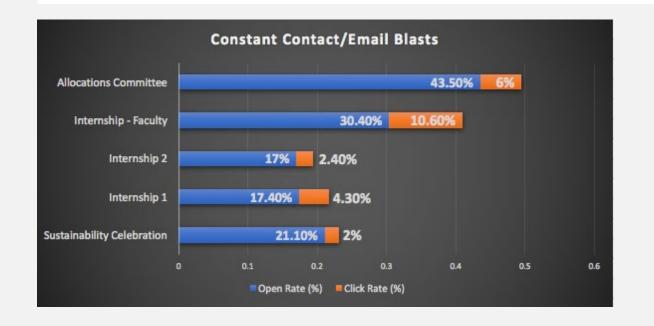
Paper products

- Order from Precision Printing
 - Posters
 - Flyers
- Print in-house
- These are posted on and off campus with staff help
- Flyers are taken to classes, other departments and left on our front desk

| Event/Program | Amount posters ordered | Amount flyers ordered |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Sustainability Celebration | 175 | 50 |
| Internship | 75 | In Office |
| Student Sustainability Grant | 75 | In Office |
| Open Bike Shop | 125 | In Office |
| Bronco Bikes | N/A | In Office |

Constant Contact/Email blasts

- Collecting emails
- New emailing system
- Tracking how people interact
- Focused emails



Signature Program

- New to us and WMU
- Swipe system
- Tracking attendance

| Event/Program | # of Events | Amount of swipes |
|----------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| Volunteering at GH | 10 | 13 |
| Open Bike Shop | 13 | 19 |
| Mobile Fix-It | 1 | N/A |
| GH Potlucks | 3 | N/A |
| Sustainability Celebration | 1 | 8 |
| Sustainability Chat | 1 | 31 (54 counted) |
| Bird's Eye View | 1 | |

Tabling Events

- Bronco Bash
- Graduate Fair
- Job Fair
- Open House
- Benefits and Wellness Expo
- Bird's Eye View
- Transfer Day
- Medallion Competition

Website/Press Releases

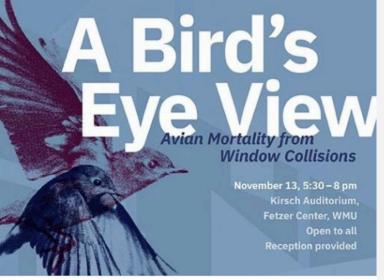
- Open Bike Shop
- Sustainability Celebration*
- Student Sustainability Grant*
- Wesustain Internship*
- Art Wall
- Sustainability Chats

BEYOND THE OFS

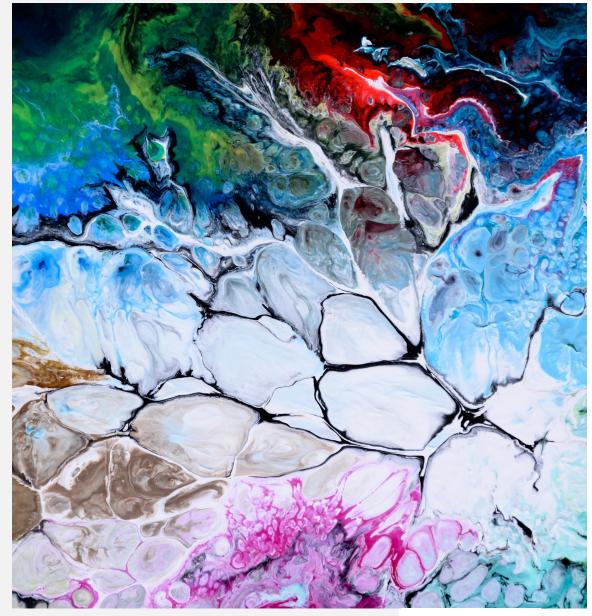
The Communication Team also promotes events that are not hosted at or through the OfS...

- Move in/move out recycling
- Dr. Marion Nestle lecture
- Shantha Alonso's Environmental Justice talk
- Campus Beet
- Bell's Water Warriors and Triple Divide movie night
- Bird's Eye View





QUESTIONS?



THANK YOU