



cal berkeley democrats

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ASUC Green Certification Pilot Program Final Report: Cal Berkeley Democrats

Attn: ASUC Green Certification Auditing Team
(GreenCAT)

Emily Koppel, Events Director
Maxim Levet, Vice President

Thursday, April 28, 2011



Pre-Requisites

1. Green Team
 - Emily Koppel and Maxim Levet are currently serving as the “Green Team” for the Cal Berkeley Democrats
2. 25% Green Certified Events
 - The Cal Berkeley Democrats hosted two events this semester: *Campus Camp Wellstone*, and a bowling trip to Albany Bowl. The Campus Camp Wellstone luncheon received “Super Green Event” status through the office of sustainability.
 - See Appendix §1.1 for documentation
3. Information Session
 - We are holding an information session about our efforts on April 28th at our general meeting. We will provide information about the club’s sustainability efforts in the areas of waste management, paper reduction, and food, among others

Waste Management

4. Recycling 1 & 2 plastics (1 point)
 - We have two recycling bins in the office, one for bottles and cans, one for mixed paper. We bring these two recycling bins to every meeting
 - See Appendix §2.1 for documentation
5. Composting (2 points)
 - Whenever we served food this semester (Campus Camp Wellstone), we provided clearly marked composting, and brought the composting to the bins behind the A&E building
 - See Appendix §2.2 for documentation
6. Compostable plates and silverware (1 point)
 - The only time we served food this semester (Campus Camp Wellstone), we provided all compostable plates, cups, and silverware, and deposited everything at the either the compost bins in the David Brower Center, or in the compost bins behind the A&E building
 - See Appendix §2.3 for documentation
7. Recycling unused publications (1 point)

- Cal Dems recycles all unused *Smart Asses* in the recycling bins in our office
- See Appendix §2.4 for documentation

Advertizing and Paper Reduction

8. Electronic Meeting Agendas and Minutes (1 point)
 - Cal Dems recycles all unused *Smart Asses* in the recycling bins in our office
 - See Appendix §3.1 for documentation
9. Advertizing w/o Paper (2 points out of 5?)
 - Cal Dems is making a transition to more of an online presence to advertize our events, on Facebook and on our website
 - See www.caldems.com and www.facebook.com/caldems for documentation
10. Printing on 100% Recycled Paper (1 point)
 - Cal Dems prints everything on 100% recycled paper
 - See Appendix §3.2 for documentation
11. Vegetable Ink (1 point)
 - For our tri annual newsletter, the *Smart Ass*, our printer uses soy-based ink.
 - See Appendix §3.3 for documentation

Publications

12. 75% Online Publications (3 points)
 - Our tri-annual newsletter, the *Smart Ass*, is printed on paper, but our weekly digest is sent out electronically. The Smart Ass also launched a new website and we are transitioning to a more online presence for that as well.
 - See smartass.caldems.com and Appendix §4.1 for documentation
13. Online Column/Tab (1 point)
 - The Cal Dems have a section on our website dedicated to listing the ways we are making Cal Dems more sustainable
 - See www.caldems.com/sustainability for documentation

Transportation

14. Carpooling (1 point)
 - Cal Dems always carpools at least 4 to a car when public transportation is not feasible. We will be carpooling to the statewide Democratic convention the weekend of April 29th

- See Appendix §5.1 for documentation

Food and Dining at Meetings, Activities and Outings

15. Compostable cups/plates/utensils (2 points)

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- See Appendix §2.3 for documentation

16. Water Containers (1 point)

- Cal Dems recently purchased large reusable containers for water and we use these whenever we serve water at an event
- See Appendix §6.1 for documentation

Events

17. 50% Super Green Certified Events (2 points)

- Cal Dems put on two events this semester, a bowling trip to Albany, and Campus Camp Wellstone. The Campus Camp Wellstone luncheon was a “Super Green Certified Event” through the UC Berkeley Office of Sustainability
- See Appendix §1.1 for documentation

Innovation Points

18. Advertizing on the Smart Ass (1 point)

- Cal Dems dedicated the back cover of our publication, the *Smart Ass*, to explain what the club was doing to be more sustainable, while encouraging other clubs to do the same

19. Hosting Campus Camp Wellstone (1 point)

- Cal Dems hosted a progressive organizing training, “Campus Camp Wellstone”, which focused on the environment and how to successfully organize around sustainability-related issues

APPENDIX

1.1



Office of Sustainability  UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

green event

This event has achieved certification
as a UC Berkeley **green event**.

Event:

Campus Camp Wellstone Luncheon

Date: **April 2, 2011**

Category: **super green event**

To learn how to make yours a green event, go to
<http://sustainability.berkeley.edu/os>

Berkeley  **bright green**

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY Office of Sustainability
in partnership with **Berkeley Events Network**

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Boswell's Discount Party Lafayette
3483 Mount Diablo Blvd
Lafayette, CA 94549
(925)284-9150
www.boswellsparty.com

SALES RECEIPT
03/19/2011 Time 10:05am TX# 371166
Station:03 Drawer:1
Logon: 57 Deanne Pierre

1 4 16" DOILIES 6808	1.99T
2 \$6.50 CONSOLIDATED PAPER CUP	13.00T ←
2 28-017 113MM 75CT BAKING CUP	3.20T
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Sub Total	18.19
TAX	1.68
Total	19.87
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Cash	20.00
Change	.13

Return Policy
Due to the nature of party supplies, we regret there are no returns on seasonal, or reusable merchandise. Reusable merchandise includes, but is not limited to, leis, hats, wigs, trays, punch bowls, reusable decorations, unpackaged items, etc.
Returns made are for store credit only, unless the purchase has been made with a credit card. In that case we are happy to credit your account if you return within 30 days.
All returns must be made within 30 days.
Thank You for shopping at Boswell's
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SALES RECEIPT-COPY
03/26/2011 Time 01:59pm TX# 372279
Station:02 Drawer:1
Logon: 43 Juliet Dasar

7 MISC ITEM	19.25T
2 MISC ITEM	5.50T
2 MISC ITEM	13.00T
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Sub Total	37.75
TAX	3.49
Total	41.24
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Visa	41.24

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CASH AND CARRY WAREHOUSE
3440 VINCENT ROAD
PLEASANT HILL, CA. 94523
925-932-1414

03/26/2011
Merchant I
Terminal IC
226430153

PAPER T1	18.59
PAPER T1	18.59
ITEM CT	2
TAX	3.44
CHARGE	40.62

CARD #
INVOICE 03-26-2011 13:18
Batch #: 0002 PATRICE 00002683
Approval C
Entry Meth
Approved:

SALE AMOUNT

CUSTOMER COPY

Receipt 1

\$13.00 - 2 packages of Greenware Compostable Cups at \$6.50 each

Receipt 2 (out of order on the scan)

\$18.59 - 1 package of compostable paper plates

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Receipt 3 (out of order on the scan)

\$19.25 - 7 packages of compostable forks (\$2.75 each)

\$5.50 - 2 packages of compostable knives (\$2.75 each)

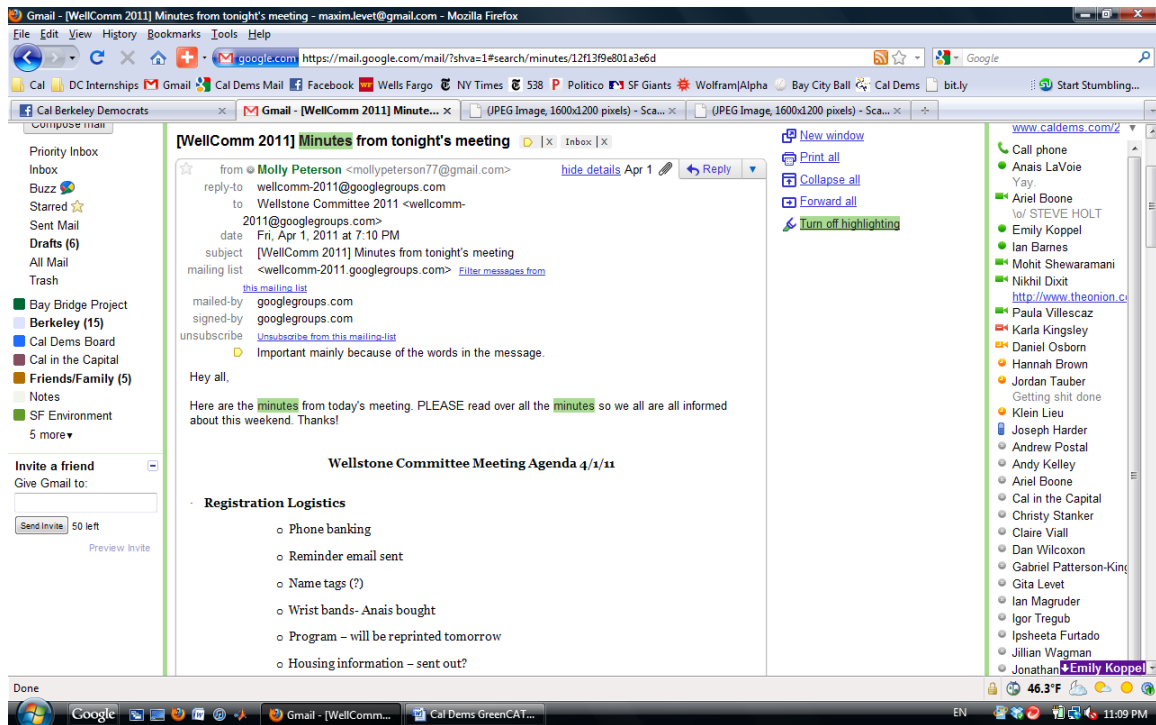
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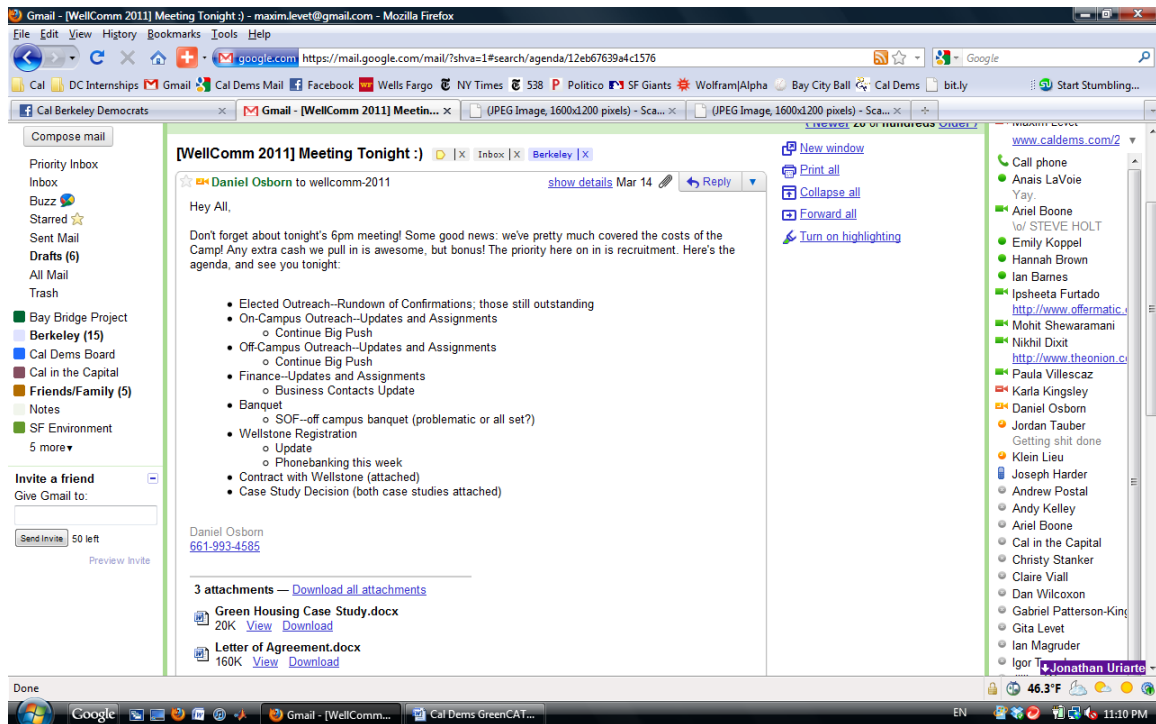


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Minutes:






Agenda:



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Green Certification |  | **Inbox** | ★  **Zoe Kornberg** to me[show details](#) Feb 22 [Reply](#)

Hey Maxim,

I know you're kind of heading up the green certification thing. Here's an email I got from the sales manager at Smart Ass's printer.

ZOE,


We are always doing our part to be Eco-friendly in our business;

1. We do not use film, our prepress department is direct to plate
 2. The plates in prepress are aluminum, we recycle 100% of our plates (on an average week we use 1,000 + plates)
 3. The stock you print on is 20% to 30% post consumer
 4. The ink is soy-based
 5. The press SMART ASS prints on is ULTRA VIOLET with less fumes / emissions going into the air
 6. We recycle all our paper / card board and any left over inks.
 7. We recycle all our computers / monitors / printers / ink cartridges / mouse / cables etc.
- Call me if you need more information. -Carlos

This could be something we could tell the green certification people about as well.

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Zoe Kornberg
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Public Health Major
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 [Reply](#) [Forward](#) Zoe is not available to chat

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The screenshot shows a Gmail interface with the following elements:

- Top Bar:** Gmail logo, navigation links (Calendar, Documents, Photos, Reader, Web, more), search bar with "digest" entered, and a notification "Coming soon: Better ads in Gmail. Learn more Hide".
- Left Sidebar:**
 - Mail:** Compose mail, Priority Inbox, Inbox, Buzz, Starred, Sent Mail, Drafts (6), All Mail, Trash.
 - Other:** Bay Bridge Project, Berkeley (15), Cal Dems Board, Cal in the Capital, Friends/Family (5), Notes, SF Environment, 5 more.
 - Invite a friend:** Give Gmail to: [input field], Send Invite (50 left), Preview Invite.
- Email Header:** "Cal Dems Digest - Last Meeting of Spring 2011", "Christy Stanker, Membership Director to me", "Apr 25 (2 days ago)", "New window", "Print all", "Turn off highlighting".
- Email Body:**

Dear Maxim,

Well everyone, this is it. We are about to have our last meeting of the semester. Thus, this will be my last **digest**. To say it has been an honor to serve as your Membership Director is an understatement. I hope that these emails have been able to bring a smile to your face! I've had a great time writing them. That being said, I am so confident in Andrew Postal, our new Membership Director.

So one last time, our last meeting will take place on **Thursday at 7pm in 160 Dwinelle**. There will be FREE FOOD. We'll have the end-of-the-year slideshow, mascot election, senior goodbyes, and Cal songs in preparation for Convention this weekend! Be prepared to stay a little longer than an hour. It's our last meeting and there are so many memories to share!

Apply for an Appointed Cal Dems Board Position!
Appointed board positions are a great way to get involved and take a leadership role in Cal Dems. The application for Appointed Board Positions is now OPEN. All applications must be submitted by Wednesday May 4th, at 11:59pm. Everyone is highly encouraged to apply: <http://caldems.com/2011/04/26/appointed-board-positions/>

meetings

General Meeting
Thursday at 7pm in 160 Dwinelle

announcements

Travel with Cal Dems to the California Democratic Party Convention in Sacramento!
- Right Sidebar:** Chat window with a list of contacts including Maxim Leviet, Anais LaVoie, Ariel Boone, Daniel Osborn, Emily Koppel, Ian Barnes, Ian Magruder, Jonathan Uriarte, Klein Lieu, Mohit Shewaramani, Nikhil Dixit, Paula Villescaz, Jordan Tauber, Joseph Harder, Andrew Postal, Andy Kelley, Ariel Boone, Cal in the Capital, Christy Stanker, Claire Viall, Dan Wilcoxon, Gabriel Patterson-Ki, Gita Leviet, Hannah Brown, and Igor Tregub.

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Microsoft Excel non-commercial use - Convention Carpools [Read-Only]						
	A	B	C	D	E	
1	CAL DEMS CONVENTION CARPOOLS					
2						
3	Emily Koppel	714- 321-3659	leave after 2			
4	Jacob Metz	714-916-8255				
5	Jonathan Uriarte	760-693-6100				
6	Sydney Beada	310-804-3343				
7						
8						
9	Daniel Osborn	661-993-4585	leave by 12			
10	Paula Villescaz	916-207-4890				
11	Andrew Postal	805-390-3684				
12	Canaan Lewin	831-212-5509				
13	Ariel Boone	530-400-8545	Train on Saturday/ will return with us			
14						
15	Christy Stanker	925-321-6175	leave after 12:30			
16	Sanjala Chitnis	949-547-0697				
17	Kelsey Kanavel	530-249-3216				
18	Reza Rezvani	510-978-3576				
19	Marshall Brekka	marshallbrekka@berkeley.edu				
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21	Maxim Levet	415-235-2525	leave after 2			
22	Tom Hughes	925-457-1710				
23	Nik Dixit	650-281-6022				
24	Jeremy Bishow	818-804-0661				
25	Mia Hodge	415-302-6073				
26						
27	Alan Satkin	714-401-1489	leave after 2			
28	Daniel Tuchler	949-246-6952				
29	Mia Pskowski	916-833-4543				
30	Jeremy Pilaar	415-608-9229				
31						
32	Alex Johnson	916-502-0821	leave after 2			
33	Cecily Gardner	530-867-4317				
34	Alex Farrell	650-773-0695				

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