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Citrus College

Green Career Programs

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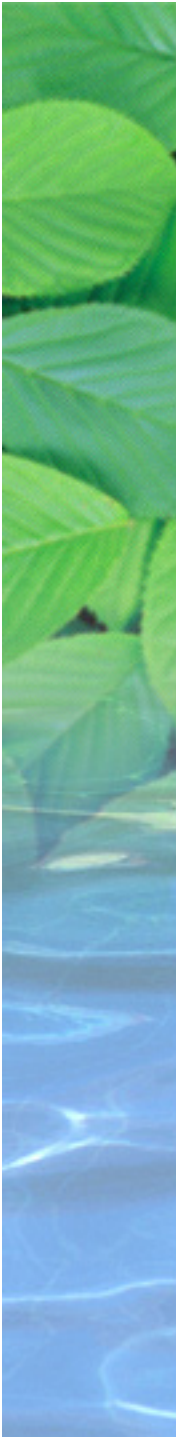
Foothill Workforce Investment Board

September 18, 2008

Green Team

- **Footprint:**
exploring new ways to reduce, reuse, and recycle on our campus
- **Curricula:**
preparing students for careers involving sustainable resources and renewable energy





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GREEN TEAM NEWS

Have a Green 4th of July!

Some tips for a more eco-conscious July 4 :

To reduce the disposable plastic or paper cups that will end up in the landfill, ask your guests to bring their favorite cup from home - everyone will be able to identify their own drinks at the party. Use supplies that contain "post-consumer products". Get items that you can reuse or recycle.

Buy and consume locally grown produce. The less the food has to travel from the source to your market, the less carbon emissions there are. Look for large bulky items when you shop - instead of individual soda cans, buy a large bottle. You can cut down cost and help reduce packaging waste.

Set up separate recycling area and trash area and a compost bin for biodegradable waste.

Ask guests to carpool and help them arrange the ride-shares. You'll encourage your guests to get to know each other as well as practicing green ... win-win!

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GREEN TEAM FORMS AT CITRUS

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DATES TO REMEMBER

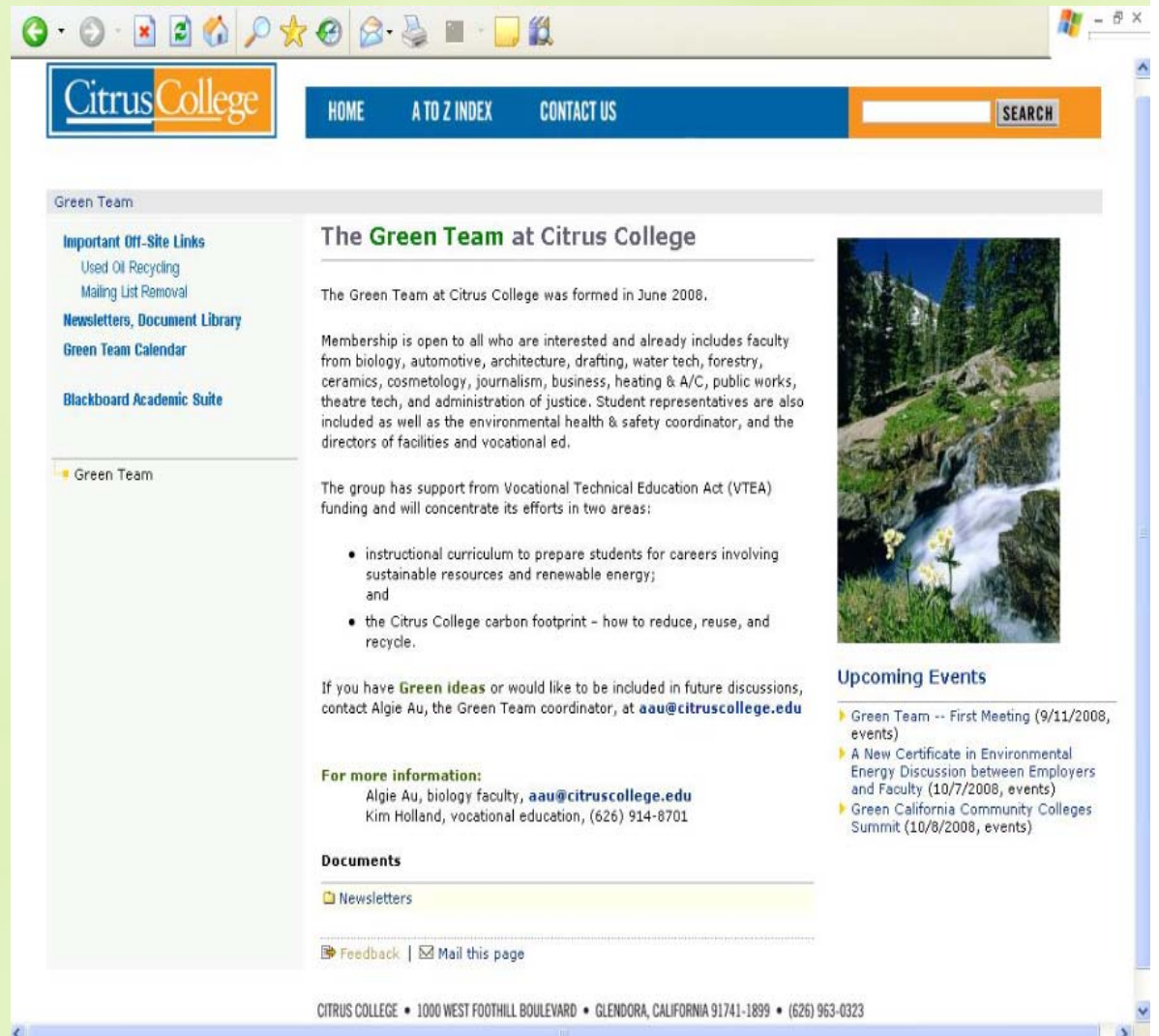
Thursday, August 7: Citrus College hosts California's Green Workforce Coalition; 1:00-3:00 p.m. in the CFI Community Room. RSVP to Kim.

October 8 & 9: Green California Community Colleges Summit at the Pasadena Convention Center <http://www.green-technology.org/ccsummit/index.html>

Green Website

www.citruscollege.edu/GreenTeam

- Green Calendar – Conferences, meetings, events
- Document Library
- Green Links
- Newsletters
- Blackboard Site



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Important Off-Site Links
Used Oil Recycling
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Documents

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Upcoming Events

- Green Team -- First Meeting (9/11/2008, events)
- A New Certificate in Environmental Energy Discussion between Employers and Faculty (10/7/2008, events)
- Green California Community Colleges Summit (10/8/2008, events)

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Architecture

- *Green building design*



Automotive

- *Hybrid Technology*
- *Alternative Fuels*
- *Emissions Testing*



Wildland Management

- *Ecology*
- *Conservation*



Heating & Air Conditioning

- *Energy efficiency*
- *EPA standards*



Water Technology

- *Treatment and Distribution of Public Drinking Water*
- *Water Conservation*



Public Works

- *Design and maintenance of public streets and bridges*
- *Green materials and building products*



Green in all programs

- **Electronics:** *e-waste*
- **Cosmetology:** *chemicals, ventilation*
- **Ceramics:** *disposal of glazes*
- **Business:** *cartridge and paper recycling*



What's New??

- **Solar Prep**
 - *Computer Aided Drafting*
 - *Electricity for Heating & Air Conditioning*
- WIB clients
- Guaranteed interview for completers



Environmental Energy

Development Fall 2008

- *Building, Electrical, HVAC, and Controls systems*
- *Emphasis on energy conservation and sustainable materials*
- *Design, operation and maintenance of these systems.*



Working Together

- California's Green Workforce Coalition

*To serve as an alliance
to develop a skilled
workforce for green
jobs and a green future*



Green Networking

- Hilda Solis –
Greening our Capitol,
Greening our Communities:
Affordable, Effective Green
Investments
- Green California
Community College
Summit –
October 8-9, in Pasadena



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