
**Sustainability Newsletter
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“Of all the paths you take in life, make sure a few of them are dirt.”

-John Muir

NKU FUSE MEETING (Forum for Sustainability and the Environment)

February 20th, 11:00 A.M

Location: SU 108

The next FUSE meeting will be held on **Tuesday, February 20th at 11:00 A.M.** Anyone and everyone is welcome to attend this roundtable discussion and take part in developing new methods of understanding environmental and economic sustainability as it relates to a changing world! This is a wonderful opportunity for anyone interested in environmental or sustainability studies.

To find out more about FUSE and view prior meetings, click [here](#).

NKU's New Sustainability Student Worker



A warm welcome to our new Sustainability Student Worker, Bailey Peterson! Bailey is enrolled in several environmental classes and is working toward a B.A in Environmental Science on the Urban Sustainability track. She spent her four high school years as a lifeguard at the Florence Aquatic Center, and became a field technician for Environment & Archaeology, LLC while attending college. Her free time is spent snowboarding, hiking, camping, rock climbing, playing guitar, or reading. Bailey will be assisting our sustainability program and developing ways to promote **GREEN** living on NKU's campus. We're so excited to have her as a part of our team!

Winterized NKU Community Garden

Since it is the middle of winter, our boxes have been winterized to help the soil survive the bitter cold nights that winter brings to the Northern Kentucky area. This ensures the garden will produce tasty veggies in the spring! Just as we winterize our homes, boats, and cars, a properly cared for garden will need to be winterized as well. If you are interested in adopting a free plot in the NKU Community Garden email phinneyt1@nku.edu for more information.



New Green Certified Soap Dispensers!



Little steps can make a big change when it comes to sustainability! This Green Certified Foaming Hand Wash is a hand cleaner that is biodegradable, free of all dyes, and certified by Green Seal to meet the GS41 standard. Green Seal is an independent non-profit organization that promotes the manufacture, purchase, and use of environmentally responsible products and services. Symmetry bags are flexible, creating more space in the landfill while other hand hygiene products take up to 34.5x more space in landfills with rigid packaging!

Green Certified Foaming Hand Wash Features:

- Biodegradable
- Dye-free
- Available in hermetically sealed bags and pump bottles
- “No-drip” system
- 99% product evacuation
- Available in 550 ml, 1250 ml and 2000 ml

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