AGGIE SUSTAINABILITY ALLIANCE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



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Come and get yours at Campus Sustainability Day on October 15!



SEPTEMBER EVENTS CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	Labor Day University Holiday	Silver Taps 10:30pm, Academic Building Plaza	3	4	5 First Friday 5:00pm, Downtown Bryan	6
7	Anxiety Toolbox 11-12pm, Virtual	9	10	Volunteer Opportuni -ties Fair 2-6pm, MSC	Global Welcome Party 7-10pm, Aggie Park	13
14	AGF Micro Grant Application Opens	16	17	18	Maroon White Night 6:00pm, Downtown Bryan	20
21	22	23	Turning ² 4 Impossibl e into "I'm Possible" 6-7:30pm, Rudder Theater	25	26 Developing a Resilience Mindset 1-2pm, Virtual	27
28	29 <u>Week</u> <u>Without</u> <u>Driving</u>	30 <u>Week</u> <u>Without</u> <u>Driving</u>				

September is National Suicide Prevention Month

National Suicide Prevention Month aims to spotlight the need to raise awareness, reduce stigma, foster support for those impacted by suicide and, most importantly, spread hope. You are not alone. Take the time this month to join the fight against suicide. You can help support progress towards this goal by:

- · Being Aware of Emergency Hotlines: Call or Text 988 in a Crisis
- · Advocating for Mental Health
- · Checking Up on the People Around You
- Helping End the Stigma and Raise Awareness
- Being Aware of Texas A&M's Mental Health and Counseling Resources: https://uhs.tamu.edu/mental-health

>>>> SUSTAINABILITY TIPS

SUSTAINABILITY TIPS:

BACK-TO-SCHOOL!

Howdy Ags! To kick off the fall semester, we're sharing some back-to-school sustainability tips! Whether you're a first-time freshman or a senior ready to graduate, these tips will help you make your semester a more sustainable one!

Choose Reusable!

From bottles to bags, using reusable containers over disposable ones can save you money while reducing waste and emissions!



Sustainable Transportation

Cars contribute significantly to CO₂ emissions every year. Choose to walk or bike when possible or consider a carpool or the Aggie Spirit when needing to hit the road.



Green Supplies

When purchasing school supplies, look for products made from sustainably sourced materials. Opt for e-books over printed textbooks.



Energy-Conscious Dorms

Conserve energy by turning off the lights wher you leave, limiting the number of electronic devices, and using eco-friendly decor over energy-consuming ones.



Don't Forget Yourself!

Taking care of your mental and physical wellbeing is an important part of a sustainable lifestyle. Eat healthy, exercise regularly, take breaks, and ask for help when needed for your self-care





阶 AGGIE GREEN FUND ANNUAL REPORT

Highlights from the 2025 Aggie Green Fund annual report!

MAJOR GRANT HIGHLIGHTS



\$43,492.02

OUT OF \$2,701,313.91 LIFETIME AWARDS

PROJECTS

- FROM SCRAPS TO SPROUTS
- REMEDIATION
 SOFTWARE
- CAMPUS TEXTILE YEAR-ROUND COLLECTION

MICRO GRANT HIGHLIGHTS



\$27,248.74

OUT OF \$158,095.52 LIFETIME AWARDS

PROJECTS

- AGGIES MEDITATE M3 S25
- LED LIGHT FIXTURES FOR THE FORSYTH GALLERIES
- MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL SUSTAINABLE TRAINING INITIATIVE
- HORTICULTURE FORESTRY SCIENCE BUILDING WATER BOTTLE FILLING STATION

...AND MORE!



THE OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY & CAMPUS ENRICHMENT WELCOMES OUR FALL 2025 COHORT OF INTERNS!



Back row: Logan Pavlicek, Kailen Lujan, Camryn Garza, Faye Merritt Front row: Hester Huynh, Irissa Vera, Bailey Showah



"I'm looking forward to being part of a community that I can share my passion for sustainability with."

- Hester Huynh '28, Environmental Studies

"I am most looking forward to an opportunity to get students/people excited about sustainability who may not normally care about it!"

- Bailey Showah '26, Ecology and Conservation Biology



WE LOOK FORWARD TO ANOTHER GREAT SEMESTER WITH OUR INTERNS!



THIS JUNE, OUR OFFICE ASKED AGGIES TO CELEBRATE NATIONAL OUTDOORS MONTH AND GET OUT & GIG EM!







THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO PARTICIPATED AND SENT PHOTOS OF THEMSELVES ENJOYING THE OUTDOORS!

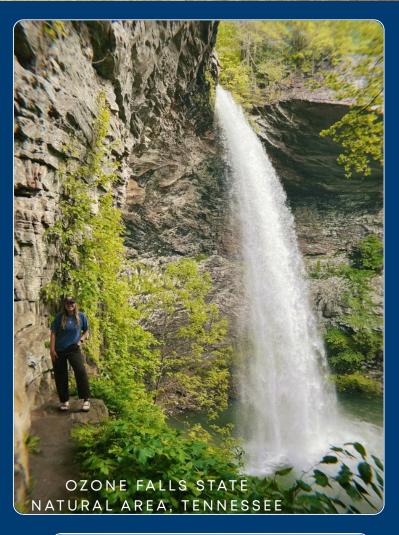


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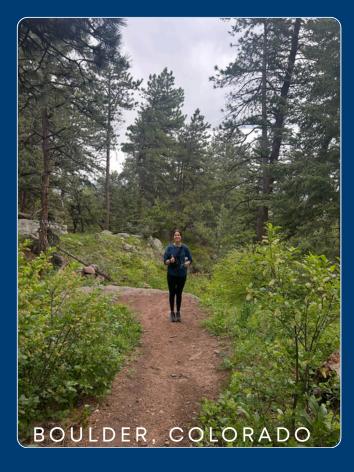


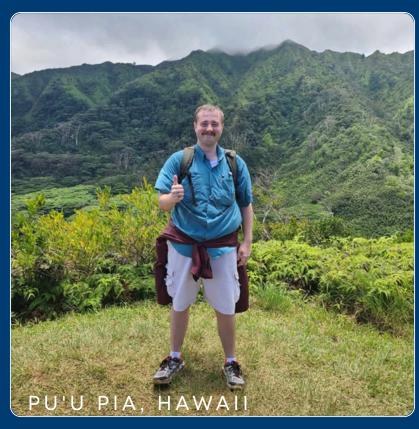




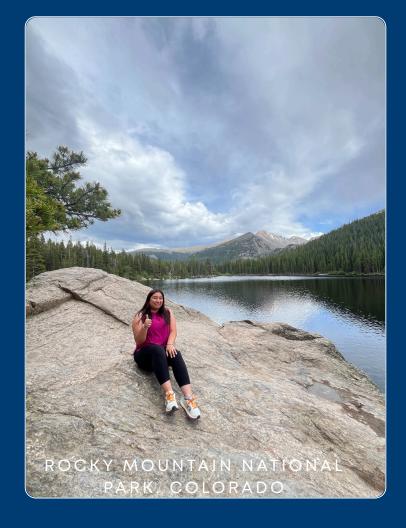
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CHECK OUT THESE MOMENTS FROM HOWDY WEEK 2025!

