

## 2013 RECYCLING RATES

**PAPER**  
**754,922**  
pounds of paper

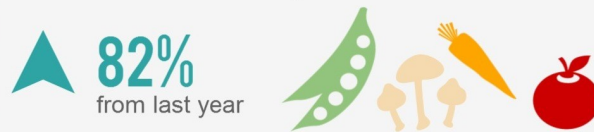


**6,400**  
trees saved

**ALUMINUM**

**2,100 = 67,741**  
pounds of aluminum      cans recycled

**FOOD WASTE**      **572,100**  
pounds of food waste



**YEARLY  
RECYCLING  
RATE**

**35%**

Up 6%  
from last year

**Don't Forget  
Recyclemania  
starts  
February 2<sup>nd</sup>**



# Do you want to get more involved with **sustainability** on campus?

Consider joining the **Presidents Environmental Sustainability Committee Student Group**. [Applications](#) start February 3<sup>rd</sup> and due February 13<sup>th</sup>. For questions regarding the PESC student group contact Professor [Chara Armon](#).

## **Opportunities**

### **Call for Abstracts for the First Student Sustainability Symposium**

Put on by the Pennsylvania Environmental Resource Consortium. Looking for students to give a presentation or provide a poster on sustainability related research, co-curricular projects, creative works, action projects and community initiatives. [Abstracts](#) are due Feb 14<sup>th</sup>.

### **Campus Consciousness Challenge**

Win \$10,000 for your sustainable innovations. Learn more on Reverb's [website](#).

## **In the News**

Villanova Received a \$1 Million Grant from the EPA for Stormwater Management Research in the City of Philadelphia

[Full Article](#)



VILLANOVA  
UNIVERSITY  
Commitment to Sustainability

## **Events**

### **"The Impact of Hurricane Sandy on the Cape May County Horseshoe Crab and Shorebird Habitat Restoration Project"**

Lenore Tedesco from the Wetlands Institute  
Wednesday January 29, 1:30  
Mendel G58

### **"A Bold New Vision of the Schuylkill Riverfront"**

Joseph Syrnick from the Schuylkill River Development Corporation  
Wednesday February 5, 3:00  
Mendel G28

### **"Implications and Outcomes of the LandCare Program"**

Bob Grossmann & Nancy Goldenberg from the Pennsylvania Horticulture Society  
Wednesday February 12, 1:30  
Mendel G28

### **"Soil, Gardens, and Natural Lawn Care"**

Charlene Briggs from Earth Visions Consulting  
Wednesday February 17, 1:30  
Mendel G28

### **"City composting and small business development"**

Tim Bennett from Bennett Composting  
Wednesday February 24, 3:00  
Mendel G28