### University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

# <u>The Greener Dub</u>



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Now that Recyclemania is over all the numbers are in and the prizes are on there way!

#### Recyclemania winners:

1st Place: Clem/Benson Complex

2nd Place: Bigelow/Lee Complex



## University Housing Sustainability Events Spring Break Swap and Shop Event:

Hopefully you all got to enjoy the spring break swap-shop last month. Many residents brought gently used clothing to be donated and got entered to win a lunchbox raffle! It was a great and fun way to upcycle clothing!





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Throughout the 8 week competition over 8,538 plastic bags were collected. A random drawing of 20 names from the complexes of Starin, Wells, and the Arey-Fricker Link will be chosen to win reusable bags!!

Great job recycling those bags!!



As the end of the school year is wrapping up you may have extra binders laying around. If so you're in luck and in the market to earn some cash. This spring office depot and office max are teaming up to collect old binders to recycle!!

All you have to do is:

- 1. Find a location near you
- 2. Bring your binder
- 3. Receive \$2 back for every binder!

Go to this website for more details!

http://www.terracycle.com/en-US/brigades/officedepot



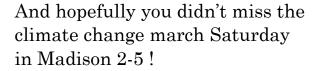
#### How did you spend your earth week?

Last week 45 students with the UW-Whitewater Honors Student

Association joined the Sustainability Office team in planting 40 apple trees near Wells hall! Special thanks to the grounds crew for their help in today's success. What a great way to wrap up Earth Week!



On Saturday Some students help clean out local waterways with a trash clean-up!









If you are looking for more ways to get involved with Recyclemania or in sustainability in general be sure to talk with your RA, attend SAGE/ Gardening club meetings and check out programs your complex LIT (Leadership Involvement Team) is putting on!