

Welcome to our special 2023 Earth Week edition of The Peacock Planet! Please read on to see how you can "Invest in our Planet" this week and beyond.

The Sustainability Council membership consists of faculty, administrators and students. **We would like to welcome some new students into our active group.** If interested, please contact the founder and chair, Dr. Eileen Poiani at <a href="mailto:epoiani@saintpeters.edu">epoiani@saintpeters.edu</a>.

#### Tuesday, April 25



## Wednesday, April 26

12 – 1 p.m. Hear from CURA Farm Cultivators, a group of students working with Dr. Garrett-Kluthe, who will make a presentation about the Hydroponics Farm on the first floor of the Mac Mahon Student Center. Fresh salads made by Aramark Dining Services with the hydroponic lettuce will be distributed **FREE!** Panepinto Plaza at the Mac Mahon Student Center.



4 – 7 p.m. Film screening of "The Letter," about frontline leaders battling the ecological crisis across the globe with hope for our common home. Jointly sponsored with parishioners of St. Aedan's: The Saint Peter's University Church. Popcorn and refreshments to be served. **FREE!** Gannon Lecture Hall. (Accessible from the Quad.)

#### Thursday, April 27

11 a.m. – 2 p.m. Clothing Swap sponsored by SAVE (Student Advocates for Valuing the Earth). Come find some new-to-you clothes and contribute to the <u>slow fashion</u> movement. Guarini Living Room on the first floor of the Mac Mahon Student Center.



7 p.m. Music for Migration: a concert to benefit refugees. Join the Aidan C. McMullen Chorale at St. Aedan's: The Saint Peter's University Church. **FREE!** 

### Friday, April 28 - Arbor Day

12 – 1 p.m. Planting and blessing of a tree at Millennium Hall by Rev. Andrew Downing, S.J., Vice President for Mission and Ministry, with student presentation by Jizhady Paez, '24.

# Saturday, April 29

Excursion to the Great Swamp. Stay tuned for more details!

- Our Vision: The Sustainability Council supports a broad, holistic vision of sustainability, framing our work in pluralism and integrating the right of well-being today to that of future generations.
- Our Mission: The Sustainability Council, composed of a broad representation from the university community, initiates and implements institutional, academic and community programs that identify, inspire and foster sustainable practices and behaviors.

Your feedback, photos, event notices and story ideas are always welcome. Please email them to Peacock Planet editor Georgia Kral at gkral@saintpeters.edu
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