Green Fund

What's your idea?

Stonehill is committed to building a culture of sustainability, and also embraces innovation and thinking outside of normal boundaries. The Green Fund was established in the fall of 2012 to provide seed funding to students and student groups for projects that contribute to Stonehill's campus sustainability goals. Areas of sustainable focus include: energy and water reduction, waste and resource reduction, and community awareness.

The Office for Sustainability will be holding information sessions over the course of September and October. This is a great opportunity to get feedback on your proposal, connect to faculty or staff who could assist in your project, and ask general questions.

The Stonehill Office for Sustainability invites you to join our green revolution.

APPLY

Get Inspired: Learn more about previous Green Fund projects.

Sample Project Ideas:

- Behavior change projects
- Educational awareness campaigns
- Attend off-campus seminars or conferences
- Energy reduction
- Improvement of a current process

Criteria:

Applications will be reviewed by the Environmental Stewardship Council's Green Fund Committee, which is comprised of faculty, students and staff and evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Measurable impact on energy use, waste reduction, water use, etc
- Cost savings resulting from resource conservation
- Innovation and creativity
- Visibility and reliability
- Educational value
- Quality of work plan

Rules:

- Stonehill students are eligible to apply.
- Staff and Faculty can be involved in partnership with students in project proposals.
- Individuals or teams can apply. Teams must designate one main contact for the application.
- Funding will be provided at the time of project implementation.
- Projects spanning more than one academic year must include a plan for continuity.
- Awarded funding typically ranges from $100 - $1,000; however, larger requests are also considered.

Expectations once the Green Fund project is complete:

- Provide a short summary of the project/event
- Provide photographs
- Submit invoices and receipts
- Provide advertisements or other media that were created as part of the project

Questions? Email jgagne@stonehill.edu