



Recyclemania Week 7 Update

This Week's Weigh-In

Here are the results for this week's weights:

Landfill waste: 5,100

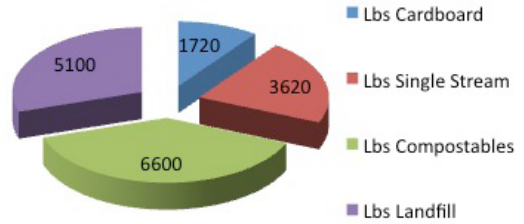
Recycled

Single stream: 3,620 lbs

Cardboard: 1,720 lbs

Compost: 6,600 lbs

Waste Stream Analysis Wk 6



Measuring Up

How does Evergreen stand against the top schools in this year's competitors nationwide?

Week 6 of RecycleMania - standings:

Grand Champion: California State University - San Marcos with a cumulative recycling rate of 82.28%

Per Capita Classic: McNeese State University with cumulative recyclable pounds/person at 27.54 lbs

Waste Minimization: Santa Monica College with a cumulative waste in pounds/person of 2.94 pounds.

Gorilla Prize: Rutgers University with cumulative recycleables in pounds 742326.00 lbs

Paper: Stephens College with cumulative lbs/person at 11.65

Corrugated Cardboard: McNeese State University with cumulative lbs/person at 15.34

Bottles/Cans: Kalamazoo College with cumulative lbs/person at 7.21

Food Service Organics: Bard College with cumulative lbs/person at 9.67

Evergreen's numbers so far:

Grand Champion: 39.57% Cumulative Recycling Rate

Per Capita Classic: 4.06 cumulative recyclables lbs/person

Waste Minimization: 10.26 cumulative waste lbs/person

Gorilla Prize: 16920 cumulative recyclables lbs

Paper: 0 cumulative paper lbs/person (we don't separate out paper, it is included in Single Stream)

"The Consumer Environmental Index model reveals that the average household in Washington that recycled 100% of the curbside recyclable waste materials, food scraps and yard debris generated at home and at work in 2005 reduced GHG emissions by as much as if the household cut back on its use of gasoline and diesel fuels by over 40% for the year."

Morris et al. 2008

Corrugated Cardboard: 2.01 cumulative cardboard lbs/person

Bottles & cans: 0 cumulative lbs/person (we don't separate out paper, it is included in Single Stream)

Food Service Organics: 6.52 cumulative lbs/person