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T-SHIRT DESIGN

EGSA is soliciting ideas for next years t-shirt design. Submit your idea (descriptions or rough sketches are fine) with your name and phone number to EGSA (DES). If you are interested in helping with the selection or any other aspect of the t-shirts for next year, come to the next EGSA meeting. Final selection will be made in late spring.

SUMMER HEALTH CARE

Thanks to intensive lobbying by the Graduate Student Association, summer health care *cards for grad* students at Cowell Health Center will be free of charge. However, because *summer health services from Cowell are not included in the graduate student health care plan, this is a one-time deal -- next year you should expect to pay for any services from Cowell.*

EGSA 5th ANNUAL OUTSTANDING PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR **NOMINATIONS**

This award serves to recognize faculty for service to students in our graduate group that extend beyond teaching duties and their own research activities. If you have a nomination, please return the simple form below to John Breen, Agronomy and Range Science, 253 Hunt Hall (2-3452), or to Sylvia Hillyer, Graduate Group in Ecology. The deadline for nominations is Monday, April 30, 1990. Please feel free to expand on the application form or on a separate piece of paper.

OUTSTANDING PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR NOMINATION FORM

Name of candidate:

Qualifications/ Reason for nomination:

Specific contributions during the past year:

Name of nominator (optional; however, we may find it useful to contact you to elaborate on your statements):

EGSA AND EARTH DAY

EGSA is sponsoring a display for Picnic Day/ Earth Day on Saturday, April 21 on the lawn north of Wickson Hall. A map indicating the campus location of ecology graduate students will be used to demonstrate the broad scope and diversity of Davis ecology students "working for the environment." A description of the Graduate Group in Ecology along with brief descriptions of some research topics involving GGE members will be included in the display. EGSA members will be available at the display throughout the day to answer general questions about the GGE or their own research interests. We also hope to include posters, photographs, abstracts, and any other display materials highlighting particular GGE student and/or faculty research projects along side this main display.

Any amount of help you can provide would be extremely useful and greatly appreciated. Help is needed to set up the main display table and to spend time at the display on Picnic Day/ Earth Day. In addition, any display materials you have about faculty and/or student research could be incorporated into the display. (Something as simple as a photograph of your study species and/or a one to two sentence description of your work would be helpful. You don't have to be on TV or even be present.) Now is your chance to get involved and help make Earth Day a great success!! Please contact Ray Sauvajot (DES, 2147 Wickson Hall; 752-7124; 753-8613) if you can help in any way or have any questions.

SECOND ANNUAL EGSA COLLOQUIUM

The EGSA Colloquium has been scheduled for May 19. If you want to give a talk, or want any other information, please contact Tyson Holmes (Agronomy and Range Science).

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EGSA SPRING QUARTER MEETINGS

Thursday, April 12 (Free pizza and drinks!!)

Thursday, May 10 (EGSA Officer Elections)

Thursday, June 7

All meetings will be held immediately following the Ecology Seminars at 5:15 p.m. in 2120J Wickson Hall. SEE YA THERE!!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR:

Picnic Day/ Earth Day	April 21-22
Whole Earth Festival	May 4-6
Pelagic Boat Trip	May 12
2nd Annual EGSA Colloquium	May 19

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