

SUSTAINING THE GLOBE

YEAR TWO IN A THREE-YEAR SERIES SPONSORED BY THE

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..... SPRING 2019 EVENTS

PLASTIC OCEANS DOCUMENTARY

DOCUMENTARY FILM AND DISCUSSION

Monday, April 22 SMITH HALL, OLD MAIN
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.



Did you know there is more plastic in the ocean than plankton? The U.S. produces the most waste per capita and plastic pollution has become a huge problem across the globe, affecting countries who produce very little waste themselves. This documentary film discusses the way plastic has affected our oceans and identifies some solutions to help address this issue. Smallcakes cupcakes will be provided!

VEGAN FOOD TASTING

FOOD TASTING AND CONVERSATION

Tuesday, April 23 JEFFERSON LOUNGE
12 noon - 2 p.m.



The food choices that people make all have environmental impacts. Plant based diets are found in cultures around the world and are better for the environment than eating meat. There are numerous ways to reduce your food footprint, including choosing vegan foods! Attendees will learn about the benefits of these tasty, healthy alternatives, while sampling vegan treats.

RAP ACTIVIST: JOEY FINE RHYME

LECTURE AND INTERACTIVE EXPERIENCE

Thursday, April 25 KOTEN CHAPEL
12 noon - 1:30 p.m.

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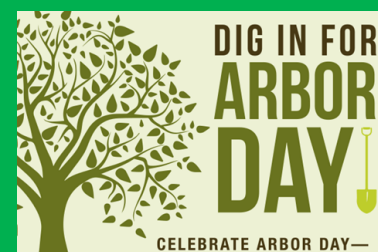


Chicago's own educator and rap activist Joey Fine Rhyme (aka Joey Feinstein) will host a fun, interactive experience based on the 5 R's: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, let it Rot and Refuse. Founder and director of Climate Cycle, an organization designed to inspire "students to green our world," Joey Fine Rhyme uses a pedal-powered sound system to engage his audience. Learn about how waste effects people around the world and how to practice the 5 R's!

ARBOR DAY TREE PLANTING

INTERACTIVE CELEBRATION

Friday, April 26 JEFFERSON PLAZA
12 noon - 2 p.m.



Internationally, deforestation occurs on unprecedented levels and in order to combat this problem it's best to plant trees. This past fall, North Central was accredited as an arboretum, so in celebration three trees will be planted on Jefferson Plaza. Come join in this celebration of our flourishing campus ecosystem. There will be snacks, a T-shirt raffle and information about our arboretum.

COFFEE TALK

LECTURE AND DISCUSSION WITH NORTH CENTRAL COLLEGE PROFESSORS
MATTHEW KRYSTAL, ERIN BERGREN, and ESRA TASDELEN

Tuesday, May 7 HEININGER AUDITORIUM, LARRANCE ACADEMIC CENTER
12 noon - 1 p.m.



There is a strong intersection between sustainability and coffee, as well as deep historical and cultural significance of coffee in certain regions of the world. Join Professor Tasdelen as she takes you through the history of coffee through Yemen, Ethiopia, the Ottoman Empire and to Europe, and then hear Professors Matt Krystal and Erin Bergren discuss the social, cultural, and environmental efforts tied to responsibly sourcing coffee and coffee products.