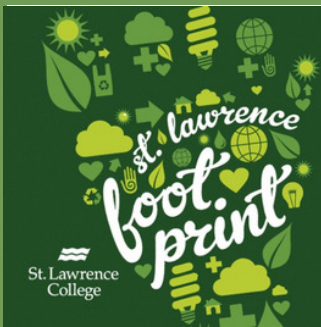


March 2019

SLC Footprint

Monthly Theme: Electronic Waste



“When you put the whole picture together, recycling is the right thing to do.”
– Pam Shoemaker, Author



Where to safely dispose of E-Waste on your campus! Click your campus to find the location on your Green Maps!

[Kingston- I.T Services & ASC Tech Shop](#)

[Brockville- I.T Services](#)

[Cornwall- Room A-201](#)

E-rase your E-waste!

Electronic waste, also called e-waste, are various forms of electric and electronic equipment that are outdated and unwanted.

E-waste is categorized into two groups, “white goods” such as refrigerators, washing machines, and microwaves and “brown goods” such as televisions, radios, computers, and cell phones. Given that the information and technology revolution has exponentially increased the use of new electronic equipment, it has also produced growing volumes of obsolete products; e-waste is one of the fastest-growing waste streams.

Refuse. Reduce. Repair. Reuse. Recycle.





E-Waste Hub



SLC Tackles E-Waste!

We have partnered with the Ontario Electronic Stewardship (OES) to have permanent e-waste drop-off bins at all three campuses in Kingston, Brockville, and Cornwall so SLC diverts all hazardous e-waste from entering landfills.

E-Waste We Accept!

TV's, monitors, non-cellular phones, personal desktop computers, personal laptops, computer peripherals, desktop printers, personal/portable audio systems, home audio/video systems, home theatre systems, floor standing photocopiers, vehicle audio/video systems, and cellular devices.

Why is E-Waste a Problem?

When electronics end up in landfills, toxics like lead, mercury, and cadmium leach into the soil and water.

The electronic waste problem is huge: More than 20 million tons of e-waste are produced every year ([iFixit.org, 2018](https://www.ifixit.com/News/Articles/2018/01/24/e-waste-problem)).

Our Partners- Ontario Electronic Stewardship (OES)

The Ontario Electronic Stewardship – an industry-led, not-for-profit organization that operates the regulated recycling program in Ontario. They ensure that end-of-life electronics are handled in a safe, secure and environmentally-sound manner.

67 million devices have been diverted from landfill since the program started in 2009! Find out more here: ontarioelectronicstewardship.ca



Ontario Electronic Stewardship

Tri-Campus E-Waste Drives!

E-Waste Drive March 23rd!
11:00-3:00 PM

On Saturday March 23rd Footprint will be holding an e-waste community drive event in the main parking lot! Bring all your e-waste in so you divert your hazardous waste from landfills! Footprint will provide lunch to volunteers!



Meet our Team!

Sustainability Manager!

Brooke Gilmour: Brooke is the Sustainability Manager for St. Lawrence College and operates in Facilities Management Services and drives sustainable action on our three campuses!

Sustainability Marketing Assistants- Kingston, Brockville, and Cornwall!

Shaun Hodgins, Brockville: Shaun Hodgins is a mature student in the Mental Wellness and Addiction program on the Brockville campus. Shaun has a long history with sustainability having graduated with a Bachelors of Environmental Studies from the University of Waterloo in 1991.

Samantha McCormick, Cornwall: Samantha is currently enrolled full time in the second semester of the Business Accounting program. She is a committed and driven individual who is passionate about marketing and sustainability.

Jadon Hook, Kingston: Jadon is in his second year of the Business Administration Marketing program, he is currently doing a placement at Sustainable Kingston and is heavily involved in Enactus.



March Events



What's happening SLC?

Have an upcoming event you want to have appear in the Footprint Newsletter? Just email the details to footprint@sl.on.ca

Green Action Group-First Meeting on Kingston Campus!

The Kingston Green Team will be hosting the first Green Action Group in St. Larry's Pub on Friday the 29th of March at 6:00 pm! Come and receive a discount on your drink or food!

Behavioral Science Meets Environmental Sustainability! Kingston Campus!

The Behavioral Science group will be hosting an event in St. Larry's Pub March 20th from 4:30-6:00 PM! Come listen to leaders and students on a panel discussion!



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