Thank you for your interest in participating in the first Live Life GREEN! Film Festival Competition. It is our hope that through this opportunity we will be able to highlight the talents of students while increasing sustainability awareness across our campus community.

This year's Live Life GREEN! Film Festival will be on Friday, November 9 at 6:00 PM in the Carrington Theater. All contestants must submit their entries by Monday, November 5, 2012 at 5:00 PM to the Residence Life, Housing and Dining Services-Facilities and Operations Office in Hammons House 107 Office in order to be considered for the competition. We are looking for short films that encourage students to remain sustainable while highlighting already practiced sustainability efforts across campus, and specifically in the Residence Halls. Individuals who submit films will have the opportunity to win the following prizes:

1st Place: $300 gift card and $100 sustainable items prize pack
2nd Place: $100 gift card and $100 sustainable items prize pack
3rd Place: $50 gift card and $50 sustainable items prize pack

The following pages within this packet explain all guidelines required within the contest. Please be sure to follow the criteria within this registration packet in order to be considered for the festival. Again, thank you for your interest and we look forward to your participation.

Good luck!

The Residence Life, Housing and Dining Services
Sustainability Committee

For questions, please contact Brittany Miller at Brittany008@live.missouristate.edu
Sustainability Film Festival Guidelines

- Films are to be between 3-5 minutes in length.

- All films must be submitted to the Residence Life, Housing and Dining Services- Facilities and Operations Office located in Hammons House 107 Office by 5 pm on Monday, November 5, 2012.

- Submitted entries should be on a DVD+R or DVD-R, labeled with the film title, submitter’s name, and contact information (phone and email address). Please do not use a paper label or sticker, because it could render your disk unplayable. Please use a sharpie or permanent marker to label the disk. A direct image on the disc is acceptable.

- **Please make sure the DVD+R or DVD-R plays in a standard DVD player.** Please do not place just a data file on a standard DVD, and do not use a Blue-ray DVD. If DVD is unplayable, the film festival will contact you for a replacement DVD.

- All entries must be turned in with a complete Official Entry Form. (see last page of packet)

- All films will be prescreened by the Residence Life, Housing and Dining Services Sustainability Committee. The selection committee and juries’ decisions are final in all respects.

- All films submitted may not be showcased. You will be notified if your film is chosen/not chosen as part of the Live Life Green! Film Festival.

- Students must have played a vital role in the production of the film. A Missouri State University student living in a residence hall must be the sole creator of the video, special effects, and all aspects of the film.

- Actors and assistants are acceptable for production. However any participants shown in the film must sign a release form to be visible in the film. All release forms need to be submitted with Official Entry Form. (See release form within packet)

- DVDs will not be returned at the event. If you would like your DVD back, you may stop by the Hammons House 107 Office by Friday November 16, 2012 at 5:00pm.

- The submitting participant must be present at the Live Life GREEN! Film Festival (Friday, November 9, 2012 from 6-8PM) to win.

- Music used in the film must be original content unless written permission is obtained from the artist.

- If the creator has developed a film used for a classroom project it is fine to use as long as the criteria is met for theme, originality, and meets the guideline: A Missouri State University student living in a residence hall must be the sole creator of the video, special effects, and all aspects of the film.

- The submitted film must have been solely created within the year of 2012.

- All of Missouri State University’s and Residence Life, Housing, and Dining Services policies are enforced during the making of this film. No policies should be broken or shown broken in the film.
Copyrighted Material

You must clear all copyrighted material included in your film before you can publicly screen it. However, the film festival will not be responsible for ensuring that materials have been cleared, nor will we be held responsible for any inclusion of non-cleared materials in your film. It is the sole responsibility of the student submitting the project to secure permission from the copyright holder of the material in question, whether it is music, stock footage, or any other elements that could violate an existing copyright. Rights holders often offer reduced rates for festival films, so you should contact them directly to avoid any possible rights infringements. If it is found that any materials within your film are not cleared, you will not be considered to win.

Film Expectations

The theme of this competition is Live Life GREEN! We are looking for films that encourage students to live sustainably across campus and specifically within the Residence Halls as well as highlight some of the features at Missouri State University that allow students to live sustainably. Because all participants must live within the residence halls, it is highly encouraged that you focus your productions toward sustainability within Residence Life. Creativity, originality, and interesting points of view about sustainability are expected. We are looking for great films that meet the theme, originality, and expectations listed within this packet.

Judging of the Films

Judging at the film festival will be overseen by a panel of judges at the event (chosen by the sustainability committee). Those judges will choose the first, second, and third place winners. The judges’ choices will be combined with a popular vote from the audience present at the film.
Likeness Release Form

The undersigned hereby irrevocably consents to and authorizes the use by Missouri State University, its officers and employees, (“University”) of the undersigned’s image, voice and/or likeness as follows: The University shall have the right to photograph, publish, re-publish, adapt, exhibit, perform, reproduce, edit, modify, make derivative works, distribute, display or otherwise use or reuse the undersigned’s image, voice and/or likeness in connection with any product or service in all markets, media or technology now known or hereafter developed in University’s products or services, as long as there is no intent to use the image, voice and/or likeness in a disparaging manner. University may exercise any of these rights itself or through any successors, transferees, licensees, distributors or other parties, commercial or nonprofit. The undersigned acknowledges receipt of good and valuable consideration in exchange for this Release, which may simply be the opportunity to represent the University in its promotional and advertising materials as described above.

Please indicate your agreement to the foregoing by signing below.

Signature: ___________________________ Print Name: ___________________________

Address: ______________________________________________________________________

Telephone: ___________________________ Date: __________

If you are under eighteen (18) years of age, your parent or guardian must sign below:

I represent that I am a parent/guardian of the minor who has signed the above release and that in that capacity University has my consent and authorization to use the name, voice and/or likeness as described above.

Parent/Guardian:

Signature: ___________________________ Print Name: ___________________________

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Missouri State University’s

Live Life GREEN! Film Festival

Presented By: Residence Life, Housing and Dining Services

**Official Entry Form**

Please fill out this form and return it along with your accompanying DVD and release forms to the Residence Life, Housing and Dining Services- Facilities and Operations Office located in Hammons House 107 Office by 5 pm on Monday, November 5, 2012. Please label your DVD with the title and contact information (name and phone number).

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