



Dedicated club members (from left) Adrienne McGraw, Chris Warner, Kathy Donnelly, Jamie Johnson, and Nicole Smith sit on top of newspapers that will go to the recycling center. Several large recycling containers that hold paper, newspapers, cardboard, cans, and bottles are located on Barstow Avenue between Maple and Woodrow avenues.

"We need to keep contacting him and expressing our concerns. He's a 'Greener' president."

Kristi Hutchison,
Ecology Society founder,
on President John Welty

Although the Ecology Society's greatest moment in the sun may be the annual Earth Day, the group shines year-round with its message for students to make every day Earth Day.

"First and foremost, the goal of the Ecology Society is to educate people," says Kristi Hutchison, the student who founded the Ecology Society. "Education is the best way to change things, and people respond when they hear what we are doing. They *want* to help. They *want* to do something. And that 'something' is changing their lifestyles to improve the environment."

Among their efforts to bring about change, club members encourage the campus community to recycle paper, newspaper, bottles, and cans. In addition, they collaborate with the track team to provide the appropriate recycling bins. By promoting such simple habits as recycling, the group is able to meet another one of its goals: to promote the belief that every individual effort makes a difference.

"It's important for people to realize that one person does make a difference," says club President Adrienne McGraw. "Some people think, 'What can I do? I am only one person.' Well, let's say there are a million people who think that, and if all those million people did something positive to help the environment, they would be helping the Earth heal itself."

Multae Gentes, Una Terra.
Many People, One Earth.



Taking it slowly, two visitors enjoy the exhibits during a campus Environmental Organizations Fair on Earth Day. Oh yes, Karen Williams (left) and Christine Tuason also found the exhibits informative.

