

4. All individuals who are engaged in disruptive or non-peaceful action will be notified that they are trespassing. Persons who continue to trespass after notification are subject to arrest (by a Peace Officer or by Private Person, California Penal Code Section 834).

5. Individual Claremont Colleges and CUC may bill students or file civil suits to recover damages and costs.

6. While officials at affected colleges or CUC may temporarily revoke any or all student privileges or take steps to end disruptive or non-peaceful protests, the college at which the student is enrolled, and only that college, may adjudicate complaints and make final decisions about alleged violations of conduct, apart from those decisions made by a court of law.

(Approved by the Council of Presidents of The Claremont Colleges, November 2001).

## **“The Farm” Use Rules**

“The Farm” is the property of Pomona College and subject to all regulations and use rules that govern the campus. The farm is dedicated to the study and practice of sustainable agriculture. This may include Permaculture, Natural farming, Bio dynamics, Bio Intensive Methods, Ecological Farming, Herb/Medicinal Gardening, Native Wildflower Gardening, Butterfly Habitat, and Heirloom Seed Saving.

The Wash, where the farm is located, is a multi-use area preserved for recreation, natural beauty and athletics. Because of its multipurpose nature, the area of the Wash available for use and cultivation by the farm is restricted to the area within marked boundaries. Use or cultivation outside of this area is not permitted.

The following policies govern use of the farm:

1. Fires are not allowed on the Farm.
2. Five-College Identification must be present upon request by students who are on the Farm premises. Pomona students may have guests although the guests must have guest passes and the Pomona student who is hosting must be with the guests while they are on the Farm. Guest passes may be obtained

at any Resident Advisor desk, at the Office of Campus Life, or at the Smith Campus Center Building Manager's window.

3. Alcohol is not permitted on the Farm.
4. The Farm is open for use by Pomona students and their guests and Five-College students from one hour before sunrise until one hour past sunset.
5. Non-College-aged students (i.e. high school and elementary school students) who are brought to campus by students and are not under the direct supervision of faculty may visit the farm only with the approval of the Dean of Students.
6. Registered events at the Farm may be approved to run until 9:00 PM.
7. Amplified sound or drumming is permitted only as part of a registered event.
8. The farm should be kept clean and neat, without unnecessary trash and litter, in accordance with Pomona College standards.
9. Students and guests are asked to walk on paths and on the clover and to avoid walking on the vegetables.
10. Students and guests are asked to return tools to their proper location after use.
11. Trash must be disposed of; compost and recycling should be placed in proper receptacles.
12. Students and guests may plant, water, weed and harvest as long as they exercise care in doing so.

Contact a farm manager if you have questions or would like to learn about the Farm's routine practices and philosophies. Please enjoy the Farm. Tours are offered daily. Please respect the efforts of the students who work to make the farm a pleasant and viable experience.

## **Fire Equipment Misuse Policy**

Proper use of fire systems and fire emergency equipment is essential for the protection

of all members of the community. Students alone or in concert with others may not tamper with, discharge or play with fire extinguishers, fire doors, smoke detectors, exit lights, or tamper with or pull a fire alarm under false pretenses.

In addition, prompt and cooperative response to fire alarms, in accordance with college emergency procedures, is required of every resident and guest. All students must evacuate the building during any fire alarm.

Any student who is responsible, alone or in concert with others, for misuse of a fire extinguisher or other emergency firefighting equipment will receive a mandatory fine for a first offense. **This fine can be appealed to the Judiciary Council only on the basis of dispute about the facts of the incident.** In case of a violation for which the responsible person is not identified, the fine can be levied against a residence hall at the discretion of the Dean of Campus Life. A second offense will result additionally in withdrawal of campus housing and dining privileges for at least one full semester. At the discretion of the Dean of Campus Life, second offenses may be referred instead to the Judiciary Council with a recommendation for a stronger penalty.

Actions which set off building fire alarms disrupt the residents, violate state law, and endanger others. Any student who willfully commits such an offense will be fined \$500.

A student whose campus privileges have been withdrawn for this reason may, after spending at least one full semester in off-campus housing, petition the Dean of Campus Life to resume residency on campus under terms agreed upon by the Dean.

**All individuals present in a building when a fire alarm sounds are required to evacuate the building immediately, in accordance with standard emergency procedures.** Any student who does not cooperate with these procedures will be fined on a first violation, and the automatic fine will be doubled for each subsequent violation. Habitual refusal to cooperate will result in referral to the Judiciary Council with a recommendation of withdrawal of campus housing and dining privileges.

California law establishes criminal penal-

ties for willful and malicious tampering with fire protection equipment or sounding false alarms.

The state and local fire codes, as well as Pomona College policy, require the following:

1. It is prohibited, negligently or intentionally, to set a fire of any size or type in or around any residence hall on campus. Open flame devices, including incense and candles, (excluding cigarette lighters and matches) are not allowed in the residence halls.

2. Placing furniture, bicycles, boxes, or any item in such a way that obstructs emergency evacuation procedures is a violation of the state fire codes. These codes are strictly enforced by staff.

3. Corridors and exit doors are to be kept clear of obstruction at all times.

4. Lighted candles or open flames in the residence halls are not permitted.

5. Excessive amounts of combustibles, such as paper, paper products, textiles attached in the room or attached to walls or ceilings, or as room dividers, are a fire hazard and are not permitted.

6. Corridor decorations and signs shall be made of nonflammable materials treated with an approved fire retardant. Trees or any branches used for seasonal decorations must be treated with an approved fire retardant and so tagged.

7. Flammable liquids shall not be stored or used in any residence hall.

8. The use of a non-approved cooking appliance is prohibited.

9. Motor scooters, motorcycles, and other vehicles which have gas tanks cannot be stored anywhere in the residence halls at any time.

10. Gasoline, kerosene, and other combustibles are fire hazards and are prohibited in the residence halls.

In all of these matters, students are responsible for the behavior of any guests, including students from the other Claremont Colleges, who are present in a building at their invitation, and penalties may be assessed on the hosts for violations committed by their guests.