Light Bulb Replacements

As an energy-savings measure, we are in the process of upgrading our lighting within the labs and common spaces with LED lamps in place of fluorescent lamps. This change not only improves lighting but will save approximately 24,000 watts of power per year. This is just the beginning of our endeavor to save power through lighting changes. We are currently surveying the rest of the building to quantify the amount of lamps we can change to LEDs. We have been able to accomplish this lighting change and future lighting changes thanks to the support from the Harvard University Sustainability Office. We anticipate replacing several thousand more lamps by the end of the year.

Math Department Renovations

Renovations will continue in the Math Departments through late August. This work will improve and expand on student and faculty workspace. Wise Construction is currently renovating and modifying locations in the Math Department on the second, third, and fifth floors. Faculty and students will greatly benefit from these changes with additional study/collaboration areas.

Classroom Renovations

Classroom 216 is currently under renovation. This renovation will improve classroom seating, lighting, and audio-visual. All existing furniture is being replaced with moveable tables and chairs. The new configuration will be a change in view as students will face west instead of south. The classroom will be ready for the start of the fall term.
Harvard Phone Project

Starting on Monday, August 3, HUIT-CTS Harvard Phone will be conducting a survey of all telephone jacks in the building for the upcoming phone service upgrade. A security guard will escort Remo (Cam) Apse from Telecom through the building. The intent is to survey without moving any office furniture or disturbing any room occupants. The survey will be conducted from 7am-2pm on Monday and Tuesday (and possibly on Wednesday).

Café New Management/ New Choices

HUDS is pleased to announce Michelle Gray as the Greenhouse Café Unit Manager. Michelle comes to the Greenhouse from Dunster Mather where she was the Assistant Manager in the Residential Dining program. Michelle is also happy to introduce some changes that have been implemented at the Greenhouse this summer. Some of the changes include a seasonal fresh fruit bar, soft serve ice cream, and antipasto bar. Also, as an added entrée choice, try the fresh Taco salad bowl along with our Monsoon Indian station Thai. Please come by and welcome Michelle when you get a chance.

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Freshman Move-in Day: Tuesday, Aug. 25

On Move-in Day, there will be many activities going on in the building: Crimson Key Society; FDO Opening Days & Welcome to the Community; HUIT-FAS First Year Fair; HUMS package distribution; HAS linen distribution; Math Dept. Conference.
EMS RoomBook & Fall Term Scheduling

- **August 3**: The Registrar’s Office will send departments a preliminary list of fall term course classroom assignments.
- **August 4**: Building Operations will begin scheduling classrooms for course sections and events. Science Center departments and building occupants should log into RoomBook: http://roombook.harvard.edu/. Under the Reservations select Science Center Occupant Request. This template is made available only to building occupants and will give you first dibs on requesting rooms for sections and events. Academics take precedence over all room bookings in FAS classrooms. You are able to submit requests now.
- **August 10**: The Registrar’s Office will inform faculty of fall term assignments.
- **August 15**: EMS RoomBook will be made available to all to request classroom space for sections and events in all FAS classrooms, including the Science Center.
- **September 2**: Fall term classes begin.
- **September 9**: Study Card Day.
- **September 16**: The approximate date when the fall term course classroom schedule will be finalized.

Message from the Building Manager

Building Operations would like to send a fond farewell to Julie Schlenker Murthy in Chemistry and Colleen Burgess in the Bok Center as they leave their current assignments at the Science Center to pursue new endeavors. Good Luck! We welcome back to the Science Center Sirinya Matchacheep as the Director of Instructional Laboratory Programs. Also, let us introduce Keife Beckford, summer intern in Building Operations.

There are 419 telephones & 2888 connected data ports in the building.