Earth Day 1990:

Sunday, April 22, 1990 marked the twentieth anniversary of Earth Day. This celebration, intended to draw attention to the plight of our natural surroundings, featured events which will continue on campus through May 2. Two lecture series, sponsored by Middlebury Student Pugwash and Environmental Quality, offered a preview to Sunday’s festivities. Earth Day 1990 was kicked off by a Primal Scream heard across campus at midnight. Sunday there was an outside festival organized by Environmental Quality. Students ate a picnic lunch off dining hall china while listening to speakers and several bands. Movies and speakers will round out this year’s commemoration of our natural surroundings. Even the insulated mugs sold by Environmental Quality outside Proctor Dining Hall read, “Earth day every day.”