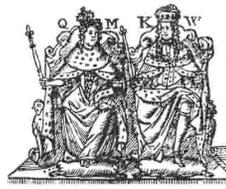


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"Don't you worry 'bout a thing." ---Stevie Wonder

My To Do List

1. Make an appointment with a reference librarian to help with my papers. I know they live for this stuff.
2. Speaking of stuff, I need to watch mine. Somebody who works at Swem told me that, looking into an empty group study during finals last fall, he calculated he could easily have walked away with \$6,000 in computers and software. Frankly, I'd rather spend that money at Wawa.
3. Take a break at Swem during finals. This year, in addition to the usual coffee, donut holes, puzzles, and gift cards, they're entertaining us with therapy dogs, ice cream from Ben & Jerry's, and a photo booth. And don't forget the free massage chairs! Those people at Swem are so nice.
4. Return my library books before I leave. Apparently they do know where I live.
5. Since I'm upgrading to a better computer, I need to use the KillDisk at Circulation to clear my hard drive. I sure don't want the next person who gets my computer to get my personal info as well.
6. Take a deep breath.
7. Let it out.
8. RELAX! Summer is right around the corner!

Reserve a Group Study Room!

Here's some Swem news The Throne knows will interest you: each of the 32 group study rooms can be reserved for 2 hours at a time. During finals we will close them for cleaning between 4:00am and 8:00am. All tents, sleeping bags, coffee cups, pizza boxes, and students must be removed during these hours. You're welcome to study elsewhere in Swem while the group studies are closed, but why not go home and take a shower? After all, a clean group study room deserves a clean you.



Your bed called. It misses you...

Get some sleep. We love your company during finals, but did you know that sleep promotes memory formation? Don't pull an all-nighter – take a power nap here at Swem; or better yet, head back to your dorm for a good night's sleep. Counting sheep won't be on your calculus exam, but getting enough sleep will help you perform your best – count on it! We at The Throne have been there.



"Water too pure breeds no fish"---Mao Tse-Tung

Earth Day is April 22 this year. What better way to celebrate our great planet than to patronize the new HYDROBOOST BOTTLE FILLING STATION on the 1st floor? The water is filtered (no yucky Williamsburg water taste—or fish, either), the dispenser is easy to use, and there's even a counter to let you know how many plastic water bottles you're saving. Shout out to SASSY, Swem's Sustainability Committee, and Facilities Management for their donation of time & money.