

*The Covid-19 pandemic has had a tremendous impact on our campus and community. The people of UK Facilities Management remain the “boots on the ground” for UK, providing the essential services needed to keep our campus safe, secure, and positioned to respond to the evolving crisis. The strength each of you demonstrate daily is inspiring and represents such courage and compassion. We are in this together and we will get through it together. **Thank you for everything you do.** – Mary Vosevich, Vice President for Facilities Management*



Innovation, initiative, efficiency, and collaboration have always been critical to our success in Facilities and they are even more important as we find balance in the fluid conditions resulting from our collective efforts to protect the health of our community. **Rodney Moberly, UK Grounds Team Lead**, provided a perfect example of this approach earlier this week. **UK Grounds** has needed gravel at their greenhouse to cover a heavily used area that was often muddy and difficult to navigate. **Rodney** observed a milling and paving job taking place at the corner of University and Cooper Drives and spotted an opportunity to turn the waste from one project into a resource for another. He approached the contractor and partnered with them to have the milled pavement dumped at the greenhouse so Grounds could use it instead of buying gravel.

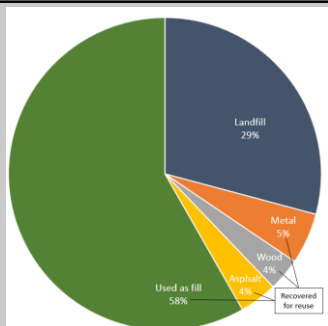


UK Recycling has championed UK's effort to reduce waste through closed-loop systems for materials management for decades. This spring, UK Recycling's **Esther Moberly and Joanna Ashford** partnered with their student interns, **Sophie Beavin** (2020) and **Antonio Zizzo** (2021) to provide the campus community with an innovative resource : A set of virtual guides for repairing common items instead of throwing them out. Originally planned as a campus **Fix-It Festival**, the team adapted and innovated to create online guides when the global pandemic caused the cancellation of all campus events. The guides are available on [Recycling's website](#) and were featured by [UKNow on 4.28.2020](#).



Way Back Wednesday – Stoll Field

You probably know Stoll Field, but do you know McClean Stadium? Until 1972, on either side of Stoll Field were two concrete grandstands that comprised “McLean Stadium”, home to the football Wildcats. The stadium was named for Price Innes McLean, center on the 1923 Wildcat football team who died on Sunday, October 8, 1923, “of injuries received in the hard-fought battle with the University of Cincinnati.” At the time, both the field and the stadium were named for Judge Richard Stoll, a Lexington attorney and UK Board Member. Following McClean's death, a group of students and friends petitioned the University to rename the stadium in his honor.



Facilities Fact: Demolition Debris

More than 70% of the debris from recent demolition projects was recycled. Projects, such as the current demolition of the Kirwan Blanding Complex, generate a tremendous amount of material that must be removed from the site. **UK Capital Projects Management** works with our contractors to minimize the amount that ends up in a landfill.

