“Fix a Leak Week” is the perfect time to focus on the prompt repairs of irrigation systems. With the “rainy” season almost over, irrigation systems are beginning to be turned back on. After being turned off through Winter, it is very common for equipment to have problems and leak when it’s turned on.

To keep leaks to a minimum on your home irrigation system, it is recommended to survey irrigation equipment before turning it back on. The most efficient way to do this is by turning on each zone and carefully checking for blocked sprinkler heads, broken lines, and leaking valves. Repairing any irrigation issues before the controller is turned on for the season is an important step in making sure water is not being wasted.

So how are we supposed to make sure irrigation systems on campus are running optimally? By reporting any issues that are found to the LBRE Operations Center at 723-2281, of course!

Stanford University is a very beautiful place where we are fortunate to be surrounded by beautiful landscaping. However, the campus is large which leaves a lot of opportunity for something to go awry. Be a Leak Detective and help keep the campus beautiful and irrigation efficient by reporting any leaks on campus to the LBRE Operations Center hotline. Leaks can only be repaired if Stanford Maintenance Staff become aware of the issues, do your part to stop leaks by reporting them!