



ECO Group Minutes

January/February 2017 – 01.02.17

Big Schools Birdwatch		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We need to ask one class to go out and do the Big Schools Birdwatch before the 17th February. The class can also make bird feeders too. We will display the bird information cards on the GP window for pupils to go bird spotting. 		
<u>Actions/Next Steps</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>By When</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mrs Houston to ask Mrs Hendron. Eco Group to insert data for the Big School's Bird watch on the 22.02.17 	Mrs Houston	Before 17 th February
Reminders for saving energy and recycling paper		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hamza and Mrs Littlejohn suggested that each class go back to having an Eco monitor for the lights and recycling. Group to go round classes on the 22nd February to give out Eco Elliot posters and light switch cards as replacements. Energy audit to be carried out on 22nd February. We need to analyse the data for the school and display this in the Eco display board. 		
<u>Actions/Next Steps</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>By When</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mrs Houston to remind the teachers about Eco Monitors. Most recent meter readings to be collated. 	Eco Group	22.02.17
Litter		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have completed two of the litter winner days and have given out tickets for this. Mrs Littlejohn is going to organise this. We will hand out a prize at the end of the term. Robbie mentioned that his friends did not want to put litter in the bins because they were covered in bird poo. He also said that he thought that they needed to be spread out a little more. 		
<u>Actions/Next Steps</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>By When</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mrs Houston to speak to Mr Thomson about the state of the bins. Mrs Littlejohn will choose different pupils to help with the litter winners. Posters from Primary 7 to be hung around the school. 	Mrs Houston Mrs Littlejohn and Eco group	ASAP
Charity Fundraiser		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Rhino group raised £840 for the Save the Rhino charity. 		
<u>Actions/Next Steps</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>By When</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mrs Houston to put up information about this on the Eco board. 	Mrs Houston	ASAP
Litter Policy		
We need to create a litter policy to show all the things that we are doing for litter in our school.		
<u>Actions/Next Steps</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>By When</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco group to think about ideas to share at the next meeting. 	Eco Group	22.02.17
Slopefield and Poly Tunnel		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We decided on what to grow in the poly tunnel. We will grow strawberries, rhubarb, tomatoes, cucumber, spring onions, carrots, peppers, garlic and onions. The Slopefield Timetable is nearly ready. We are hoping to release butterflies at Slopefield allotments. 		
<u>Actions/Next Steps</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>By When</u>
Seeds will be bought for a salad side and a soup side in the poly tunnel. Mrs Houston to speak to Primary 1 teacher Mrs Houston to give timetable to teachers.	Mrs Houston	ASAP
AOCB		
Next Meeting 22.02.17		
<u>Actions/Next Steps</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>By When</u>
Stations to be set up.	Eco Group	22.01.17

Present

Mrs Littlejohn, Mrs Houston and the Eco Group