

Eco News August 2010

We would like to introduce you to our new Eco Committee.



Our Committee consists of Children-Eva Downie, Eva Noble, Elise Love, Ross Duncan, Luke McKellar and Zak Gilmour.

Parent Helpers- Matthew McKellar, Gabrielle Watson and Lorna Jamieson. We would like to thank parents for volunteering.

Staff-Maryanne and Christina are the co-ordinators and will be supported by all other staff.

We will meet once a term to discuss environmental action for the nursery and it is the role of the children to take minutes from these meetings. This will be done in the form of picture taking and by using our camcorders. The discussions at these meetings will then be communicated to the rest of the nursery. Staff will send a copy of the

minutes taken home by email. Please feel free to provide suggestions or ideas you may have. Every child attending nursery will be involved with implementing the Eco standards and as such we felt it would be a good idea to send home the Eco song to encourage home links and aid everyone in learning the song. The song is sang to the tune of 1,2,3,4,5 once I caught a fish alive and was written by Liz.

For our parent helpers the dates for our meetings will be

Wednesday 6th October at 3pm

Tuesday 8th February at 2pm

Wednesday 18th May at 3pm

To begin working towards our first green flag staff felt it was a good idea to begin collecting stamps and help a charity called Hearing Dogs for the Deaf. Just by collecting your used stamps you can help raise funds for this charity. Information is placed on the front of the main desk at nursery or can be found at

www.hearingdogs.org.uk/fr_d_other_donate.php.

If anyone requires any information on Eco schools it can be found either on our parent notice boards or at www.ecoschoolsscotland.org or feel free to ask either Maryanne or Christina who will be happy to help answer any questions you may have.