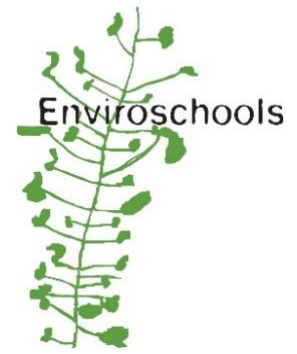


Enviro Matters April Newsletter



March has been a busy month on the Enviro scene. Many thanks to the parents and family members who have continued to support our Year 5 & 6 classes with their hands on Education for Sustainability sessions. We will be sending home a request for help with this next term and would really appreciate it if you can spare the odd Friday from 1.30 – 2.30pm. It makes a big difference!



Our Junior classes have been spending time discovering and making connections in our outdoor learning areas as well...learning to think like scientists.



We are very grateful to Trevor Allan, of Advanced Media in Awatoto, for his support of our activities and generous donations of potting mix throughout the year.

Seaweek

A big thank you to the senior Enviro Squad members who worked together to prepare two amazing quiz treasure hunts for the rest of the school. Congratulations to our many winners, all entrants received a prize!

Beach Clean Up

To celebrate Seaweeek. 27 of our yr 3 – 6 Enviro Squad members travelled to the beach at le Quesne Road for a clean up. Many thanks to the parents who supported us with this, it was also great to have our facilitator, Sonya, come along to join us. Unfortunately we were kept busy, collecting a large pile of rubbish from the beach and carpark area....well done to all involved!



Garden Visitors

On Wednesday 28th March the Enviro Squad hosted a group of 51 women from the Eskdale Gardening Club. This group meet regularly and undertake different tours and visits. They were most impressed with all we accomplish at Eskdale School and enjoyed their tours with our very capable and knowledgeable tour guides.



Spring Bulb Sales

Congratulations to the Hutchinson family who were the winners of our Family Prize Pack for selling the most spring bulbs, with an amazing \$290 worth of orders. They will enjoy visits to Laser Force, the Movies, Mini Golf, and a Family swim/slide pass, together with easter eggs, drink bottles etc. This fundraiser earned approx.\$300 for our EFS projects, many thanks to all who supported us. Your orders should arrive early in Term Two.



Planters for sale

A big thank you to Maizi Williams-Lamb and Lauren Harkness for creating these beautiful succulent planters. We have a large selection for sale at school, come on down and have a look or send us your orders, also available on Movie Night. Planter cups \$6 , bird feeders \$10. All proceeds to Education for Sustainability projects.

