

Meeting Agenda

Subject:	REEN Term 3 - Virtual
Venue:	Online Via MS Teams
Date:	Tuesday, 10 August 2021
Time:	4.00pm – 5.00pm
Chair:	Emma Tang and Bonnie Mackenney

AGENDA ITEMS

	Welcome	
	- Spring Garden Competition 2021	
	- Habitat Nursery giving schools, 50 free plants – mix of natives and or edibles. Please email Bev Debrincat at info@iewf.org	
1.0	Deliveries direct to school can be arranged if unable to collect from nursery	4.00pm – 4.05pm
	- SWAP entries extended to 26th September 2021	
	- Virtual Excursions available via Australian Environmental Education - https://www.australianenvironmentaleducation.com.au/virtual-excursions/	
	Guest Speaker 1 – Bill Flynn – CSIRO Sustainable futures and GLOBE	
2.0	program - Sustainable Futures Program - https://www.csiro.au/en/education/programs/sustainable-futures	
	 Sustainable Futures - encourages your students to develop skills in the process of inquiry, literature research, experimental investigation and critical thinking in an environmental and sustainability context. All classroom resources are free and accessible through the Sustainable Futures webpage. Including the latest findings on marine debris and the proposal to use hydrogen as a fuel of the future. Look out for a similar resource with a focus on bushfires in Australia and information regarding how First Nations land management practices are supporting risk mitigation. 	4.05pm – 4.25pm
	- Citizen Science GLOBE (NASA) Program - https://www.globe.gov/about	
	 The GLOBE Program – Is a worldwide community of students, teachers, scientists, and citizens conducting real-world research through local environmental data collection. With a hands-on approach to the scientific method, using protocols developed by the scientific community and validated by teachers. GLOBE activities span the K-12 age range and users have a number of options for uploading and accessing data, including the GLOBE Observer app. 	

	For more information please contact Bill Flynn – CSIRO Education Specialist – GLOBE Program Country Coordinator Email: William.flynn@csiro.au			
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	Guest Speaker 2 – Louise Roberts – Sydney Water School Education programs and excursion options			
3.0	 Sydney Water Education Program - https://www.sydneywater.com.au/SW/education/index.htm Sydney Water Talk - https://www.sydneywatertalk.com.au/hub-page/education 	4.25pm – 4.45pm		
	For more information please contact Louise Roberts			
	Email: <u>louise.roberts@sydneywater.com.au</u> OR			
	Education@sydneywater.com.au			
4.0	Guest Speaker 3 – Naomi Nicholas – Cool Australia - VISY Educational Resources			
	 Cool Australia Resources https://www.coolaustralia.org/learning-at-home-teacher-information/ 	4.45		
	For more information please contact Naomi Nicholas – Head of Community Engagement	4.45pm – 4.59pm		
	Email: naomi@coolaustralia.org			
	General Business			
	 Term 4 REEN meeting– 2 November 2021 – Field of Mars (COVID restrictions pending; otherwise on MS Teams) 			
5.0	 Oz Harvest – free webinars with Ronnie Khan – Thurs 19 August 2021 12 – 12.30pm https://education.ozharvest.org/science-week/ 	5.00pm		
Close meeting				