

Creating Young Leaders in Sustainable Development

This conference will enable practitioners to support learners to acquire the knowledge and skills needed to promote sustainable development (Global Goal 4.7). The conference will be a combination of workshops and activities to inspire and engage. There will be many opportunities to network, link research to practice and share your own knowledge and expertise.

Friday 16 March 2018

9.30am – 4.00pm - City Hall, 115 Charles Street, Leicester, LE1 1FZ

Lunch and refreshments will be provided

Who would benefit from this conference: EYFS practitioners, primary school practitioners secondary school practitioners and post 16 practitioners in higher education and university who have an interest in environmental education or sustainable development.



Why attend?

- Collaborate with colleagues across and within educational settings
- Address the role of research and development in education
- Contribute to transformative education to support ambitions regarding sustainable living and livelihood
- Understand the **Global Goals for Sustainable Development** in more detail
- Network with colleagues, receive resources and freebies
- Hear from regional and national partners including **Eco-Schools, Practical Action, Earthwatch, Buglife and Sustrans**

This event is £25 for practitioners & professionals and a reduced rate of £10 for university students

If your organisation would like to exhibit please get in touch

To book your place please go to goo.gl/77mNQ8 or email Lee.Jowett@leicester.gov.uk for further details

Outline of the day – 16 March 2018



We are pleased to announce our keynote is provided by **Professor Justin Dillon**, Professor of science and environmental education at the University of Exeter. He is an internationally-respected academic whose work covers science education and teacher education as well as environmental education. He recently became the president of the National Association for Environmental Education (NAEE).

Delegates will have the opportunity to attend 4 workshops during the day from:

- **Dr Andrew Reeves De Montfort University** - How do people become sustainability activists? Exploring transformative collective experiences in early adulthood and at university
- **Ben Evans, University of Leicester** – Local to the Global: The power of collaboration
- **Bobbie Harvey, FACE & Lisa Didier, Food for Life** – Food, farming and the future
- **Coralie Hopwood, John Muir Trust** - The John Muir Award and youth social action: Hand, heart and head learning
- **Lydia Allen, National Youth Agency – The Environment Now** - The Environment Now – Tackling environmental issues using digital technology
- **Bren Hellier, Practical Action** - Ditch the dirt...a STEM challenge
- **Sarah Eames, Primary Science Teaching Trust** – STEM and sustainability
- **Amber Robinson, Water Explorers** - Global learning with Water Explorers
- **Lee Jowett, Leicester City Council, Leticia Ozawa-Meida, De Montfort University** – Energy saving using the Edi-Net approach
- **Claire Plumb, Leicester Masaya Link Group** - Global challenges – sustainable solutions
- **Sarah Staunton- Lamb, Earthwatch** – Citizen Science and the Global Goals
- **Lee Wray-Davies, Eco-Schools, Keep Britain Tidy** – Eco-Schools- the largest education programme on the planet!
- **Amy Curnock, Leicester City Council** – Healthy Teeth, Happy Smiles! Oral health in primary care
- **Martha Rose, Leicestershire & Rutland Wildlife Trust** - Using the outdoors in literacy and numeracy lessons
- **Zoe Fleming, University of Leicester** – Measuring air quality around your school
- **Andy Chambers, South Derbyshire Environmental Education** - Fab Food: ideas for reducing your school's food waste

We will finish our day with a plenary question and answer session including Lee Wray Davies – Eco-Schools Manager, Keep Britain Tidy & Sarah Staunton-Lamb, Senior Engagement and Learning Manager, Earthwatch

Lunch will be provided by the Real Junk Food Project, Leicester

Market stalls will include: Polli:Nation • Healthy Teeth, Happy Smile • NYA • Kids Country – East of England Agricultural Society • Food for Life • FACE • John Muir Award • Practical Action • Global Learning Library • Big Stop • Jane Goodall Roots and Shoots • University of Leicester • De Montfort University • Leicester Eco-Schools • Sustrans • South Derbyshire Environmental Education



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