

Programme Name

EnvTLC Cluster

Aim:

To maintain and care for the building and grounds, to work towards creating welcoming surroundings and atmosphere, and to cultivate ideas for enhancing and maturing the physical learning environment for the community.

Objectives:

1. Ensure the general maintenance of the building is kept to an acceptable standard
2. Consider and develop proposals for the development of the building and grounds, and oversee the progress of any resulting projects to a successful and beneficial conclusion

Team Members:

Anca Rosales, Dave al Bahrani-Peacock (Co-ordinator), Fynn Stirm, Joan Rose, Kevan Lari, Maurice Dobie, Paul Robinson.

Meetings:

One formal meeting per year, Summer Term prior to Workweek (TBA), otherwise meetings occur as required dictated by events, projects and time constraints upon the members.

Ideas List:

1. Create an image library of maintenance requirements
2. Redecorate the main entrance interior, losing the 1950's state school ambiance that currently permeates the area
3. Redecorating the entire public and public areas, losing the 1950's state school ambiance..... as was done for the Kindy corridor
4. Remodel the main entrance, doors, reception etc.
5. Re-turf the rear playground
6. Create a fruit garden around the walls of the rear playground
7. Complete the external sports court
8. Complete the external classroom
9. Develop the Gym towards a genuine communal space

Resources Required:

1. Your time
2. Your practical concern for the surroundings in which our teachers work and our children learn
3. Your curiosity about or awareness of the importance of the physical setting for the educational outcomes, and the willingness to put these into practice
4. Ideas for enhancing the spatial environment of the school
5. A labour and skills pool

Links:

1. Fundraising Group
2. School Community Group
3. Playground & Garden Groups
4. Council of Management
5. College of Teachers

Community Involvement:

This is a group that the whole community can and should contribute too. Specifically with time, ideas, and skills devoted to particular projects, or simply by caring for the building and grounds as you all move through them on your daily round. We hope to engage your minds with the former, and trust the latter can be assumed.