Coffs Harbour Sustainable Schools Network -*2020 Fact sheet*

The Sustainable Schools Network (SSN) is forum for all teachers, educators and parents in Coffs Harbour who want to learn and share projects and opportunities for creative and practical environmental activities in their schools, centres and communities.

Facilitated by Coffs Harbour City Council the network meets **_once each term_** to ask questions, share ideas, learn something new and take a look at the great sustainability initiatives happening in schools, preschools and childcare centres locally and further afield.

The meetings themselves are also a great pathway to accessing new teaching and learning resources, streamlined access to grants and other Council initiatives and most of all it is support, advice and inspiration from your peers.

It's fun, friendly and there is always a cuppa and refreshments!

HOW DOES THE NETWORK RUN?

The network meets four times per year and run from **3.45pm – 5.00pm.** They are hosted by a different school each term and facilitated by Council and usually feature a visitor, and/or a practical activity each meeting. There is always a chance to talk to your peers share your news and take a tour of the host school to look at their sustainability initiatives large and small.

WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN!

- It's FREE and we have fun, we share and explore new classroom friendly activities
- Streamline communications for Council to schools
- Find out about workshops, events, training and grant opportunities
- Communicate with Council on training needs, grant requirements or other relevant requests.

We are always looking for schools or centres to host our network meetings, so please contact us if you would be interested. Host schools have the opportunity to share their sustainability achievements and show the group around the school grounds.

HOW TO JOIN

You can come along anytime! Please jessica.steinborner@chcc.nsw.gov.au Council's Sustainability Programs Officer or call 02 66484643 to join the Sustainable Schools list or simply find out when and where the next meeting is held.

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