**NEED meeting 13/07/2022**

**Attendees:**

Lucy Mottram, Kat Crenol, Sue Errington, Paul Martin, Chris Broadbent, Andy Bailey, Ben Totterdell, Time Rose, Charlotte Eddisford, Coral Smith, Louise Francis, Kelly Haynes, Rose Roberts

**Dr Lewis Winks talk:**

* Education at a Time of Emergency, University of Exeter
* In response to growing number climate emergency declarations, funding in March 2020
* Understanding of behaviour change, toolkit for practitioners, case studies, share experiences
* Mentoring with partners, research projects, reviews, workshops
* [lewis@lestari.org](mailto:lewis@lestari.org)
* Responses to climate anxiety, and how to include within the curriculum

**Updates:**

Sue Errington – Devon Development Education

* Predominantly Fairtrade Devon work, 2022 focus on Rwanda
* School linking lacking funding
* Training program for self-confidence has been successful
* Funding to celebrate and commemorate Wind Rush

Chris Broadbent – Planet Earth Games

* Building on school games
* Partnerships for sustainable activities
* Interested in partnering, chris@planetearthgames.org

Ben Totterdell – Exmoor National Park

* End of phase 1 of generation green project, NP joint project
* Opportunities for new schools, previously not worked with
* Targeted climate change workshops
* Young rangers program aimed at KS3
* Funding for outdoor centre through decarbonisation fund
* Job opportunity – learning and engagement assistant

Paul Martin – DWT

* Wilder Learning team
* Wildlife champions in South Hams schools, embed nature based learning
* Working with 45 schools
* New masters level training course for teachers

Charlotte Eddisford – Resource Futures

* Waste educators project delivering workshops
* 160 school, >9000 pupils last year
* Overseeing community impacts, local groups for sustainability

Coral Smith – DWT

* Wembury Marine centre
* 40 schools this summer term
* Supporting work experience students and school groups

Kelly Haynes – Environment Agency

* Plastics and sustainability team
* Preventing plastic pollution
* Big Bang stand
* Teacher training and STEM ambassador training

Louise Francis – DWT

* With Paul
* Developing new approach, nature trail around school grounds
* Develop into an app using GPS

Kat Crenol – Devon LNP

* NEED week in October
* Steering Group to prep and share with group

Lucy Mottram – DCC waste education

* Materials focus on website, including recycling
* Pushing of reduce and reuse
* Job opportunity, intern graduate waste management support officer

Paul Warwick – Plymouth Uni

* Responding to DfE climate and sustainability strategy
* Possible champion university, act as community hub for schools

Tim Rose – Farms for City Children

Rose Roberts – Northam Burrows

Andy Bailey – Dartmoor NP

**AOB:**

* 4th round of seedcorn funding projects
  + Need to progress from informal network
  + Could an external help move towards something further
  + Would be useful to have project set out, then wait for funding
  + Lots local organisations with expertise, but need for budget flow to help
  + Often time lag between strategy and funding
* NEED as a support partner for initial teacher training
  + Contribute not deliver
  + Sustainability connectedness, and organisation connectedness
  + A need for budget flow, rather than favours
  + CPD events funded externally often popular