

MIDDLESBROUGH ENVIRONMENT CITY

- **Middlesbrough Environment City (MEC)** was formed in 1992 and became a registered charity in 1998.
- MEC was one of only four Environment Cities in England – only Middlesbrough and Peterborough still use the name.
- MEC works closely with many partners including Middlesbrough Council along with others from the public, voluntary, community and private sectors to deliver a diverse range of projects each year.
- Projects include food growing, energy efficiency, cycling, youth engagement and outdoor play all using the One Planet Living approach



Registered Charity 1070131

ONE PLANET PIONEERS



LOTTERY FUNDED

OUR ENVIRONMENT
IS OUR FUTURE

Part of the Big Lottery Fund
Our Bright Future Programme

Nationally - One Planet Pioneers is part of Our Bright Future, a £33 million programme funded via Big Lottery Fund and run by a consortium of eight organisations which is led by The Royal Society of Wildlife Trusts.




Locally - One Planet Pioneers is a partnership between Middlesbrough Environment City, Tees Valley Wildlife Trust, Actes, Teesside University and a range of local community organisations.

Using the One Planet Living model of sustainability OPP engages young people between 14-21yrs in developing, designing and delivering a range of environmental sustainability projects across Middlesbrough. These bring community and environmental benefits to Middlesbrough whilst also broadening young peoples own skills, experiences and life chances.





ONE PLANET PIONEERS

TUESDAY 21ST FEBRUARY
10 am - 2 pm

HALF TERM ACTIVITY

COME AND JOIN US AT THE FORMER
LINGFIELD COMMUNITY
CENTRE
COULBY NEWHAM

14 TO 21 YRS OLD?
COME AND DISCOVER THE
CONSERVATION BENEFITS AND
TECHNIQUES OF CREATING A
HABITAT HEDGE

All tools provided
FLAT/STURDY SHOES ESSENTIAL

HALF TERM ACTIVITY

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS EVENT OR TO TALK ABOUT
OTHER OPPORTUNITIES CALL **NICKY OR CASPER** ON 01642 579839/579832
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www.wildlife-trust.org.uk/tees-valley




ONE PLANET PIONEERS

We are seeking young people 14-21 yrs
who would like to gain new skill and
experiences in managing wildlife
conservation



Event – Capture Your View of the Tees
Where – Maze Park (nr Tees Barrage)
When – Thursday 25th August
Time – 10-2pm

For more information contact
Becky Stanley Community Wildlife Officer on 01237 636592








ONE PLANET PIONEERS

Every Wednesday
5.30pm – 7.30pm

Hemlington Linx Youth project
Community Allotment
Opposite Hemlington Recreation centre






14 TO 21 YRS OLD?
COME AND DISCOVER HOW
TO GROW
VEGETABLES FROM SEED

All tools provided
OUTDOOR CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR
IS ESSENTIAL



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ONE PLANET PIONEERS

COMMUNITY ACTION DAY
LAST FRIDAY
EACH MONTH
10-3pm

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO GET
INVOLVED IN COMMUNITY
PROJECTS

ARE YOU AGED 14–21 yrs
Do you know a community that
needs our help?

Planting
Painting
No job too small





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WHAT DO ONE PLANET PIONEERS DO?



SEAL SURVEY

One Planet Pioneer volunteers assisting INCA (Industry Nature Conservation Association) and the River and Canal Trust monitor Grey and Common Harbour Seal populations at Tees Barrage.

Grey Seal is the prominent species at Tees Barrage, with occasional sightings of the Common Harbour Seal.

Capture your view of the Tees

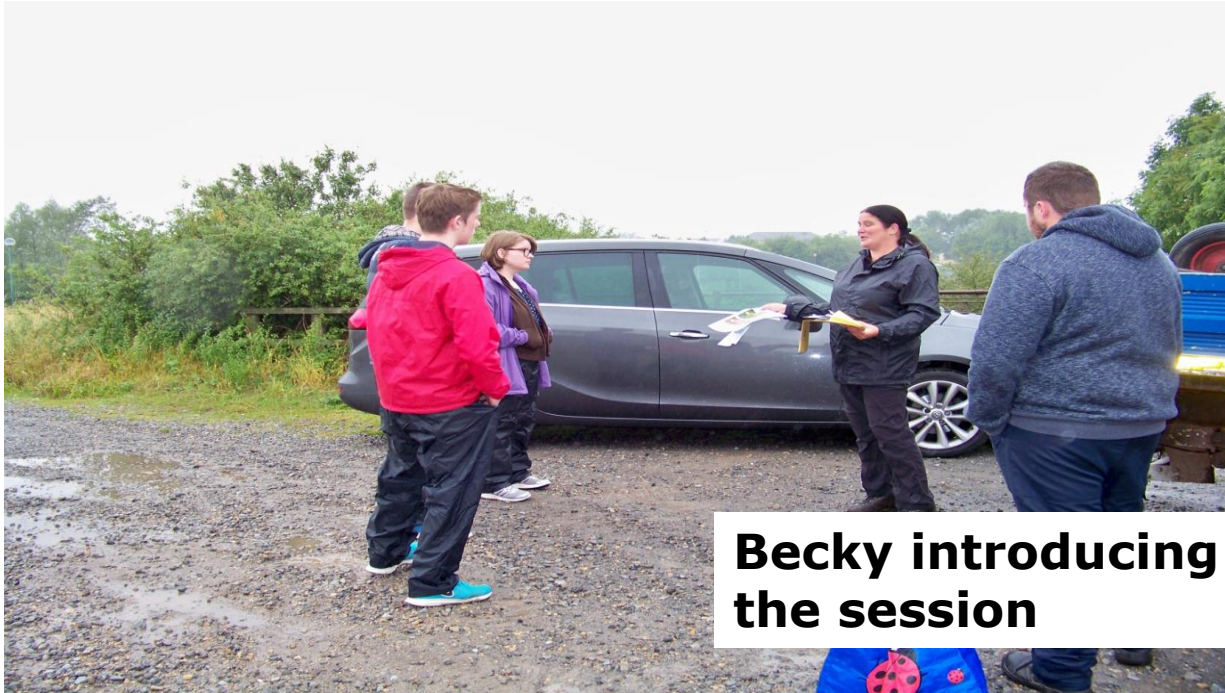
Volunteers were asked to pick one of the main subject areas listed below, then choose the topics they would like to discuss:

Transport
Housing
Industry
Green space
Climate



Example - Transport, we discussed:

- **Road building** – pollution and the effects of carbon dioxide – cars of the future
- **Cycle-ways** – safe use – safe routes – safe storage – links to work and leisure areas
- **Public transport** - links from housing to green spaces
- **Railways** – adequate routes – travel time – cost – links to work and leisure areas
- **Future transport** – pollution free – reliable – cost effective – links to all areas – boats



Becky introducing the session



Climbing up the mound at Maze Park to capture the best view



Noting their observations and thoughts



Discussing their findings

Creating 3D art work



Step 1



Step 2



Step 3

Exploring the River Tees



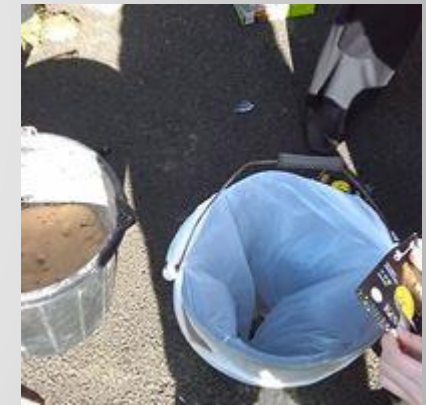
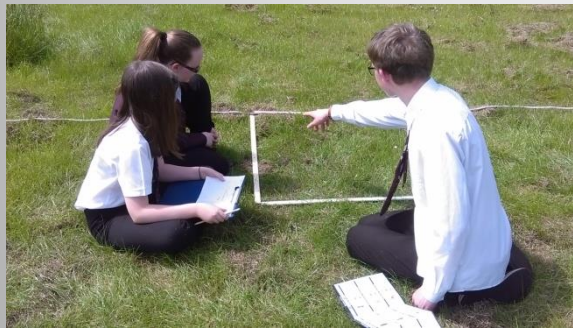
From Dry Land



From the Water



Wildflower Meadow – Macmillan Academy



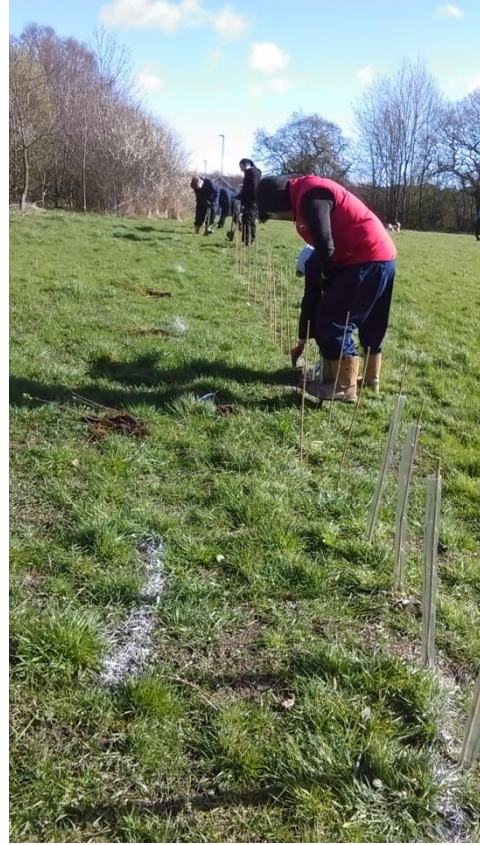


Sudbury Pond maintenance

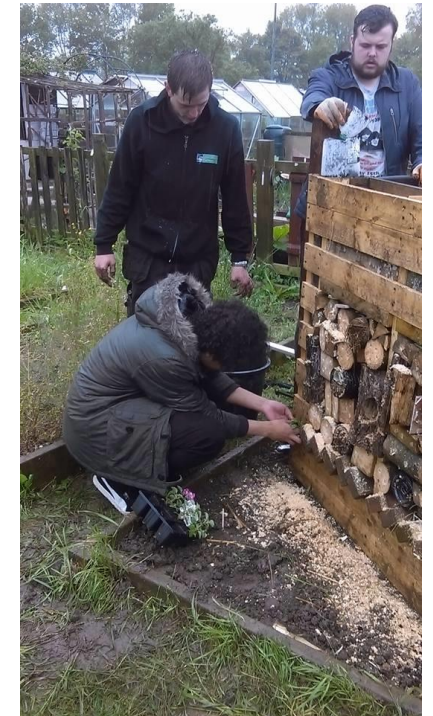


Water Vole & Otter Surveying





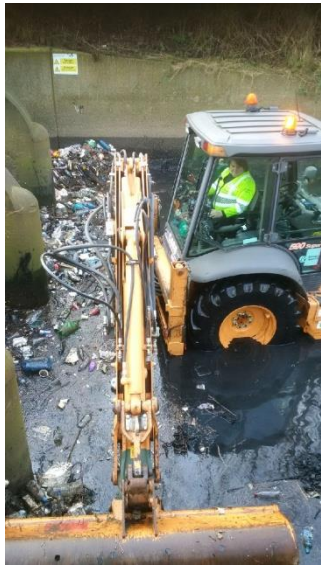
Planting Woodland Trust Tree Packs



Building Pollinator Habitat Boxes...



Community action....Litter picks



Working with the Environment Agency



Refurbished bench at Meador's Wood



Our Bright Future.....Our Environment is Our Future