



# Millbridge Elementary Schod's Upper Rain Garden & Green Team 2016





# **Building Excitement**





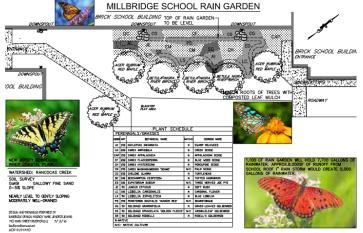
















# Positive student impact from the Millbridge playground, rain garden and buddy benches

1 pledge to be a Buddy Bench friend! Date CLASS



### Plan of Action

#### Earth Day 2016 Committee Meetings 1/6/16; 1/14/16; 2/3/16; 3/10/16; 3/22/16

#### Original Meeting Agenda to Establish the Committee

#### 1/6/16 2:30-3:30pm Millbridge Conference Room

Attendees: Erica De Michelle, Jennifer Lowe, John Karakashian, Laurie Fauvre, Jaime Murphy, Karen VandeVarst, Trisha Sorrentino

- Introductions- What is your anticipated involvement in Earth Day at Millbridge?
  - · Laurie Fauvre (Art teacher)-
    - April 19th 20th Art Nights for Families
      - Including Green Team sculptures
      - Green Team Powerpoint of events from the year in the library
      - DHS Green Team can sell plants
    - Perkins ARTS Residency
    - Want to Chair the committee at Millbridge to include all scheduling and curriculum for

### Blended Meetings- Face-to-Face and Virtual Meetings using Google Docs

- shared document
- comments
- chat feature

#### Ease of Access for All Participants

- Everything Accessible in One Place
- Tiered Activities Based on Teacher Interest
- Opportunities for Feedback
- Upper Rain Garden installation meetings
  - Problems addressed with Chris Russo and Mike DiGiovanni
  - Landscape design
  - Purchase of laminated design plan (see exemplar)
  - Planting Details
    - The NJDOH grant will provide all the planting trowels
    - Volunteers (DHS students, Burlington County Master Gardeners, PTA)
    - Rain Garden Schedule
    - Order

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- PERK test request by our architect- 3 Students volunteered
- Video creation with Adin Michol- not possible due to our HR requirements; thoughts on reaching out to <u>http://www.asheproductions.com/</u> or Phil Palumbo's students at DHS?
- Presenters/Assembly
  - <u>Doc</u>
  - Presenter form updated
  - Healthy snacks provided by NJDOH grant
  - Assembly is scheduled and paid for already
  - Music by DMS- Erin Gupta
- Press Release Assistance
  - Press Release Doc

## Keeping A Clear Purpose

**Reflective Questions:** 

- What is the focus/impact? People, Planet or Prosperity?
- How does/will this impact the Millbridge community?
- How will we determine student impact?
- What artifacts can be shared to demonstrate student learning?



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