

# Mountain Lakes Green Team Minutes

September 2013

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## Meeting with Sheila Hamill 8/20/2013

- New grants available September 30th 2013. 2nd round - \$20,000, \$10,000, \$2,000
  - Will hold individual meetings with the green team- Frank, Mimi, Jackie, Bob
  - Prepare the minutes for the website.
  - Work with Jackie and SJ to understand the website and upload new actions.
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## Meeting with Beth Azar 9/10/2013

- We discussed the importance of following the Action guidelines on the Sustainable Jersey website.
  - Add Paul Odenwelder to email list. He will head some Actions.
  - **Community Garden**- take out the shrubs around the circular part of Wildwood School and put in flower and herb gardens for the classes.
  - **Create a Project- health and Wellness**- Would like to apply for a grant for the fitness trail.
  - **Eliminate Idling**- Paul O.
  - **Recycling** with Mimi and Mark Presina
  - **Green Challenge**- Lights out Oct
  - Get Giraffe Club and Cultural Arts to sell environmentally friendly products and healthy foods not candy.
  - **Science Fair** - Make it environmental theme. March 13th. Students get the assignment Feb 24th or 25th. Use films for environmental inspiration- Carbon Nation and new short from Story of Stuff.
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## Meeting with Mimi 9/25/13

- Ann Mucci would like the schools to have a strong sustainable initiative this year.
- Will be doing a follow up audit around nov/dec.
- Briarcliff could be better. Mimi and Marnie will meet with Bryan Fleming to discuss possibilities and Briarcliff garden.
- Story of Stuff movies to be used at Wildwood. They are short and good intros to topics for kids.
- **Recycled paper** in Boro - Mimi will get more numbers to complete the Action.
- Send out flyer in backpack for volunteers to join the green team.
- Marnie will meet with Jeremy Davies (high school), Bryan Fleming (Briarcliff), Paul Odenwelder, Mark Presina (municipal), Janet Horst (Shade Tree), & Dave Fewell.