

W.o.W... what a year it has been!

Wow, what a year it has been for the Wipe Out Waste team (formally known as the Green Team) and the wider Moonee Ponds West community! Here is a short summary, told through photos of our (and YOUR) achievements this year:



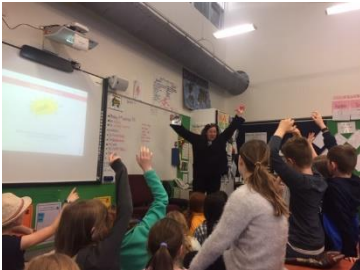
We started the year with an audit of our landfill, recycling and litter in the yard



We learned about contamination and inspected recycling bins in classrooms



We ended the year by auditing the same aspects of the school- what a difference we all made!



We had experts from CERES come to run a leadership workshop



Show Day saw many waste-themed stalls... and a lot less litter in general!



Groups investigated issues around our school including how litter ends up in our drains



We planted lavender to attract bees



We met with local café owners to negotiate more sustainable lunch order packaging



Classrooms integrated sustainability across the curriculum in our whole-school inquiry unit



We installed green bins in every room to collect food scraps



The Moonee Valley Leader wrote about our achievements



We attended a celebration at the Clocktower Centre and shared our successes with other local schools