

**bgen 2014 Conference**  
**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2014,**  
**Paignton Zoo Environmental Park**

**PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME**

**Learning for Sustainable Development; what have we  
learnt and where are we going?**

<b>Tuesday 5 November</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
4.00pm	Workshop sign-up begins	Redcliffe Hotel
6.00pm	Optional fun evening activity	Redcliffe Hotel

<b>Wednesday 5 November</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
9.30 – 10.15am	Registration and workshop sign up continues / Tea & Coffee	
10.15 – 10.45am	<b>Welcome to Conference and ice breaker</b>	Kate Measures, bgen Chair and Directors
10.45 – 11.00am	<b>Welcome to Paignton Zoo Environmental Park</b>	
11.00 – 1.00pm	<b>Guided Tours of the Park / Sustainability Trail</b>	
1.00 – 2.00pm	Lunch	
<b>Workshop Session 1</b> 2.00 – 3.30pm	<b>Shrapnel, salad, sandbags, silk stockings and sustainability;</b> World War Zoo Gardens	Mark Norris, Newquay Zoo
	<b>Food For Thought;</b> ideas from school linking to Child-centred Agricultural Extension Programme - interactive workshop related to work with primary schools on organic food growing.	Sue Errington, Devon Development Education
	<b>Devon Composting</b>	
3.30 – 3.45pm	Refreshments	
<b>Workshop Session 2</b> 3.45 – 5.15pm	<b>Shrapnel, salad, sandbags, silk stockings and sustainability;</b> World War Zoo Gardens	Mark Norris, Newquay Zoo
	<b>Food For Thought;</b> ideas from school linking to Child-centred Agricultural Extension Programme - interactive workshop related to work with primary schools on organic food growing	Sue Errington, Devon Development Education
	<b>tbc</b>	Sustainability & Environmental Education - SEED
5.15	Close	
6.30 - 7.45pm	Evening Event – Fireworks?	

**Thursday 6 November**

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Time	Activity		Location
9.00 – 9.10am	<b>Tea &amp; Coffee / Welcome to Day 2</b> - housekeeping, messages etc	Kate Measures, bgen Chair	
9.10 - 10.00am	<b>Micro Case Studies:</b> Send a Cow RBG Kew Grow Wild Forests for the Future		
<b>Workshop Session 3</b> 10 – 11.30am	<b>Why values matter to your work</b>	Ralph Underhill, Common Cause for Nature	
	<b>Planet Botanics</b> – making the case for ‘green activities. Children are turned into Green Inspectors and with help come up with new ideas for how to be ‘greener’ at the Garden, at school and at home.	Lynn Daley / Emma Williams, Oxford Botanic Garden & Harcourt Arboretum	
	<b>Beavers, Bugs, Chimps, Children and Botanics too;</b> knowledge and behaviour change with emotional engagement.	Stephen Wollard Edinburgh Zoo	
11.30 -11.45am	Refreshments		
<b>Workshop Session 4</b> 11.45 – 1.15pm	<b>Why values matter to your work</b>	Ralph Underhill, Common Cause for Nature	
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1.15 – 2.30pm	Lunch		
2.30 - 3.15pm	<b>bgen AGM Meeting</b>	All bgen members	
3.15 – 3.30pm	Refreshments		
3.30 - 5.15pm	<b>Speed Making</b> – carousel of delegate’s activities with 5 mins at each stop for individuals to engage.		
6.30 for 7.15pm	Conference Dinner, Redcliffe Hotel		

**Friday 7 November**

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Time	Activity	Location
9.00 – 9.10am	<b>Tea &amp; Coffee</b>	
<b>Workshop Session 5</b> 9.10 – 10.30am	<b>Designing a Community Garden</b> using permaculture design principles.	Hedvig Murray, Freelance
	<b>Promoting Wildlife in Gardens with Schoolchildren;</b> using activities that can be implemented in schools as a contribution towards eco-awards.	Clare Hill, National Trust
	<b>Gamification;</b> how simple games played with visitors can lead to behaviour change to support biodiversity conservation.	Lisa Stroud, Paignton Zoo Environmental Park
10.30 -10.45am	Refreshments	
<b>Workshop Session 6</b> 10.45 – 12.15pm	<b>Designing a Community Garden</b> using permaculture design principles.	Hedvig Murray, Freelance
	<b>Beyond the walled garden;</b> taking botanical expertise into the community.	Asimina Vergou, Botanic Gardens Conservation International
	<b>Gamification;</b> how simple games played with visitors can lead to behaviour change to support biodiversity conservation.	Lisa Stroud, Paignton Zoo Environmental Park
12.15 – 1pm	Optional Lunch - End	