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GREEN SCHOOL

A NATIONAL CONVENTION TO SHOWCASE STUDENTS' EXPERIENCE IN ADOPTING A MORE RESPONSIBLE ATTITUDE TOWARDS PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT



From left to right, Dr K. Coonjan, NPCC Executive Director, Dr V. Buiwaree, Minister of Education and Human Resources, Mr R. Mungur, NPCC Chairman and Mr A. Narassiah Marketing Manager State Informatics Ltd. launching the Green Game



Over the past two decades, Mauritius has been experiencing sustained economic growth with an increase in the standard of living and is now classified in the middle income economy. The consumption patterns of the population, specially the younger ones, have changed drastically compared to the eighties. Increased economic activities and the increase in economic wellbeing are reflected most vividly in the increased quantum of waste generation and its associated disposal load. The corollary to these changes has been the progressing environmental stress both in terms of resource demand and waste disposal in the environment.

Given that today's children represent tomorrow's citizens, it is imperative to groom them to be responsible towards the environment specially if the country wants to achieve sustainable growth and to attract high end tourists so as to promote and sustain tourism as a main economic pillar. The young generation has to take cognizance of the environmental impacts of their activities and act more conscientiously to improve their surroundings - both at school and in the community - in which they live. It can also be expected that children can even impact positively on the present generation through their sphere of influence at home and in the community and thus move towards a more sustainable future... ... continued on P8



The National Productivity and Competitiveness Council seized the opportunity of the National Green School Convention to launch the Green Game which aims at raising awareness of students on environment protection and sustainable consumption.

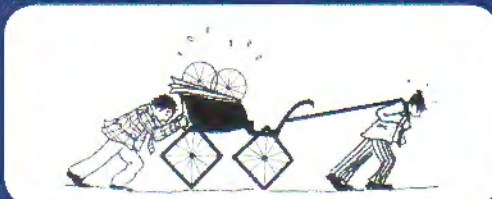
THE MUDA FREE WORKPLACE FOR A COMPETITIVE CORPORATE SECTOR

It may happen that as a CEO or Manager of a company you very often ask yourself or to your staff members as to why:

With the globalization of business, local companies have to bear the brunt of international competition. The recent international financial crisis has intensified global competition putting additional pressure on firms to create and sustain competitive advantage in order to stay afloat. One of the determinants of competitiveness is to increase the productivity level.

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EQUIP YOUR EMPLOYEES WITH THE RIGHT TOOLS TO PERFORM



NPCC is providing training on productivity tools, techniques, and methodologies you need to succeed. Several training programmes are scheduled between now and October. So, hurry up, invest in your training, enroll now by calling us on 457 7700 or emailing us at natpro@intnet.mu so that in the future you can reap the benefit of your investment and increase your organisation's performance!

ALL COURSES ARE MQA APPROVED

Customer Care – Course code CC01
Date: 16-17 August 2010 (2 full days)
Time: 9.00 a.m.-16.00 p.m.
Course Fee: Rs 7,900

Team Building – Course code TB01
Date: 13-14 September 2010 (2 full days)
Time: 9.00 a.m.-16.00 p.m.
Course Fee: Rs 7,900

Green Productivity – Course code GP01
Date: 16-17 October 2010 (2 full days)
Time: 9.00 a.m.-16.00 p.m.
Course Fee: Rs 7,900