

Kennisnetwerk Milieu (former Studiekring Milieu) is pleased to invite you
to the
mini-symposium "Plastics in the Environment".



Date: Thursday, 24th of November, 2011

Time: 16.00 – 19.30

Location: Forum Building WUR, room C 435
Droevendaalsesteeg 2, building 102
6708 BP Wageningen

During this event, challenging talks will be given on the fate of plastics in the environment, accumulation of plastics in organisms, the plastic sea in the Pacific and the role of bio-plastics.

The preliminary programme:

16:00 - 16.30 Registration /coffee

16.30 - 16:35 Opening (KNM)

16.35 - 17.00 **Arjen Wals** (Wageningen UR, Professor of Social Learning and Sustainable Development) - Plastic heroes, green bottles and other sustainability myths

17.00 - 17.30 **Arend Bolt** (Van Gansenwinkel Group) - Experiences of plastic harvesting from the Pacific at the Beagle Expedition

17.30 - 18.15 Evening meal with sandwiches and soup / time to network

18.15 - 18.45 **Jeroen Dagevos** (Stichting De Noordzee) – Micro-plastics in the Netherlands

18.45 - 19.15 **Karin Molenveld** (Wageningen UR, Food & Biobased Research) – Bioplastics

19.15 - 19:45 Round up and closure & a drink

You are welcome to register via the website of Kennisnetwerk Milieu:

<http://www.kennisnetwerkmilieu.nl/#16.html>

Costs:

Members of KNM € 20,-

Non members of KNM € 25,-

Students € 20,-

Student members of KNM or Aktief Slip € 15,-

Please transfer your fee to bank account 4074415 Studiekring Milieu, Rotterdam - and indicate symposium "Plastics in the Environment" 24th of November 2011

Looking forward seeing you on the 24th of November!