Spruce Park Elementary Happy Valley-Goose Bay

presents

EARTH WE CARE

CAST

Oven spray ----Mother ----Hair spray ----Pesticide -----

Sherri Saunders
Susan Pardy
April Larkham
Mark MacLean
Dayna O'Quinn
Gillian Beaulac
Sandra Pardy
Kristy Wiseman
Candi O'Quinn
Alicia Savoury
Michael Jones
Andrew Roberts
Shawn Adams
Aaron George
Gregory Peach

Dustin Smith
Eddie Saunders
Lloyd Hillier
Billy Joe Stuckless
Sarah Giles
Sara Oldford
Kristen Parsons
Kristen Ryan
Lesley Jones

TEACHER

Marie Leonard





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Play opens with gloomy music. On stage we have plenty of garbage-(vegetable peels, plastic bags, paper, coke cans and bottles). In the background is a drawing of the sun's ozone layer.

As scene one opens, April Larkham is spraying her hair, Sherri Saunders is spraying her oven, Susan Pardy is changing her baby's pamper.

Soon they realize that all of these actions are helping to destroy not only our ozone layer but also our environment. Mark MacLean is using pesticides as well.

They wonder what they are going to do. Poor earth, we aren't taking care of her. Fish (Shawn Adams) are dying because of pollution and acid rain. Also trees are destroyed (Gregory Peach and Kristi Wiseman). They deicde to call "Garbage Busters" who come with good advice.

These "Garbage Busters" are Dayna O'Quinn, Gillian Beaulac, Sandra Pardy, Candi O'Quinn, Alicia Savory, Michael Jones, Aaron George, Eddie Saunders, Billy Joe Stuckless, Sarah Giles, Sara Oldford, Kristen Parsons, Kristen Ryan and Lesley Jones - offer good advice.

Reduce - only buy what you need.

Disposables in any form - they aren't worth the environmental price that is made.

Rent - Rent seldom used items, such as tools or party wear.

Use baking soda instead of the open sprayers.

 $\underline{\text{Reuse}}$ - Many things can be saved and reused, like glass containers and gift wrap.

Books and magazines can be sent to hospitals and libraries. Eyeglasses can be donated to organizations.

Donate - Old clothes, furniture and appliances that you no longer need can be sold at garage sales or donated to charitable organizations.

Repair - Instead of throwing something out - fix it up. Repair broken toys, furniture and appliances to extend their useful life.

 $\underline{\mathtt{Share}}$ - Share with friends and neighbours those big expensive things that you use only once in a while such as lawn mowers or tools.

Cut down on food waste - 2-% of the food we buy ends up in the garbage. Keep track of what you have on hand so that you use groceries while they are still fresh.

Compost - Start a backyard compost heap using food leftovers.
It will reduce your garbage by one-third.

 $\underline{\text{Recycle}}$ - Keep items that can be recycled. There will be depots you can bring them to. Such items are bottles, jars, cans and plastics.

After all this information, everybody in chorus says: Earth, we care!