

All ears about saving planet



Professor Carl Jones chats to Beamaris Secondary College students.

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Budding ecologists from Beamaris Secondary College are ready to save animals from extinction after being treated to a special talk from a world-renowned conservationist this month.

Professor Carl Jones spoke to 160 students, as well as Marine Education Science and Community Centre and Beamaris Conservation Society members, about developing techniques to restore species and ecosystems.

MESAC's Virginia Mosk said Prof Jones said we all had a role to play maintaining natural habitats and healthy ecosystems.

"He hopes to inspire children and adults alike to work to save animals and habitats in which they live, and to stay optimistic and that every little bit helps and all species can be saved," she said.

Prof Jones has spent 40 years trying to preventing the extinction of endangered species.