

News for LIFE EUROTURTLES Website

a) Turtle Rescue Kits delivered to the District Offices

During the month of June 2017, the “Rescue Kits” made under the Action C.5 “Rescue Centers and Networks”, were disseminated in the Department of Fisheries and Marine Research (DFMR) District Offices in Paralimni, Larnaca, Limassol and Paphos. All personnel involved (Naval Service Staff and Fisheries and Marine Research Inspectors) were informed about the LIFE EUROTURTLES Project and its Actions and Goals. Everyone is now on-board and happy to help by providing the medic first aid to injured turtles before transferring them to the Meneou Turtle Rescue Center.





b) DFMR Personnel treating an injured turtle before being transfered to the Meneou Turtle Rescue Center

After receiving the «Rescue Kit» provided through Action C5 of the LIFE EUROTURTLES Program, two Inspectors of the DFMR Limassol District Unit, were called on site for treating an injured *Caretta caretta*. The marine turtle had a serious head injury and saline solution was applied followed by covering the injury with gauzes. The turtle was then transferred to Meneou Rescue Centre.

