



# How can helping protect our planet help you?

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# Groups/Networks

- Zero Carbon Coventry
- Extinction Rebellion
- Green New Deal
- Fossil Free
- Green Drinks
- Plastic Free/Surfers against sewage
- City to Sea CIC (Refill)
- Coventry Transformed
- Plogging
- Now or Never (Clean Up Britain)
- Journey to Zero Waste
- People and Planet
- Divestment West Midlands (FB: DivestWMPF)
- Ryton organics/ Five Acres Farm
- Positive images
- Rubbish Friends – Warwickshire
- Coventry Clean Up

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**Friends of  
the Earth**



# Groups/Networks

- Climate Reality
- West Midlands CAN (Climate Action Network)
- Footsteps (Multifaith sustainability)
- EcoBirmingham
- Birmingham Friends of the Earth
- Birmingham Circular Economy Club (CEC)
- West Midlands Vegans
- Clean Up Britain
- WASUP
- Womens Environmental Network
- Make a Difference Birmingham
- Clothing groups
- Conservation groups
- Love Solihull
- Warwickshire Wildlife Trust
- And many more...

# BREAKING NEWS

## Solihull Climate Action

Kick-off meeting is **Thursday 29th 7pm**

<https://actionnetwork.org/events/solihull-climate-action-kick-off-event>



## Local Businesses

- Clean Kilo
- Fargo Village (crafts village) – Green Unicorn (teamed with Zero),
- Cogs of Coventry
- Zero
- Core
- Reyouposables
- Charity Shops



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# Environmental societies and groups (Case Study: University of Warwick)



This section of the SU website provides information on the SU's direct environmental impact.



A society that aims to make Warwick's campus sustainable.



Sign up to start growing your own food right here on campus.



Warwick's society for vintage & sustainable shopping lovers.



An annual switch-off event - sign up today to take part!



Rawkus are a student group formed of volunteers who work to tackle food waste.



Help preserve the campus environment.



Swap clothing and learn how you can tackle fast fashion (3rd largest reason for climate change).



For anyone interested in veganism or vegetarianism.



A student engineering society, serving the needs of disadvantaged communities all over the world.



SWaN is an initiative to promote collaborative research on the topic of sustainability.



A sustainability magazine published by Students.



A global non-profit organization active in more than 40 countries.



Warwick Volunteers enables students to experience volunteering in the community around campus.



The Bicycle User Group (BUG) works to improve facilities for staff and students who ride bikes.



The Warwick Uni chapter of an international group calling for governments to tell the truth about the Climate Emergency and to act



A student-run, non-profit cooperative, selling organic, fair-trade, and sustainably sourced food.



Warwick Behavioural Insights Team investigate behavioural nudges.



The social home and discussion panel for everyone who is interested in sustainable development



Warwick International Development Society educate on the UN Sustainable Development Goals and how we can make a better future for those across the globe



Circular Economy Research Network - contact [cern@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:cern@warwick.ac.uk) for more information



# Skills

- Marketing and communication – social media, articles etc
- Education
- Presentations
- Engagement
- Management
- Fundraising
- Auditing
- Legislation and regulations
- Research
- Negotiation
- Networking – locally, regionally, nationally, and internationally
- Event organisation and management
- Finance and budgeting
- Leadership
- Mentee and mentor/coaching
- **Training**
- Social
- Amongst many, many others



# Something for everyone

The society or group you are working with doesn't have to be focused on sustainability

You can and must be the one to bring it into the conversation

Bring your knowledge and experience, your drive and passion

- Shadow
- Internships
- Work experience
- Volunteer
- NUS Projects for Good / Projects That Matter

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