

Thursday 8th July 2021 – Hunts Waste Busters

Attendees and Introduction

Danette O’Hara – Waste Minimisation Support Officer, HDC

Heidi Field – Waste Minimisation Officer, HDC

Helen – St Ives

David – Yaxley

Joseph – Yaxley

Chris – Huntingdon

Apologies

Jenny – Holme

Richard and Pia – St Ives

Lara – St Neots

Karen – Yaxley

Nic and Heather - St Ives

Chloe – St Neots

Helen - Clerk at Yaxley Parish Council

Anna – St Neots

Tom – Sawtry

Social Media

Instagram – Grouping stories together which are stored below the bio on the page. Different categories can be added – any types of categories you think should be added please let us know.

Reach is limited and likes on posts are small. How do we get more followers to our Instagram page?

Action for all: send in any posts you would like to write along with any images or start a conversation about one.

Action for all: Please keep liking, sharing and commenting.

Hunts waste Buster take over posts – please sent any items/post through

Promotional recruitment video - being worked on.

Live stream talks to be trialled via Huntingdonshire Recycles Facebook page

Connections

Publications – July/August publication has now gone out to 8 contacts and 4 have confirmed that they will include it within their next publications. Article about Simple steps to recycle better

Helen to circulate to her contacts

Next article is due September– Possible thoughts to date is lifecycle of certain materials.

Please sent through any other ideas

Talks

Sawtry Academy – Friday 9th July

Talk in September to the WI

Earith Primary School interested

Events

- Huntingdon Eco Fair – Saturday 17th July
- Heritage Open Day, St Ives – 18th September 'Past, Present, and Future'
Hosted at the Methodist church. Meeting for the planning 7.30pm Tuesday 20th July

Action for all: To share any new connections we should make for publication or talks.

New Page on HDC Website – Waste Minimisation (<https://www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk/bins-waste/waste-minimisation>)

Guides have been uploaded to this page

Dedicated page for schools with lots of resources for KS1, KS2 and KS3 -

<https://www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk/bins-waste/waste-minimisation/educational-resources/> Please feel free to share this with others

Competition

Terracycle

Volunteers needed to assist Jenny with making contact with Terracycle home sites to ensure we're ok to share site addresses

Cambridgeshire Recycling Workshop

Launch online courses in September. Hoping to do a trial of these workshops please let us know if you would like to be involved

Training about more details of what goes in the bins etc..

Link through to the promotional video [Cambridgeshire Recycling Workshop - Getting it Sorted - YouTube](#)

RECAP/AMEY workshop – please let us know if you would like us to schedule a session

Net Zero now course – <https://cambridgecarbonfootprint.org/what-we-do/net-zero-now/>

Any New Ideas

BBC Look East featured an Eco living segment on their programme earlier this week

AOB

Next Meeting

Thursday 5 August at 7pm - Microsoft Teams meeting

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

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