

The Great Big Green Week:

Menston Green Festival.

Climate Action Menston is excited to support the Great Big Green Week which was set up by the Climate Coalition to celebrate action on climate change, raise its profile and show why it is relevant to community and local decision makers in the run up to the COP 26 Climate Conference in November in Glasgow.

Climate Action Menston was set up in May 2019 by a small group of residents who were concerned about the climate emergency. Our framework for action is based on the One Planet Principles <https://www.bioregional.com/one-planet-living>. Since then we have planted trees and hedges; persuaded the Parish Council to create the "Hole in the Wall" in the park; sought "A Vision for Main Street"; supported the street trial for a safer crossing outside the school; set up a sustainable business award scheme; run an information session on insulating homes; shared expertise on solar power and CAM members have set up an independent charity to fight for wildlife and protect their habitats, called "Menston Area Nature Trust".

By bringing just a few people together, ideas have flowed and actions taken. What ideas do you have for a greener future for Menston? How about joining us and making change happen?

We have just one world - we need to care for it. What will you do today?

Step 1- join Climate Action Menston

Step 2- ???

All week

Display in Menston Library re Eco ideas

Photo Competition: For young people aged 5-15 years.

Help us celebrate the natural world by sending in photographs of any part of nature, big or small, at home or far away.

Entries to be sent to
photocomp@climateactionmenston.org.uk

By 17.00 on 25th September with name and age of photographer, and a title.

Any time

Once Loved School Clothing - Menston Primary School project.



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18th -26th September
2021

Menston Green Festival Events Diary



Saturday 18th September

“10 minute Talks in the Tent”

11.00 Climate Action Menston -
Marilyn Banister

11.30 Wharfedale Greenway -
Antony Butcher

12.00 CAM Hedgehog highway -
Alison Davies

12.30 CAM Business awards -
Rev'd Steve Proudlove

13.30 Menston Area Nature Trust
- Francesca Bridgewater and
Emma Dalton

14.00 E- Bikes with Colin from
Wheelbase

14.30 Bradford Environmental
Action Trust - Jacob Silver

15.00 Co op - soft plastic recycling
scheme - local team

15.30 Otley Repair Cafe - Victoria
Joy

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11.00 - 12.30 Collage making - A chance
to make the CAM logo out of leaves and
recycled materials! All ages.

10.00 - 16.00 Menston in Bloom. Hear
about ideas for growing veg in containers, a
seed swap and tree trail.

11.00-16.00 Pedal power smoothie
making in the tent.

13.00-15.00 Menston Preschool are
marking Great Big Green Week with a trail
in the park, colouring and a teddy tombola.
Meet at the Kirklands tent from 13.00

10.00- 17.30 St John's Parish Church,
Burley Lane, Menston is holding a flower
festival to raise funds for a new roof with
more insulation and celebrate its 150th
birthday! Do make a visit .

A prayer walking leaflet is available to
encourage prayer for Menston and the
Climate Emergency.



Sunday 19th September

12.30-17.30 Divine Reflections Flower
Festival- see Saturday.

Monday 20th September

13.15 Walk and talk with Christine from
The Studio. Walk generally lasts for 2
hours but depends on the weather and the
group. Wear comfortable clothes and
appropriate shoes. This walk is a great way
to socialise, meet new friends and keep fit.
Meet outside Kirklands by the bench under
the trees. www.studiofitnesspilates.co.uk

Wednesday 22nd September

19.30 Join CAM at 7.30 in St John's
Parish Room, behind the Parish Church
on Burley Lane, Menston LS29 6EU
for a talk on:

“One planet living- a short introduction
on the global challenges we face and
then examples of how we are trying to
tackle them in Addingham” by Dr Rick
Battarbee: Emeritus Professor of
Environmental Change at University
College London and co-ordinator of the
Addingham Environment Group.

Thursday 23rd September

18.00 "Rambling on" will be leading a
5-6 mile walk starting from Kirklands at
6pm. Do join in.