



MAY 2024

Local Events

THE TOTNES CLIMATE HUB MONTHLY INFORMATION SHEET

Totnes Climate Hub Celebrating Spring

Saturday 4 May, 13.00 to 15.00hrs
The Climate Hub, The Mansion

Come join us and paint pebbles and pots, with bugs, flowers and other spring delights. All ages welcome! By donation.

River Dart Wild Church River Dart Pilgrimage

Sunday 5 May, 10.15hrs
Dartmouth

The first of four silent walks between Dartmouth and Totnes. Inspired by salmon journeying from sea to source and by Dart Estuary saltmarsh. In collaboration with the British Pilgrimage Trust. Contact / booking details: Sam: livingspirit3@gmail.com
<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/britishpilgrimage/1225109>

Totnes Nonduality Discussion Circle The Nature of Nondual Awareness

Sunday 5 May, 19.00hrs to 21.00hrs
**Totnes Quaker Meeting House,
3 Ticklemore Street, Totnes TQ9 5EJ**

Co-facilitated by John Tissander and Tobias Robshaw, together we delve into the nature of nondual awareness. Not focused on a particular teacher or tradition, all approaches embraced. Cost: donation. Ffi: jt@johntissandier.com

Stepping Stones Totnes Totnes Food Bank and TQ9 Food Club (£2.50 for up to 10 items.)

Monday 6 May, 12:30hrs to 19.00hrs; Tuesday 7 and Thursday 9 May, 10:00hrs to 15.00hrs and thereafter at these times on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays
St John's Church, Bridgetown
Food Bank (by referral — Citizen's Advice is

best) and TQ9 Food Club providing store cupboard tins and packets mostly, + a ready-cooked frozen meal.

Warm Hearts Café

Monday 6, Tuesday 7 and Thursday 9 May, and thereafter all Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, Noon to 14.00hrs (including bank holidays)

St John's Church, Bridgetown

Free/donation-only café offering homemade soup, light meals, toasties, yummy stuff on toast, cakes, biscuits and hot drinks. Good atmosphere, pleasant surroundings and company.

Mindful Making

Tuesday 7 May, 13.00hrs to 15.00hrs and all subsequent Tuesdays

St John's Church, Bridgetown

A wide variety of arts and crafting opportunities with Claire Alford. A great way to relax and be creative.

Art with Yaz

Monday 13 and Monday 27 May, 12:30hrs to 14.30hrs, prompt start.

St John's Church, Bridgetown

Guided lessons on a variety of art techniques from watercolour to jewellery-making. Wonderfully supportive for people at all levels wanting to learn simple and effective techniques.

Contact / booking details for all the above Stepping Stone activities: 07988 639514, contact@steppingstonetotnes.co.uk.

Totnes Climate Hub Climate Fresk Facilitator Training

Thursday 9 May, 18.30hrs to 21.30hrs
The Climate Hub, The Mansion

Learn how to run the world-famous Climate Fresk workshop for your community in this 3-hour interactive session. Free event, donations

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welcome. Please register via our website to secure your spot. Please note, before training to become a workshop facilitator, you first need to attend a Fresk workshop.

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Energy Advice Drop-in

Friday 10 May 11.00hrs to 14.00hrs

The Climate Hub, The Mansion

Helen Thompson, Energy Adviser, can offer valuable advice on high energy bills, cold, damp or mould problems, confusing heating controls, fuel debt or problems with suppliers, switching tariffs, insulation or heating grants. Pop in for free advice.

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Plant and Seed Swap

Saturday 11 May, 11.00hrs to 15.00hrs

The Climate Hub, The Mansion

Plant and seed swap, with activities for kids including a bug hunt, face painting and plant-and-take a seedling home. For further details contact Emma Hopkins / Paul paul@transitiontowntotnes.org

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Guided walks

Tuesday 21 May, 10.30hrs to 12 noon

Short gentle guided walks in mindful silence, with stops for readings and reflection. Free, local to Totnes, and usually last 1 – 1½ hours. For more info contact Fiona on 01803 498086

Apricot Centre

Introduction to Earth Education

Tuesday 21 May, 9.00hrs to 17.00hrs

The Apricot Centre

Introduction to Earth Education is a general outdoor, day-long training for facilitators to learn how to weave in and curate an Earth Education Journey. Activities for all ages and are movement and sense based. Booking: <https://www.apricotcentre.co.uk/courses-2023-24/introduction-to-earth-education>

The next edition of Local Events will be for June. Deadline for submitting info for inclusion is Friday 24 May. Email to admin@totnesclimatehub.info

Totnes Climate Hub

Play the "Greenwheel" Game

Saturday 25 May, 11.00hrs to 13.00hrs

The Climate Hub, The Mansion

Come join this non-competitive game around sustainable living with its inventor, Emily. Enjoy the discussion the game stimulates and sharing of stories with fellow players.

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Beltane Member's Day

Sunday 26 May, 14.00hrs to 18.00hrs

Pondfield, Wren Bridge, Droridge Lane

Welcoming all Pondfield Members for an afternoon of song held by acclaimed local song-leader Fran Andre. You can sign up with your entry ticket to become a member! Booking required. Contact / booking details: <https://dandelion.events/e/g7j15> pondfield.tlp@gmail.com

Totnes Climate Hub

Climate Café

Tuesday 28 May, 19.00hrs to 20.30hrs

The Climate Hub, The Mansion

How is climate change and the loss of nature affecting you? Are you finding it hard to talk to family and friends about this? Share how you are feeling in a friendly space over hot drinks and biscuits. For information contact Ben at bstollery@hotmail.com 07963 782874.

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The Political Buddha by Christopher Titmuss

Tuesday 28 May, 15.30hrs to 17.30hrs

The Climate Hub, The Mansion

This book offers a deep exploration of his dedication to the transformation of society and examines the major aspects of the spiritual/social/political teachings of the Buddha. To book a place contact innertransitionbookgroup@gmail.com

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Ethical Investment Advice

Friday 31 May, 11.00hrs to 13.00hrs

The Climate Hub, The Mansion

Jack Clancy offers free, ethical and expert advice.
