



Local Environment Action Frampton (LEAF) Working Group 3rd September 2025, 7pm

A **L.E.A.F Working Group Meeting** will be held on Thursday 3rd September 7pm in person at the Brockeridge Centre or ONLINE on ZOOM on request. All Group Members and members of the public are invited to attend. Everyone is welcome.

Zoom link: request from nature@framptoncoterrell-pc.gov.uk

Kind Regards

Daisy Finniear

Daisy Finniear (Climate and Nature Officer).

Agenda

1. Community Open Session

- To receive ideas, suggestions and feedback from members of the public

2. Blister Packs Update

- To receive update on blister packs from Nature Officer and Plastic Free Group rep and consider project plan moving forward.

3. Art Exhibition Review

- To review the 2025 art exhibition and plan for future events.
- To consider whether to make the art exhibition an annual event or to prioritise other projects.
- To consider recommending a donation to Nicky Stone's charity of choice (Woodland Trust) as a thank you for running the adult Watercolour workshop and children's nature crafts workshop.
- To consider rearranging the Buzz and Scuttle Art Workshop due to the artist being unavailable during the art exhibition.

4. Air Quality Project Plan

- To review the air quality project plan from Cllr Trollope.

5. Frampton Festival 2026

- Frampton Festival have applied to run from the Centenary Field in 2026. Group to discuss ensuring that the festival is wildlife friendly.

6. Community Nature Officer Funding

- Update on funding received from South Glos Council of £5000 for the Community Nature Reserve Project.
- Officers to use funding to spend funding by July 2026 on any projects relating to the Community Nature Reserve project and volunteer training.

7. Hedgehog Heros Upcoming Events

- Help Hedgehogs Hibernate 28th October. Nature crafts, hedgehog box building and hedgehog cake competition. Recommended that funding from the £5000 Community Nature Officer budget is used to cover event costs up to £200.

8. Frome Valley Growing Project Climate and Nature Gathering

- Councillors to confirm if they wish to attend the event on the 20th September. Climate and Nature Officer to reserve free spaces. P3-4.

9. The Park Conservation

- To review the cricket club grass clipping management. It is currently being removed by an external company with some small reptile piles. The cricket club are continuing to request compost zones to council.
- To consider and recommend utilising top soil from the pathway project for conservation projects, including bee banks and hibernacula at the Park around the perimeter.
- To consider a solution for the neighbours at the Park cutting the grass in the conservation zones.
- To note the completed monolithing works on the ash tree at the park including the creation of a bat habitat. P5

10. Biodiversity Policy Update Recommendation

- To recommend that the Finance and Governance Committee update the biodiversity policy to include the following:

- Where appropriate, allow long grass to grow beneath diseased ash trees to discourage public access and reduce footfall

11. Community Forums

- To consider running Community Forums again with an energy theme.


12. Date of Next Meeting



**SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE
CLIMATE AND NATURE GATHERING**


Network, Feast, Collaborate
Saturday 20th September
11am-6pm

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 South Gloucestershire Climate and Nature Gathering – Network · Feast · Collaborate

Join us on Saturday 20th September for a family-friendly, intergenerational day celebrating climate, nature, and food in our local community.

 Frome Valley Growing Project, Winterbourne

 10:30 – 17:00

🎫 £10 adults | £5 children (***NB free for FCPC councillors and staff due to our donation***)

What's on:

🌱 Workshop with Hannah Padgett – skill sharing, idea generation, and action planning for local climate and nature solutions

🎭 Storytelling & play with Mica Sinclair for children and grown-ups (alongside the workshop)

🍷 Harvest feast from Picnic Catering using seasonal, local ingredients

🌿 Moment of thanksgiving for the land, the season, and our community

🤝 Networking session to connect and collaborate on future action

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✉ Tickets: winterbourneenvironmental@gmail.com

