

**Notes of Meeting 27 June 2023**  
**Environment and Climate Crisis Action Group (ECCAG)**

Present: Nigel Chatterjee (NC), Trudy Reynolds (TR), Pat Smith (PS).

After a lapse of a few months all members were keen to continue the work of the group.

The group had a general discussion on climate action and public participation.

TR advised that there was no up to date carbon footprint data for the parish on the Centre for Sustainable Energy website.

It was agreed that the production of regular posters was one way of highlighting problems. These will continue to be produced by the group on a regular basis for inclusion on the parish noticeboards, parish website and various approved social media groups.

TR said that a Parish based Facebook Group will be discussed at the next PC meeting in July. PS was very supportive. NC raised concerns about the time needed to manage it and dealing with negative comments. TR said that if it was approved her understanding was that it would have outgoing messages only and one of the councillors would monitor the system. It would give the Group another format for engagement with the public.

The next 2 posters will be on Water Saving measures, TR to produce, and Fast Fashion. NC will produce following input from TR (narrative) and PS (visuals).

TR said that chemical weedspraying will be implemented for the next lot of weedspraying in Charlestown Road and Porthpean Beach Road. TR said that she had raised concerns about this at the last PC. All will do some further research to see if any other councils or organisations have found a safe and practical alternative to chemical weedspraying.

At the next meeting (tba) the Climate Change What Can Your Council Do? Programme will be revisited. PS will contact the editor to see if any new/up-to-date version is available.