

It's a biggie . . sorry, left it too late after the last one so there's a lot to cram in here.

*******LATE ADDITION*******

BOOTS ON THE GROUND NEEDED!

THE RESIDENTS OF WILTSHIRE HAVE HAD ENOUGH.**

The people are rising...and a peaceful demonstration is planned at the first in-person Full Wiltshire Council Meeting, on Tuesday 19th October, Civic Centre, Trowbridge.

The demonstration will be a **PEACEFUL ASSEMBLY** highlighting our concerns about the Local Plan, Future Chippenham project, A350 bypass & and Westbury Incinerator.

Please be there** 09:30, Civic Centre, Trowbridge - Tuesday 19th October.**

IF YOU WANT TO SAVE OUR VALUABLE GREEN SPACES, THIS IS A TIME TO HOLD A BANNER AND EXPRESS HOW WE ALL FEEL!

ACTIONS OVER THE LAST FEW WEEKS

Here's a rundown of XR Bath actions (either our own or ones we joined) . . .

I've included links to some XR Bath Facebook, Instagram and Twitter accounts . . . please like and share the posts!

23 July: Not the Sun XR Bath joined in with #freethepress distributed an honest, funny, punchy tabloid that major printers were too scared to print. #notthesun

<https://twitter.com/XRBath/status/1418529780375375881>

14 August : Hundreds of campaigners staged a protest march against the £200 million energy from **waste incinerator at Westbury**.

16 September: Bristol Airport inquiry. Report from Annie: "Seven or 8 Bath rebels went to WSM to support BAAN on the last day of the Inquiry on the expansion of Bristol. We had the beautiful multi-message banner that said 'Protect Future Generations'. We were asked to wear light or bright solid colours, and we did! It was easy to spot other rebels on the station platforms. In WSM there was singing all morning led by Bill & Harry from BAAN, and the idea was to make our presence known in an only slightly disruptive way. It was colourful, not exactly tuneful, but very moving. So much work and dedication went into presenting the case against the expansion, and I think everyone wanted to expressing their gratitude. Now for the long wait for the decision- sometime in the New Year." Also Landing crew in attendance. And several Bath rebels who spoke out . . . " Among the many speakers, were dozens of just normal people from different backgrounds, stepping well outside of their comfort zones, to stand up and say something against the planned airport expansion. We say well done for putting yourselves through a very nerve wracking day."

24 September: Global Climate Strike in Bristol "great to see the wonderful inclusiveness of the action and a growing diversity".

26 September: Bath rebels joined the **nationwide vigil to support XR rebel James Brown**, the paralympian arrested in 2019 for his action at London City Airport, found guilty and now facing a 12 month prison service and £3,500 fine. Twitter: <https://twitter.com/jmblgr/status/1442223024548290561?s=21>

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Update on The Rebellion of One - CJ, Bath

Back in May CJ was the first XR Bath rebel to be arrested here in the city. On 10 September they appeared at Bristol Magistrates Court and received a non-guilty verdict. Jubilation from CJ and the group of Bath rebels waiting outside!

CJ has shared their thoughts on the not-guilty verdict.

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_TiKD5_BF7Pc7ZcFWkvAbZcEaBumX_cayUdpEc9T0v8/edit?usp=sharing

(And more info here on CJ's Rebellion of One action

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Bp5SM-XuWkhEXM6c5NNTvnZsfljO5ODd6CbzpswFMZM/edit?usp=sharing> and a further release on his court appearance:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1wUG7N1Hkk_RymIqTnkKlZUxM2MNJFfNnd3Xysg8Mbtc/edit?usp=sharing)

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28 August - 5 September THE IMPOSSIBLE REBELLION in London

A large group of Bath rebels went up to London for the action-packed AugSept Impossible Rebellion and seemed to be everywhere . . .

Science Museum actions:

XR Bath staged the Drowning in Oil action outside the museum - a big crowd and a lot of press activity including this pic in The Guardian. https://twitter.com/XR_Hamm_Fulham/status/1432639715828813827

Several Bath rebels (also see Twitter <https://twitter.com/XRBath/status/1432072802388094976>) joined the overnight occupation of the Science Museum, protesting against Shell's sponsorship of the Our Future Planet exhibition. Organised by XR Doctors, a crowd of around 60 people stayed the night in the great entrance hall surrounded by steam engines (and under the extensive clock gallery, chiming on the hour, every hour . . .). Fantastic speeches including Olympic medallists Etienne Stott and Laura Baldwin. (And a great boost when a couple of weeks later this happened . . . Science Museum board member resigns over oil sponsorship

<https://www.standard.co.uk/news/uk/science-museum-cop26-shell-extinction-rebellion-university-college-london-b958492.html>)

The following day rebels returned with the brilliant and quickly adaptable orange banner - for instant bespoke messaging. Here's a film showing it in action. And on Twitter

<https://twitter.com/XRBath/status/1437320836046798849>

We helped block **Oxford Circus** "Three Bath XR rebels took part in the taking of Oxford Circus on the first Wednesday of the Impossible Rebellion in August. This was a reminder that XR can hold space in the capital even in iconic locations such as this where XR first made history with the pink boat in 2019. This was an extremely well crafted action which involved FINT (female, intersex, non-binary and trans people." Here's the instagram link: https://www.instagram.com/p/CTblc8HscIx/?utm_medium=copy_link)

Bath rebels helped block **Tower Bridge (the pink caravan)**, **London Bridge (the beautiful wedding bus)** (three Bath arrests), the Bank of England junction (where arrestees returned to the City of London, some in violation of their bail conditions and risking further arrest (and one Bath rebel was re-arrested) - see Twitter <https://twitter.com/jmblgr/status/1442223024548290561?s=21>) and many more locations in central London.

Supporting the JP MOrgan window breaking

<https://twitter.com/MarjorieGibbon/status/1433874163043864589>

<https://twitter.com/XRSouthWest/status/1433005288903356422>

The Suffragettes Bath XR Suffragettes (following outings in Cornwall and Bath) - great response. Here's a quick report from Mel.

The Burning Ballroom - several Bath rebels took part in this pop-up action over the course of the Rebellion - Always drew crowds and was a great opportunity for Outreach, too.

<https://youtu.be/otAWrKvjxZc>

Outreach Bath rebels were joined by rebels from Bradford on Avon and Chippenham for many actions and as much outreach as we could - very uplifting to get such positive responses from the public this year - felt like there'd been a real shift in attitude and understanding. See Twitter

<https://twitter.com/XRBath/status/1433368387082719236>

Samba was a constant presence throughout the Rebellion, with huge support from Dave Ware, the XR Bath whistler, and all the Bath samba rebels. The band is always happy to welcome new members so please contact Dave via bathxr@gmail.com for more info. You'll be at the heart of the action, and can choose to be non-arrestable.

Hundreds of fantastic, powerful, poignant pix here

<https://show.pics.io/xr-global-media-breaking-news-content-600ed2733c68d80019a19bc7/search?tagId=6122214b65449a00191e4e92>

and here.

https://www.flickr.com/photos/mhbphotouk/albums/72157719910116814?fbclid=IwAR2UZNI2dUj1BINHegp cf4UhCsTtkRadfs4skJgP_HTFu0XBwfA6yjSRzEA

Back home we had a **rose, thorn, bud debrief** at XR Bath Tuesday meeting on 21.9.21. Here are the findings:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1G4X2aHxGvoBqpsUhUWvWdno5ucCZ8CzDAu7vePBcgB0/edit?usp=sharing>

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The Green Outreach Hub and Climate Emergency Centre group - report from Sue Poole: We were busy participating in Great Big Green Week activities in Keynsham and Bath. See

<https://www.facebook.com/thegreenoutreachhub> for photos and more details. We also had a stall at the 3SG event on funding and delivering environmental projects - great networking opportunity and inspiring to see success of other groups.

The aim of the Green Outreach Hub and purpose in developing a CEC for Bath is to raise awareness of the CEE, connect people and groups to develop and find practical solutions to the CEE and to help build resilient and compassionate communities. Through these activities we have connected with well over 100 people. Whilst these are not XR groups they are well supported by members of Bath XR alongside people from other local environmental organisations and a massive 'thank you' to everyone who helped with all these events.

We are part of a national network of groups in towns and cities across the UK looking to set up Climate Emergency Centres (CECs) in empty buildings - to see how this works go to <https://climateemergencycentre.co.uk/>

To join our mailing list or to get involved please email bathcec@gmail.com

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Fantastic news about the **NOGASPS campaign** we ran over the last year, working with the local communities in Midsomer Norton and Radstock. On 23 September B&NES gave the go-ahead for Conrad Energy's application for a battery energy storage facility - which is what we had been pushing for for so long (away from a gas fuelled peaker plant/power station).

More info here

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1oBoiVZdTB3A5z6JsYI5sql_sUE3x5d8HOIhOpRug1qU/edit?usp=sharing

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XR Bath Lobbying Group has been meeting informally during the summer to keep track of some of the campaigns we are working on. We've now reconvened weekly on WEDNESDAY, 8 PM We are working on developing a VOTING PLEDGE possibly in time for COP26, but if not, definitely in time for the next round of elections in May. We are also still following planning applications for the Mineral Water Hospital - Fragrance Co are appealing the original application that was TURNED DOWN by the Council, which means that the size of the extension could go back to it's original dimensions that so horrified residents in Parsonage Lane. We are also trying to respond (again) to the Local Plan Partial Update, which is challenging because it is such a dense document, but it is a good way to hold the Council to account over the CEE declaration. We're a small but very persistent group, and we would welcome new members or enquiries about local issues of concern.

email us at bathxr@gmail.com for more details.

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INSULATE BRITAIN

As many of you know, Bath Rebel Steve Pritchard has been part of this campaign from the beginning. Here's a quick update from him:

"In the first 4 weeks I've been arrested 7 times and broken the growing pile of injunctions twice. Despite the experience of our repeat offending and clear statements of intention to re-offend the police continue to release us under investigation. The police admit they are confused saying that their "orders are coming from on high". There is a strong desire to avoid the embarrassment of non violent activists in prison for COP26. The campaign is continuing and the tension for the government will mount the closer we get to the conference. I am very tired at the moment but after a bit of regen plan to return to block roads and break the injunction. I get really nervous in the run up to an action but relax once it is underway. I have great confidence in the non violent discipline of everyone in IB. Block teams become like family. That said I am so grateful for the support of my wife and friends without which I would not be able to do this. There have been many moving experiences in the last few weeks. One Custody Sergeant said, "Thank you for your moral stand", to each of us upon upon release."

Big thanks to Steve for finding the time and energy to report back and we're sending him love and strength. If people want to find out more about the campaign and how they can get involved:

<https://www.insulatebritain.com/> or contact us at bathxr@gmail.com to be put in touch.

UPCOMING EVENTS / TALKS / CAMPAIGNS

Bath XR meetings - now face to face

Since lockdown has eased, Bath XR has restarted in-person meetings at St John's Hall in Bathwick. Twice monthly to start with, as rebels feel more confident in Covid times.

Meetings have been well attended with 30 at the last one on 5.10.21.

The meetings start at 6pm with a free vegan meal, then we clear away to start planning and organising. At the last meeting we split into groups:

New rebels were welcomed

Bath XR Families formed a new working group

Rebels attending COP26

Rebels planning an action in Bath during COP26

Future meetings planned:

19.10.21 6-9pm

16.11.21 6-9pm

30.11.21 6-9pm

7.12.21 6-9pm

21.12.21 SOLSTICE PARTY 5-9pm hosted by Bath XR Families. More info to follow

11.1.21 5-9pm

25.1.21 5-9pm

Sat 16 October -Kingsmead Square Pre-COP Green Outreach Hub

Come along with family & friends between 10-3 - & add your message from Bath about what is needed at COP26

-bring along an alarm clock to add to the message of urgency

-including children's activities & vegan bakes

If you'd like to stay & help engage with passers by that would be great ... please message via our Facebook page or email bathcec@gmail.com or get in touch via Mel C or Sue P

Friday 29th October is the last Friday in the month so will likely be **Fridays for Future**.

Bristol could be quite big next time.. in the run up to COP and it being their 2nd F4F.

Saturday 6 November - Global Day of Action for Climate Justice, Bristol College Green. March at 1pm, rally at 3pm

<https://www.facebook.com/events/4316328581813241>

6 November Global Climate Justice Day There's a small group of Bath rebels formed to discuss possible action on this day. Please contact us at bathxr@gmail.com for more info.

COP 26, Glasgow 1-12 November

The next big XR Rebellion action. Join our sizeable Cop26 group. Email us at bathxr@gmail.com and we'll send you the link.

We have accommodation up there and are now meeting to discuss actions, transport, etc. There are subsidies to help people with costs - please contact xrrebelhivebudgets@protonmail.com for further info.

 **THE COP26 PLAN!**  (latest update 11.10.21)

Whether you're coming to Glasgow or taking local action, we're going to focus on charging world governments with crimes against humanity. Read XR UK's position on COP here:

<https://xrb.link/wn8y3hUt7B>

👤 Watch this video for more on COP: <https://youtu.be/e1k6qZiEGio>

📍 COMING TO GLASGOW? 📍

Check out this handy guide: <https://xrb.link/q2DB1P>

🏠 Find accommodation: <https://www.humanhotel.com/cop26/>

Travel subsidies

XR UK want to help transport as many rebels as possible to Glasgow. If you would be unable to travel to the COP26 without support, we have set aside a fund to subsidise the costs of roundtrip travel to a maximum of £60 per person (see below if your costs are higher than that).

We ask rebels to use the cheapest form of transport available to them. Travelling by buses such as Flixbus or trains such as Lumo can be cost effective. If your travel costs are less than £60, please book your tickets and then fill in this form to claim partial or full reimbursement.

If your travel is more than £60, do not fill in this form yet. Send an email to xrrebelhivebudgets@protonmail.com with an explanation for the higher amount and we will help where we can. If you are requesting accessible transport, we understand your costs will be necessarily higher. If you require funds upfront in order to purchase the transport, please email to xrrebelhivebudgets@protonmail.com with an explanation.

Funds will be allocated on a strictly first-come first-served basis and the budget is limited, so if you require this support we urge you to make your claim soon. This form will remain open to submissions until 01/12/21.

:blue_heart: We are trusting rebels to use this scheme with integrity. :blue_heart:

📝 Sign up as an individual: <https://xrb.link/Kj0XmL3>

📝 Sign up your affinity group: <https://xrb.link/d6imi7>

In Scotland, Scottish Know Your Rights is essential!

📅 Sessions on Thu 30 Sept and Thurs 7 Oct at 7pm.

📝 Register: <https://xrb.link/U8rl72lh0>

🚩 Glasgow Actions, join the XR Scotland Telegram Broadcast: <https://t.me/joinchat/RVUsTVABRLfFNPPF>

Going to Glasgow but not sure what you're doing when you get there???

..... if you'd like to find out about roles that are needed for cop - this is for you

<https://facebook.com/events/s/cop26-rebellion-onboarding-ses/421018376087537/>

👊 UBUNTU PACHA VIDYA

10 - 11 Nov - XR ISN - Co-Liberation Series of #PlanetRepairs Festivities of Cultural Resistance in London, & Glasgow. Find out more here: <https://www.facebook.com/XRIntSol/>

📍 STAYING AT HOME FOR LOCAL/GLOBAL ACTION? 📍

The XRUK COP doc details actions - <https://xrb.link/wn8y3hUt7B> - these include:

👤 CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY

27 Oct - XR UK invites rebels everywhere to 'present' charge sheets for 'Crimes Against Humanity' at local constituencies in creative ways! More info coming soon.

Charge against COP26: <https://xrscotland.org/the-charge-against-cop26/>

♀ REBELLION OF 11th HOUR

1-12 Nov - XR UK invites rebels all over to take part in the biggest Rebellion of One attrition action every day at the eleventh hour (11am) during COP26. Find out more here:

https://t.me/joinchat/V_YWuo6DDjFuDos7

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Here's the XR SW Bulletin on COP26 - some useful stuff here.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RtCGp0GhEcRjyTE4LFDQ-zzirBS2hdHnwwi7NCsggQ/edit?usp=sharing>

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XR COP GLOBAL ACTIONS

XR COP Actions are inviting rebels around the world to take action. Get involved here, join the Global Actions Network Telegram:

<https://t.me/joinchat/yNLjtLOWExU1ZDBh>

Deep Water Rising

Deep Water is calling you to rise up and take action, to let COP know we are watching them and calling out their greenwashing.

The campaign is building momentum in the coming weeks, culminating in mass actions across the world on the eve of 30th October and dawn of 31st October.

Hear the plans for Deep Water Rising so far, share your creative ideas and inspiration, and find out how you can get involved in this storm-surge of activity.

Keep a lookout for the Deep Water Rising Action Pack - coming soon!

Further Deep Water Talk dates: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1155722788251435>

More info <https://xrmidlands.uk/events/deep-water-rising/>

TRAINING / GET INFORMED

Thurs 14 Oct System Change Not Climate Change - A #GreenNewDeal for People & Planet

by Tribune & Arise

In the run-up to #COP26, we're hosting a special climate event and showing our support for a #GreenNewDeal for people and planet 🤝🌳🌍

Join special international guest Lola Allen, Center for Economic and Policy Research (CEPR) and the rest of our line-up, next Thursday (October 14th)

Register your place today at <https://bit.ly/systemchangeand>

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Thurs 21 Oct What is Bioregionalism? You are invited to a discussion with this group on October 21st from 5.30 to 7.30 at Bath Museum of Work, Julian Road. This group is gathering to explore the potential of us to develop a stronger local economy here based on bioregional principles. A bioregion is a piece of the planetary jigsaw that makes sense both ecologically and in terms of our human sense of connection to our local land. Bath sits within a bioregion we might call a River Avon bioregion. Bioregionalism aims to address the inequitable distribution of resources and the enormous strain that current economic models place on the natural environment. More here: <https://earth.org/bioregionalism/>

This is the first of three monthly gatherings. Further dates in November and January.

please reply to Paul Pivcevic

Co-founder Bristol Avon Bioregion Group

Regenerative Practitioner & Systemic Consultant

Founder National Forest Gardening Scheme

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WHAT IS A CITIZENS' ASSEMBLY? Introduction to the Third Demand



Get the intel on XR's Third Demand, what is it all about, why does it matter? Plus plenty of time for you to ask questions, share concerns, and just generally scrub up on your citizens' assembly knowledge!

Please spread the word, you'd be a massive help! ❤️

Register for Thursday **14 October** 2021 | 19:30

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwtfuiurzMuEtbxgU-zEUdNFBIRPB618Tiz>

Register for Tuesday **26 October** 2021 | 19:30

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZlqcO6gpzMuGdaCsjJO7-vW1gzPEZp2ck0U>

ARMCHAIR ACTIVISM

Insulate Britain petition to insulate social housing immediately. Please share/ sign :

<https://petition.parliament.uk/petitions/594431>

READING (thanks for all suggestions x)

XR GLOBAL REBELLION NEWSLETTER

https://rebellion.global/blog/2021/08/20/global-newsletter-54/?link_id=0&can_id=c9a3d542ecf83d7d8a5d013b6a725fa0&source=email-can-we-count-on-cop-global-newsletter-54&email_referrer=email_1265259&email_subject=can-we-count-on-cop-global-newsletter-54

XR UK POLITICAL CIRCLE NEWSLETTER:

The Weekender, Political Circle's weekly newsletter on important political developments, key news, noteworthy Parliament events and action opportunities! This week we're calling on rebels to help contribute to our Global Charge sheet demonstrating crimes against humanity waged by governments failing to act on the climate and ecological emergency. Action opportunities include contacting the House of Lords before 20 October on the Police, Crime and Sentencing Bill.

26 Sept edition of The Weekender here: <https://xrb.link/jf90w9ts>

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FREE copy of Integrating Ecology and Justice in a Changing Climate

<https://dl.bookfunnel.com/mhvnfcfhcs>

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"Shared from National CEC network Slightly random, but also v informative- I just found this great blog which gives you a 'book in five minutes', with titles like 'the limits to growth' distilled for us overly busy people who like to learn about stuff" http://www.fraw.org.uk/blog/book_in_5.shtml

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"Anyone who wants to change the world, or considers themselves an 'activist' please read this book for your own sake and for all of us – then we'll have so much more chance of succeeding." ~ Dr Gail Bradbrook, co-founder of Extinction Rebellion

How is activism entangled in the problems it seeks to solve? After years of thinking that her task was to 'get the bastards', Anthea Lawson shows that understanding our concerns with activism can be a gateway to discovering what really needs to change.

Anthea's book 'The Entangled Activist' is challenging, wise and comforting. Anthea speaks with great humility about her own experiences within activism, and speaks with authority about the 'tangles' within

herself, the companies and groups she worked for, and broader society. She also helps us to work out what we can do differently when we realise that we are tangled, and so approach our activism with more freedom, energy and joy.

Read more Anthea here: <https://www.anthealawson.uk/about-me> and more about her book here: <https://www.anthealawson.uk/the-entangled-activist> .”

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Dr. Aaron Thierry (@ThierryAaron) Tweeted:

A couple of weeks ago @ChathamHouse, The Royal Institute of International Affairs, published a crucial new ‘Climate change Risk Assessment’, which barely made the papers let alone the front pages. But it REALLY should have done! Here’s why ...

<https://t.co/uJwmeXS7g7> 1/n <https://twitter.com/ThierryAaron/status/1442440957295747072?s=20>

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<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2021/sep/09/earths-tipping-points-closer-current-climate-plans-wont-work-global-heating?fbclid=IwAR0qtueHaKA9thW3TBtb6j7a4auLdjd19drKYTgK2cLW5Od84HIArToc2TE>

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<https://www.theatlantic.com/magazine/archive/2021/03/extreme-climate-change-history/617793/>

“For those of you who like to reflect on our current situation from the perspective of deep time, this is a nice article by Peter Brannen. As he concludes, ‘The next few fleeting moments are ours, but they will echo for hundreds of thousands, even millions, of years. This is one of the most important times to be alive in the history of life.’”

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“Good too, writing positively about us instead of picking holes”

<https://freedomnews.org.uk/2021/08/12/in-defence-of-extinction-rebellion/>

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<https://www.livescience.com/collapse-human-society-limits-to-growth.html>

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<https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2013/jun/30/stephen-emmott-ten-billion>

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‘UK PM will say it is time for the world to ‘grow up’ and ‘listen to scientists’ in speech to general assembly’

<https://www.theguardian.com/world/2021/sep/22/boris-johnson-to-tell-un-that-cop26-must-be-turning-point-for-humanity>

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23.9 Kevin Anderson (@KevinClimate) Tweeted:

Taking the UK Prime Minister’s speech on the climate emergency as an honest reflection of his views, attached is a headline list of UK action he could initiate. Still more to do, particularly on food/land-use, but it would represent a shift from current weak mitigation policies. <https://t.co/J1CELLm7jz>

<https://twitter.com/KevinClimate/status/1440977910370816000?s=20>

Jimmy Kimmel Live (@JimmyKimmelLive) Tweeted:

Hey F&%kers! PLEASE LISTEN TO THESE REAL SCIENTISTS! #ClimateNight <https://t.co/mcePXDJJju>

<https://twitter.com/JimmyKimmelLive/status/1440887198618771464?s=20>

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How bad will climate change get - 5 climate scenarios:

<https://www.vox.com/22620706/climate-change-ipcc-report-2021-ssp-scenario-future-warming>

Annie Beardsley: “But the flip side is that all efforts to mitigate climate change are meaningful, even if the world overshoots its targets. All the warming that’s avoided will save lives and property and will enhance human welfare. There may be a point of no return, but there is no point at which our actions don’t matter.”

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Naomi Klein on the Great Reset: <https://theintercept.com/2020/12/08/great-reset-conspiracy/>

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“Know your hydrogens? The UK Government has released a strategy on hydrogen but it has led to the Chair of the UK Hydrogen & Fuel Cell Association to step down because he cannot endorse its contents. Green hydrogen. Made using clean electricity from renewable energy tech to electrolyte water, separating the hydrogen atom in it from its molecular twin oxygen. Very expensive.

Blue hydrogen. Natural gas used but with carbon emissions captured and stored or reused. Lack of carbon capture projects means negligible amounts in production.

Grey hydrogen. Most common form of production, from natural gas via steam methane reformation but without emissions capture.

Brown hydrogen. Cheapest but most environmentally harmful way due to use of thermal coal.

Turquoise hydrogen. Methane pyrolysis used to produce hydrogen and solid carbon. Not proved at scale.

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<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2021/aug/09/it-should-not-come-as-a-surprise-that-climate-change-is-worse-than-we-thought-and-also-getting-worse>

Main IPCC summary here.

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<https://www.forbes.com/sites/unicefusa/2021/08/20/unicef-report-shows-1-billion-children-at-extremely-high-risk-from-climate-change/?sh=73b7ff9c57c1>

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This is a link to the Impossible Rebellion 'Street Talk' script written this summer

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1SnbqE2LDfCXRaBQVV4oKQAMwER3oIbqmj_pdVZloGDE/edit?usp=sharing

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<https://extinctionrebellion.uk/2021/08/10/what-are-we-waiting-for-why-the-ipcc-report-is-a-call-to-action/>

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Scientists are observing changes in the Earth's climate in every region & across the whole climate system, says the IPCC's latest #ClimateReport, released today.

IPCC Press release → <https://bit.ly/WGICC2021PR>

Read the report → <https://bit.ly/WGICC2021>.

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Lovely message from Jess including . . . “I wrote this wee article this morning for my work, about the IPCC and resisting the easy answers of nihilism. Thought about you a lot whilst writing it so I hope you don't mind me sharing it here” :

<https://lighthousebookshop.com/posts/always-ask-too-late-for-what-thoughts-on-the-day-of-an-ipcc-report>

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<https://inews.co.uk/news/environment/climate-change-coronavirus-lockdown-emissions-record-levels-1201500>

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https://www.mrw.co.uk/news/wrap-urges-action-on-food-emissions-06-10-2021/?eea=*EEA*&eea=dTVCa1NDZUxsb08wVGs3YXYwTUx1T0ZHa3lsa0QzSFpjeVNoM3pWN0xYND0%3D&utm

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VIEWING

<https://www.filmsforaction.org/watch/fairytales-of-growth-2020/>

a 48 min film on climate change, degrowth and system change

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XR's latest movie . . . energising

<https://youtu.be/e1k6qZiEGio>

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How To END The Climate Crisis In One Generation | Paul Hawken on The Rich Roll Podcast “I’ve only got so far into listening to this but I’ve a sense it’s a super important intervention”

https://youtu.be/XGE_TZfTaH8 Paul Hawken wrote Drawdown

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nkMIjbDtdo0>

“Very good short video on communicating climate change by Katherine Hayhoe.”

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This is loss and damage - who pays How can we achieve climate justice narrated by Mark Strong

<https://youtu.be/ahiVM4FzMyc>

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o3nCFwhV-9E>

“A nice, shortish and recent talk on overshoot by Bill Rees, one of the designers of the ecological footprint that should be shared widely. I have a lot of time for Bill, not least because I’ve been able to track and in some ways parallel his quite dry research twenty years ago to increasingly blunt, direct and doom-laden talks in more recent years.”

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“Here are some good eight to ten minute news summaries of the latest IPCC Report from around the world. Positively, I can’t remember this much good coverage for the last two reports.”

India https://youtu.be/_1y_dKyMMeA

BBC <https://youtu.be/vdJmyhqEITc>

Germany <https://youtu.be/ZqOGHnRGenQ>

US (PBS Newshour) <https://youtu.be/oKc6HPgC3uc>

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<https://www.climatepsychology.us>

“How we got here and where to now?”

“The recording of recent discussion between Bill MacKibben and Sally Weintrobe with questions from 4 journalists - lest anyone who wanted to see it missed it.”

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Join the XR INFO & MEDIA chat on Whatsapp for a wealth of interesting material - links to media coverage of all things environmental and ecological - including XR :

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/JGRgp0RBKZkLcVwzDnf7EE>

XR NEWSLETTERS

UK Global newsletter blog: <https://rebellion.global/news/#blog>

XR TALKS AND TRAINING

<https://www.facebook.com/XRUKTalksandTraining>

Please stay in touch bathxr@gmail.com

Please send details of any events, trainings, etc to calendar@xrbath.org.uk

We are now meeting up in person at St John’s Church, St John’s Road on alternate Tuesday evenings.

Come and share a free vegan meal with us at 6pm, then talks, discussion, planning from 7pm to 9pm.

Contact us at welcome.bathxr@protonmail.com for more info.

Some working groups continue to meet via video conferencing.

If you have any access needs about XR Bath events or meetings, please contact us on welcome.bathxr@protonmail.com.

We want everyone who wants to be involved, to be able to be involved.

WE ARE HERE TO SUPPORT ANYONE WHO IS STRUGGLING IN WHATEVER WAY.
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