

# XR Bath Newsletter - Autumn 2022

## UPCOMING EVENTS - XR Bath



### **This Tuesday, 25th October - Stop Bristol Airport Expansion - Meeting**

19:00, St Johns Church Hall, Bathwick BA2 6PT

If Bristol Airport expansion is allowed to go ahead there will be an extra:

- 23,800 flights and two million passengers a year
- 10,000 car movements a day
- One million tonnes of carbon emitted a year - that's more than the annual emissions from the whole of the North Somerset Council Area!

Come along on Tuesday October 25th and meet the amazing campaign team from Bristol Airport Action Network - BAAN and find out how we can stop this madness!

### **Rebel meetings**

Tuesday Evenings, St Johns Church Hall, BA2 6PT

On the following Tuesdays: Nov 1st, 15th, 22nd, 29th Dec 6th, 20th (Solstice/Christmas party)

Vegan food at 6, Meeting at 7. **Can you help with food prep?** Join the hosting chat [here](#)

### **Saturday Nov 5th 0830 on - National trust AGM**

XR will have a presence outside the AGM to support a motion requesting that the NT dump Barclays Bank  
Bath Assembly Rooms, Bennett Street, Bath, Somerset, BA1 2QH

### **8th and 9th November 2022 - Bristol Airport Expansion - High Court Judicial Review**

Come and join a vigil outside the law courts on Tuesday 8th & 9th November 8.30-4 while the case is being heard. Bristol Civil Justice Centre, 2 Redcliffe Street, Bristol. BS1 6GR.

BAAN anticipate press interest on **Tuesday between 8.30-10** so would like a large crowd then in particular

### **Fri 9 Dec 2022 7:00 PM - 11:00 PM Bath XR, Bath TUC and Bath Campaigns Network Christmas Extravaganza featuring Seize The Day**

The Assembly Inn, cellar bar, BA1 2QU

Featuring local band Seize The Day plus DJ. <http://www.seizetheday.org>

Tickets £8/£6 advance £10 on the door (plus concessions)

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/extinctionrebellionsw/788172>

## UPCOMING EVENTS/INFO. - Other Local Organizations

**SUNDAY, 30 OCTOBER 2022 FROM 16:00-17:00 - Kidical Mass Bath - Spooky Spokes**, Orange Grove, Bath  
A great, non confrontational way to push for better cycle facilities in Bath. All kids up to 99 years old welcome.....

**Climate Hub B&NES** (formerly Climate Emergency Centre) - this will be an indoor physical space in Bath City Centre to publicise the climate emergency and what we can do about it. Well done to the team for all the hard work on the registration to be a charity. Chat with Sue Poole if you want to get involved

### JUST STOP OIL

Just Stop Oil is a civil resistance campaign aiming to get the UK Government to commit to no more licensing of fossil fuel exploration in the UK. As part of the development of the movement meetings have been held recently in both Bath and Bradford on Avon. If you'd like to know more please contact: [bathxr@gmail.com](mailto:bathxr@gmail.com) and we'll pass you on.

### The Work That Reconnects - workshops, Monday 7th November and Friday 2nd December

<https://dandelion.earth/e/wtr-bath-nov>

<https://dandelion.earth/e/wtr-bath-dec>

The workshops offer facilitated practices to enable deep connection with our concerns for the world, allowing us to harnesses our emotions as a motivating force.

Each workshop is different, and includes practices of deep ecology (experiencing ourselves as part of nature), deepening our sense of time, and nature connection. I also weave in bioregional ideas of belonging and connecting to place. Philosophical perspectives are introduced for living with uncertainty and the complexity of the world's predicament. We create space to reflect on how we each want to contribute to a better world.

## What's Been Happening

### Weekend of Resistance - London - Oct 14-16

Members of the group went up to London for a weekend of protest and outreach, highlighting the links between the Climate and cost of living crises



### Two roots to Extinction - workshop, Sat Nov 8th

Bath XR joined with Bath Stop War coalition and Bath campaigns network to highlight the link between War and Climate Change

### Enough is Enough March, Bath

We joined this March with Bath Campaigns Network, Bath TUC and Just stop Oil

## HOW TO KEEP IN THE LOOP

### XR BATH BROADCAST GROUP

If you only join one chat group, this is the one - the [XR BATH BROADCAST](#) group on WhatsApp.

We endeavour to put key events and announcements on here.

Only admins can post on this, so it is a lot less “busy” than our general (very interesting) [XR Bath Chat](#).

Also, if you click on “group info” in either chat you will find a links to other chats/groups, in Bath XR.

### Bath XR Website Calendar

This is now up to date, particularly for local meetings, events and actions

<https://xrbath.org.uk/events/>

## SHARE! SHARE! SHARE!

We are producing some excellent feed on our Facebook; instagram and Twitter accounts. We need to get the message out beyond the “converted”, so please share on your personal accounts - this magnifies the impacts of our actions.

FB: <https://www.facebook.com/extinctionrebellionbath/>

IG: <https://www.instagram.com/extinctionrebellionbath/>

TW: <https://twitter.com/XRBath>

## XR UK NEWS

<https://extinctionrebellion.uk/category/newsletter/>

## XR SW CALENDAR

<https://xrsw.uk/xrevents/>

## XR TALKS AND TRAINING

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

Please stay in touch [bathxr@gmail.com](mailto:bathxr@gmail.com)

<https://xrbath.org.uk/>

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

<https://www.instagram.com/extinctionrebellionbath/>

<https://twitter.com/XRBath>

Please send details of any events, trainings, etc to [calendar@xrbath.org.uk](mailto:calendar@xrbath.org.uk)

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

PLEASE REACH OUT TO US. Vicki is on [swrc@protonmail.com](mailto:swrc@protonmail.com)

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