

ABINGDON TOWN COUNCIL

Report to	Environment, Amenities and Infrastructure committee
Meeting date	9th February 2026
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Agenda item	6

Report on Green Forum

Prior

1. Plastics Quiz designed and printed to give visitors to the CEC, Blue Sky Café, and Clubs and Societies Day
2. One new business signed up to the Plastic Free Community Programme.
3. Talk to Primary School eco club about single use plastics, a huge success.
4. Repair Cafes 1st Saturday of the month. Family skill shares every Sunday, weekly chess and crochet.
5. Talk by Robin Tucker ‘Getting Abingdon Moving’, cycling and walking improvements coming to Abingdon in the next 5 years (active travel innovation grant application unsuccessful).
6. Talk looking at the myths, reality, and consequences of immigration.
7. Vale considering trees for UV protection within the Splash Park on Abbey Meadows.
8. Christmas get together for all green community groups, sharing food, crafts, and a quiz on trees.
9. New Year’s Resolution Drop-In.

Future

1. New housing leafleted for tree giveaway on Valentine’s Day
2. Green Forum still the Global South; talk Wed 18th Feb on how extractivism, rooted in colonial history, drives environmental destruction.
3. 11th April Clubs and Societies Day.
4. Winter Exhibition in Abingdon Museum; focusing on Abingdon’s wild flora and fauna in this climate emergency.