

## Sheffield Climate Alliance Campaign Group Reports – To June 2017 Monthly Meeting

### **Campaign: Food Group**

#### ***Recent activities:***

- We have a pull-up banner now (Luise to be reimbursed £70 paid to Pinders).
- We attended "Food for Thought" at the Food Festival, with the Banana Game from CNU and the banner, presentation, quiz and leaflets... It was easy to engage people so we do now have a package to raise awareness and promote discussion of food and climate change.
- If anyone can think of a suitable group or meeting which might like to have us do a short presentation, please let us know.
- Luise offered to attend next festival stall

***Meetings coming up:*** – early July, please email for details.

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### **Campaign: Divestment / South Yorkshire Fossil Free!**

#### ***Who is involved?***

Sean Ashton, Janet Milton, Janet Paske, Kate Stott, Dinah Ward, Brian Webster

#### ***Report on recent activities:***

Dinah was at Peace in the Park, Saturday 10 June, volunteering in the SCA activity area.

During our fortnightly meetings we've put together an outline activity plan for the next period including more awareness raising activities in Sheffield, Barnsley and elsewhere. We've also started thinking about how make best use of the Annual Fund Meeting of South Yorkshire Pension Authority to be held in October

#### ***Aims and tasks for next period:***

- A stall at Banner Cross Methodist Church Eco Open Day, Saturday 17 June, 10.30am – 2.30pm
- Join the mass demo 'Green Jobs, Renewable Energy and Divest/Invest' taking place on Friday 14 July outside the Cuadrilla fracking site at Preston New Road, Lancashire – organised by Fossil Free Network. If you're interested in taking part and/or want more information, drop us an email – the more the merrier.
- Join others from SCA at Westfield Gala on 12 August.

***Meetings coming up:*** the next group meeting is on Wednesday 28 June 2017 upstairs at the Blue Moon Café, 5.30-7.00pm (we meet fortnightly).

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### **Campaign: Anti- Fracking / Sheffield against Fracking**

***Who is involved?*** Julie Graham, Bev Booker (SCA contacts) plus new committee elected May 2017

***Meetings coming up:*** regular meeting is usually 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month 7-9pm.

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## Campaign: Climate Jobs

### ***Who is involved?***

Jenny Patient, Lauren Jones, Jenny Carpenter, Celia Mather, George Coiley, Richard Souter, Aaron Thierry, Chris Broome, Margaret Stone.

### ***Report on recent activities:***

We have submitted our report responding to the Sheffield City Region Vision to Prof Heather Campbell on 12 May, but one month on have not received a reply. We will now chase a response and publicise our report.

Most of the team are involved in the Air Pollution Experiment happening on Thurs 15 June, measuring pollution experienced travelling by bus, car, foot or bike from Broomhill to Sheffield station.

Our team is also taking a lead to organise the Zero Carbon Yorkshire 'Climate Summit' event in October.

### ***Aims and tasks for next period:***

- We intend to circulate our 'Sustainable Vision' report to key friends of SCA in different sectors, and to request their feedback and endorsement.
- We are looking at a short study visit to Nottingham to understand better their Energy company and transport programmes.

***Meetings coming up:*** Tues 11<sup>th</sup> July 7-9pm – contact us for venue details. We meet on the second Tuesday each month (but probably not in August).

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## Campaign: Youth Group

### ***Who is involved?***

Lauren Jones, Aaron Thierry, Anna Brook, George Coiley (sounding board), Juliet De Little (sounding board), Sarah Boddy (sounding board)

### ***Report on recent activities:***

Lauren has chased up some resources from Friends of the Earth both regionally and nationally, and will follow-up with Greenpeace on how they can help.

### ***Aims and tasks for next period:***

- rearrange meeting date in July to announce at SCA meeting 20<sup>th</sup> June.
- Discussion to be had on this week's air pollution experiment, what we learnt from it and what opportunities to follow up on including scheme Lee Crookes has emailed about.

***Meetings coming up:*** Please email for details. All welcome to come along though, you don't have to be 'young' – just have ideas and some experience!

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