



Sustainable Chulmleigh working towards a greener future...

Events and Projects: Last updated 8th April 2025

Project	Facilitating	Current state of play	Latest Update/ Actions/ Queries
Allotment	Claire/ Nick	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cardboard and compost down. Fruit trees sourced CAG £300 grant secured More compost available from Amy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AP Claire to plant the donated fruit trees along the community strip next to the SC allotment. AP Bench to be moved from Nick and Claire's garden and donated by them. AP All - Next meeting, plan a planting session and invite the community (Amy's suggestion) to bring seedlings.
Churchyard	Claire/ Nick	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strimming schedule on track Mud kitchen in place 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Churchyard: Nick has met with the Vicar, Tony and the bowl and utensils will be stored at the church. AP Nick and Claire sourcing seating. Still hope to have some nature friendly information points...discuss at next meeting?
Cadbury Pond and beyond	Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50% Grant monies now through Benches bought Amber involved (see below) Guide visits x2 booked 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> More events to plan Bird Feeding station to set up Equipment and tables/ chairs to be purchased Electrics to be sorted in barn Walk through re access needed Jack will handle ongoing actions but at our next meeting, please can we plan a nature friendly social? TBD AP Amy liaising with Chulmleigh Brownies and has suggested they do nature friendly activities at Cadbury Cottage. This will be on a Wednesday evening TBD.
Farm Producers	Claire/Jack with Jo Moser	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jo has produced initial list of 16 producers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AP Jack to create draft website section
Crafting Project	Amy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Awaiting update from Gemma Funding may be needed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green scythe have contacted Amy and have asked for more info. This sounds promising and could fund both the panel project and Blue hearts...see below (And any other crafting activities we might choose to do?)



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Blue Hearts	Kelly/ Julie/ Amy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Whole Primary school on board, painting session and assembly taken place 50 BHs now purchased Mini BHs purchased for whole school Cathy from DWT on board 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kelly's notes, Amy and Julie chipping in): all agreed this is a fantastic community project, being organised as a sub-committee for ease. Seems to be gaining momentum. Amy...some of the green scythe fair grant can perhaps fund it. Julie...Gemma's daughter is decorating two and Gemma wants to make a display in her shop window. Please can committee have monthly feedback at meetings and on how the project is going i.e. just stick a note in the SC chat same as the sub committee for the Summer Gathering. In the future we will be asking for a minimum donation of £3 for this to be banked and to go back into group funds. Any further expenses to be discussed by whole committee before any purchases made as agreed in our funding statement. TBA heart arty session at Cadbury Cottage. AP Kelly to organise Cathy (wilder communities) going into the school to further enhance the link she's formed. £20 donations taken at Coffee morning and 10 more hearts bought
Amber - involvement in future events	Jack/ Amy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Residents x6 attended Nest Box building on March 8th Booked for tree planting at CC 10th April 	
SC Lending Library	Nick/ Claire	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Books to be moved to new premises (Kevin Davies shop) in near future 	
River monitoring		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WRT / Sus Chulm event spring?? Will Frost (Biosphere) to provide sensors x2 for River Dart 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water Blitz 25-28 April!- AP Jack to liaise with Amy WRT / Sus Chulm - AP Amy to liaise
Nature Choir	Dorette	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To discuss when time 	



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Thursday 10 th April	Tree planting with Amber	Private	Jack/ Amy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RA needed
Sunday 27 th April	Plant Hunt at Cadbury Cottage, 2pm till 4pm	Public – to book	Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RA needed Dorette to attend £5 entrance fee AP Jack to create event on FB
Wednesday 30 th April	Broadridge Farm visit, 2pm till 5pm	Public – to book	Dorette/ Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dorette has a risk assessment in place for site visits. Entry by suggested donation of £5. AP Jack to create an event with max 20 people. AP Jack and Dorette to liaise.
Saturday 3 rd May	Sustainable Chulmleigh will be at Catkin Blooms, Winkleigh 10am	Public	Nick/ Claire/ Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To talk to Cath Nick/Claire/Jack to attend and anyone else if free to pop over.
Wednesday 14 th May	Pond dipping etc at Cadbury Cottage with Guides	Private	Jack/ Amy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RA needed Source equipment and ID guides (in hand)
Friday 16 th May	'Farming the Flood' and 'Balancing the Scales' - film viewing and expert panel	Public	Nick/ Claire	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel: Dorette, Nick Viney and one other AP Nick, Claire and Jack to meet to sort details. AP Nick is downloading the films
Wednesday 28 th May	A guided walk around Taw River Dairy with Sam and Gemma Bullingham, 2pm start	Public – to book	Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Early summer (May)	Walk and Chalk round Chulmleigh	Public	Kelly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AP Kelly TBD ...good weather in May then go for it. Kelly will double check with PC as before
Wednesday 5 th June	Moth trapping/ Minibeast hunt etc at Cadbury Cottage with Guides	Private	Jack/ Amy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Saturday 21 st June	Roborough Rewilders visit, 2.30pm start	Public – to book	Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
June 2025	Repair Cafe, 1pm till 4pm, Town Hall	Public	Claire/ Julie/ Nick	<ul style="list-style-type: none">



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Saturday 19th July	Summer Gathering at Cadbury Cottage: talks, tours, books, birds, invertebrates and bats....	Public – to book	Claire/ Nick/ Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sub-committee met on 25th March, minutes sent out
Sunday 20th July	Sustainable Chulmleigh will be at Taw River Dairy Open Day - more details soon.	Public	Claire/ Nick/ Jack	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Sept/ Oct	Hedgehog box building	Public	Nick	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dependent on sourcing wood from Mike Moser
Nov	Litter Pick, With plastic free North Devon	Public	Amy/ Nick	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
2026	Barnstaple Museum display	Public	Nick	<ul style="list-style-type: none">