

South Devon Catchments Partnership

Agenda

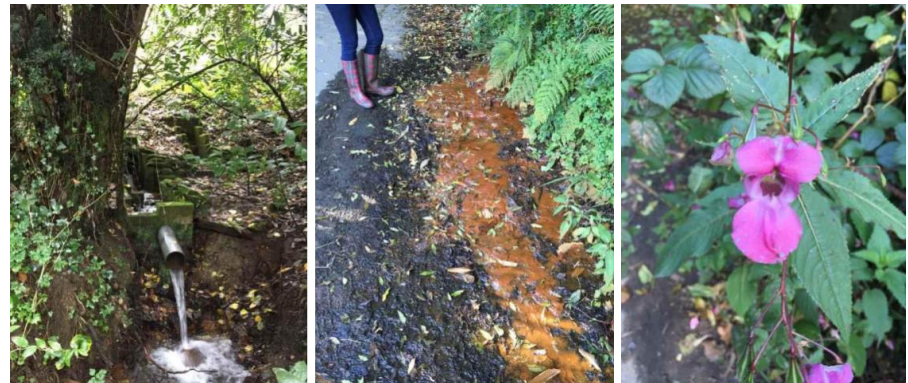


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Achievements

Successful projects completed to date:

- CPAF 'Addressing Nutrients in South Devon'
 - Working in the Kingsbridge-Salcombe estuary and Slapton Ley area to reduce diffuse pollution
 - Activities included:
 - Septic tanks - community engagement and low cost tank emptying by local contractor
 - Citizen science - volunteer citizen scientists recruited to undertake monitoring
 - Education – including drain-marking campaign with local schools



Achievements



- Estuaries Management Plan
 - Completed and soon to be released



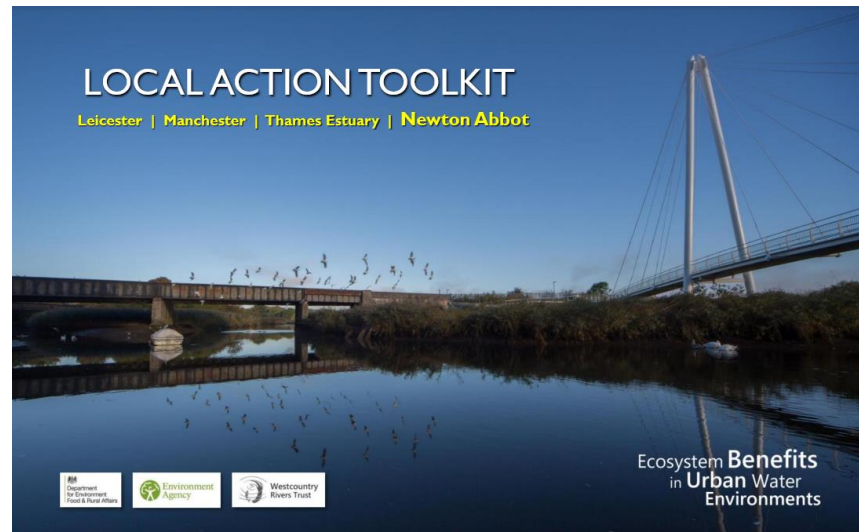
Achievements

- Dart and Teign River Improvement Project
 - River restoration work, including:
 - Fish barrier remediation
 - Fencing
 - Farm advice
 - Habitat management, such as coppicing and flow deflectors



Achievements

- Local Action Project in Newton Abbot
 - A review of existing ecosystem services and opportunity mapping for improving ecosystem service provision



Current Projects

CPAF Frogmore Creek

- Continuing from previous CPAF project, focusing on Frogmore Creek catchment
- Activities include:
 - School visits in Stokenham and West Charleton
 - Community engagement events in Frogmore, Stokenham and West Charleton
 - Farm visits and advice
 - Engagement video commissioned



Current Projects

Upstream Thinking

- Working with landowners to reduce pollution and pesticides in the upper reaches of rivers across the Westcountry, including the Dart
- Current work includes:
 - Pesticide amnesty
 - Chemcatcher monitoring
 - Pesticide modelling
 - Pesticide workshops



Current Projects

Estuary Biosecurity Plans

- Specialist consultant commissioned to produce individual estuary biosecurity plans
- Planned ID workshops to engage and educate stakeholders on marine/ estuarine NNIS



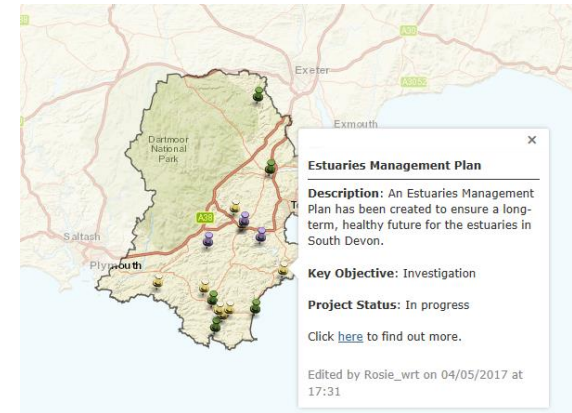
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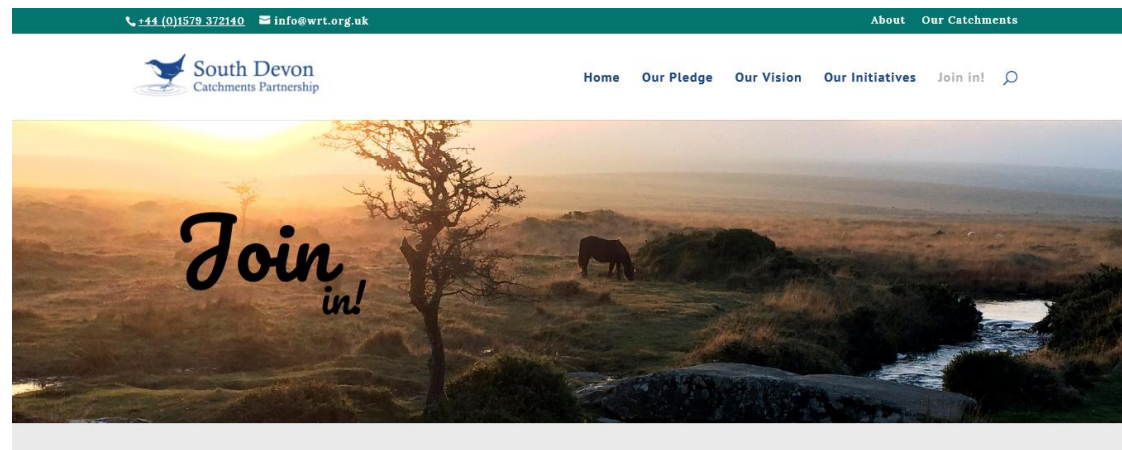
South Devon Catchments Partnership website

To become a hub for sharing information with the public from the partnership itself and from partners, including:

- Meetings and events
- Advice and best practice
- Volunteering opportunities
- Viewing projects on a map



Plus gaining support and new partners, especially for our informed group.



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Our origins



Westcountry
Rivers Trust

Schumacher
College

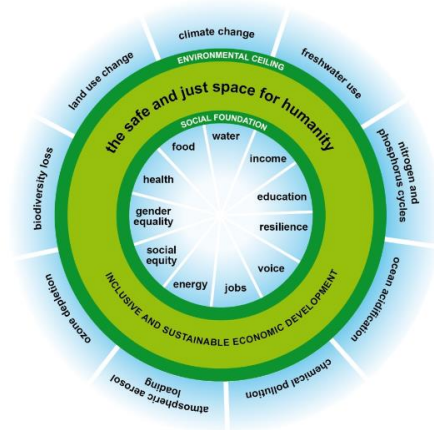


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WaterLIFE

Who we are

Ecology
Learning
Livelihoods
Arts



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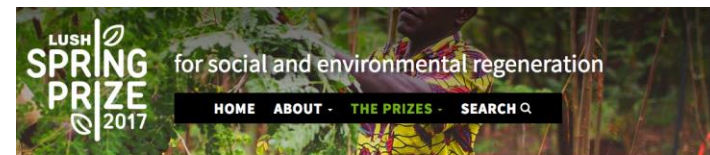
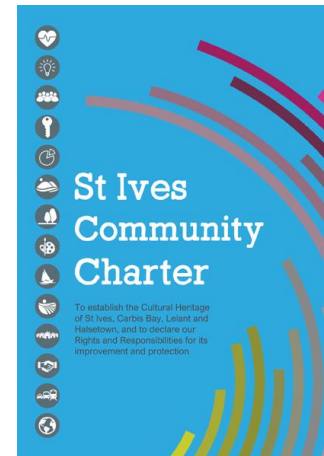
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HOW DO YOU KNOW WHEN YOU'RE ON YOUR OWN TURF?



CALLING BIOREGIONAL PIONEERS...

JOIN US FOR AN EXPEDITION TO PROSPECT FOR WEALTH OF LEARNING IN THE DEEP-VALLEYED WORLD OF SOUTH DEVON.



Bioregional Learning Centre

The Bioregional Learning Centre sits amongst a network of local people and organisations in South Devon where community innovation, local economics, and regeneration of place is already happening.

Our work is aimed at increasing the scale, pace and efficacy required to make this happen.

The region has the potential to become a centre of excellence in the UK, known for examples where we have changed our relationships with food, water, energy, soil, waste, ecology and economy, seen over time as an interrelated system.

We build partnerships and work in collaborative project teams to design and implement solutions to regional wellbeing and sustainability. Using best practice techniques for creative engagement we organise design days, get projects off the ground, hold the whole picture, connect people to each other and people to place.



Networks
2017
Intentional Projects
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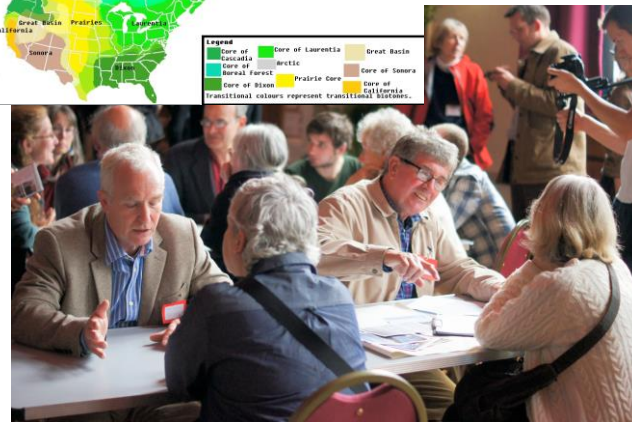
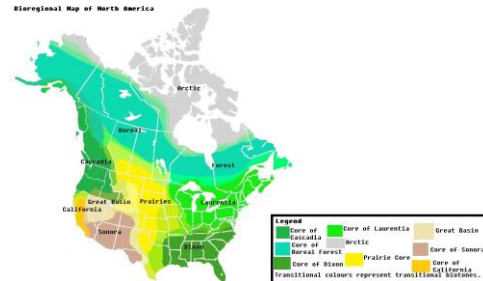
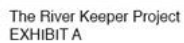
Project information

English

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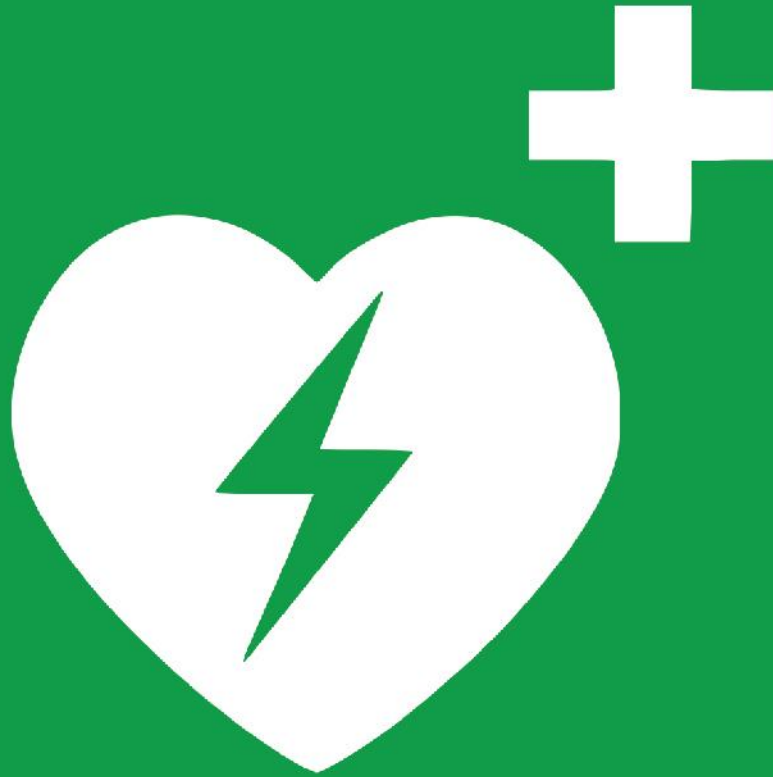
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We see opportunity





Is this what's needed?!