

# WHAT'S ON IN LOW CARBON OXFORD WEEK 2015

Plan your week and make the most of the fabulous, fun events on offer in Oxford 13-21 June. All events are free unless otherwise stated. Check out [www.lcoweek.org](http://www.lcoweek.org) for full event details and how to book.

## Saturday 13 June

Festival of Nature: Dawn Chorus Walk	Meet at St Mary the Virgin, Church Street	4.30am-6.30am (£3)
Festival of Nature: Small Mammal Trapping	The Pavilion, Manor Road	8am-9.30am
Talking Shop	Catherine Wheel, Sandford On Thames	9am-12pm
Isis Cyclists CTC Women-only Bike Ride – Countryside and Cuddleston	Meet at Starbucks London Road, Headington	9.45-2pm
<b>Oxford's Big Green Day Out</b>	<b>Broad Street</b>	<b>10am-5.30pm</b>
East Oxford Farmers and Community Market	East Oxford Primary School	10am-1pm



Workshops, upcycling, innovative technologies, music, food, electric cars, entertainment and more!

<b>Festival of Nature: Wild Fair</b>	<b>Oxford University Museum of Natural History</b>	<b>10am-4pm</b>
Make a Pedal Powered Smoothie	Crisis Skylight Café, Old Fire Station, George Street	10am-4pm (£2 per smoothie)
Heritage Skills Taster Session: Woolworks	Earth Trust Farm, Little Wittenham	10am-3pm
Food for Free! Foraging Walk	Start at Blackbird Leys Community Centre	11am-12pm
Wood Farm Play and Activity Day	Atkins Way Recreation Ground	11am-3pm
DIY Bike Repair Workshop	Broken Spoke Bike Coop, Pembroke St	11am-5pm (£7/£5 conc.)
Orinoco Swap Shop	Bullingdon Community Centre	11am-1pm
Barracks Lane Open Garden	Barracks Lane Community Garden	11am-5pm
Brompton Big Green Treasure Hunt Challenge	Start out from Big Green Day Out on Broad Street	12pm
Oxford Summer Mela	Manzil Way	12pm-6pm (£2 adults)
Festival of Nature: Wildlife Storytelling	Waterstones, Broad St	2-3pm
Bike ride to CS Lewis' House 'The Kilns' & the 'Wood Between the Worlds'	Start at Tourist Information Centre, Broad Street	2pm-5pm (Entry fee for the house £10 adults, £8 students, £6 children)

Reptiles, falcons, creepy crawlies plus games and entertainments for all the family



## Sunday 14 June

South Oxford Farmers Market	Lake Street Community Centre	9.30am-12pm
Summertown Farmers Market	Summertown Shops, Banbury Road	10am-2pm
Oxford Green House Open Day	Benson Place, North Oxford	10am-4pm
Wolvercote Farmers Market	Wolvercote Primary School, First Turn	10am-1pm

<b>Clothes swap, mending and scarecrow making workshop</b>	<b>Barracks Lane Community Gardens</b>	<b>2pm-5pm</b>
Broken Spoke Beers & Gears Pub Lunch Ride	Start out from Bonn Square	11am-2pm
<b>DIY Bike Repair Workshop</b>	<b>Broken Spoke Bike Coop, Pembroke St</b>	<b>11am-5pm (£7/£5 conc.)</b>
Oxford Bus Company Trip to Sandy Lane Farm	Pick up from various stops around Oxford	12pm-4pm
OxGrow Work Party	Hogacre EcoPark	1pm-5pm
Hill End Open Day – hosted by Tandem	Hill End Outdoor Education Centre, Farmoor	6pm-9pm (£5)

Giving your old clothes a second chance or a new life



Community tool chest, new and secondhand parts, expert mechanics and plenty of tea & biscuits

## Monday 15 June

Digital Technology and Environmental Challenges Workshop	Saïd Business School	10am-3pm
<b>Ready, Steady, Cookup!</b>	<b>Glow Hall, Blackbird Leys Road</b>	<b>3.30pm-5.30pm</b>
Paradise Wood Open Evening	Earth Trust Farm, Little Wittenham	6pm-8pm (£5 adults/£2 children)
Cyclo Traffic-light-free City Circle Ride	Start out from Tourist Information Centre, Broad St.	6pm-8pm
Oxford Green Drinks	Turl Street Kitchen, Turl Street	6.30pm-11pm

A race to prepare healthy fast food on a budget!



## Tuesday 16 June

Bike Powered Smoothies and Fruit-filled Pancakes (kids ages 0-5)	The Leys Children's Centre, Wesley Close	11am-2pm
<b>Oxford Hive Mind – Talk, Workshop and FreeBee lunch</b>	<b>Hinksey Park</b>	<b>12.30pm-2pm</b>
Cyclo Evening Ride – The Quarry-Roubaix ride	Start out from Mason's Arms, Quarry School Place	5.30pm-6.45pm



Outdoor bee workshop from beekeeper Tanya Hawkes and Fiona Tavner from Friends of the Earth Oxford with free buffet lunch

## Wednesday 17 June

<b>Reimagining Creativity – Free workshop with Julie's Bicycle</b>	<b>The Old Fire Station, George Street</b>	<b>10am-2.30pm</b>
Lunchtime Webinar – Assessing Buildings for Energy Reduction Opportunities	Online	12.30pm-1pm
Site Tour of Thames Street Eco Development with a2dominion	Thames Street	6pm-8pm
Sustrans World War One Bike Ride	Start out from Museum of History of Science	6pm – 8.30pm
<b>A deal in Paris: will it make any difference? Talk by James Painter at Low Carbon Oxford North's AGM</b>	<b>North Oxford Association Annexe</b>	<b>7pm – 9pm</b>

Practical workshop on sustainability for the arts and culture sector



Talk on whether the upcoming talks in Paris will actually make a difference to the future of climate change

Thursday 18 June

Thames Valley Police Cycle Safety and Security	Broad Street	10am-4pm
Memory Lane Reminiscence Session - Memories of the Green Movement in Oxford	Oxford Town Hall	2pm-3pm
Make a Pedal Powered Smoothie	Blackbird Leys Adventure Playground	3pm-5.30pm
Ready Steady Cookup!	Blackbird Leys Community Centre	4.15pm-6.15pm
Can you see the future of cycling? Cycling in Oxford Hackathon launch	The Launchpad, Said Business School	6pm-9pm
Stop, Stretch and Cycle	Meet at Cheney School	6pm-8pm
Hydro and Hogacre Guided Walk	Meet at The Punter, South Street, Osney Island	6pm-8pm



Reminiscence session for older people featuring ex-Lord Mayor of Oxford Elise Benjamin from Oxford Green Party



Cycling in Oxford problem busting hackathon launch

Friday 19 June

Edible Hanging Basket Making	Potters Court, Blackbird Leys	10am-12pm & 2pm-4pm
Home Grown Energy Conference: Community Energy in Action	Westmill Solar and Wind Farm, Watchfield	10am-4pm (£100/£25 conc.)
Wheels for All: Open Taster Session	Horspath Athletics and Sports Ground	10am-12pm (£3)
Thames Valley Police Cycle Safety and Security	Broad Street	10am-4pm
DIY Bike Repair Workshop	Broken Spoke Bike Coop, Pembroke St	11am-5pm (£7/£5 conc.)
Energise Rose Hill	Rose Hill Community Centre, The Oval	3.13pm-5pm
Cyclo Evening Ride: Visit to Tolkien's Grave and the Treacle Well in Binsey	Start out from the Tourist Information Centre, Broad St.	6pm-8.30pm
Ran Kan Kan : Congo Cuba Connection	Arts at the Old Fire Station	8pm-midnight (£10/£8 conc. or £12 on the door)
Tandem Festival	Hill End Outdoor Education Centre, Farmoor	(£75 incl camping)



Plant a hanging basket with edible plants and take it home! Suitable for kids



Family fun with face painting, sports, games, smoothie bike, balloon modelling, tug-o-war, make a solar panel & make art from rubbish

Saturday 20 June

Tandem Festival	Hill End Outdoor Education Centre, Farmoor	(£75 incl camping)
Talking Shop	Catherine Wheel, Sandford On Thames	9am-12pm
ISIS Cyclists Women-only CTC Long Ride to Stanton-in-the-Vale	Start out from Oxford Rail Station	9.45am-4pm
Test Drive the Future!	Cuttesslowe Park	10am-4pm
East Oxford Farmers and Community Market	East Oxford Primary School	10am-1pm
Bainton Bikes Official Oxford Cycle Tour	Start out from Walton Street Cycles	11am-2pm (£10 bike hire if needed)
Flo Fest	Florence Park	11am-5pm
DIY Bike Repair Workshop	Broken Spoke Bike Coop, Pembroke St	11am-5pm (£7/£5 conc.)
For the Love of Botley! West Way Community Festival	West Way, Botley	12pm - 10.30pm
Westmill Wind and Solar Farm open day	Watchfield	1.30-4pm
Dorset Dash Bike Ride	Meet at Tourist Information Centre, Broad Street	8.30pm-9am
Museum of Oxford Collecting Day	Oxford Town Hall	11am-4pm



Intimate, international and eco-friendly music festival. An eclectic mix of folk, jazz, gypsy, afro-beat and classical music alongside ceilidhs,, singing, drumming and en-masse dancing with inspiring talks, workshops, films, poetry, theatre and more



Take a spin in a top of the range electric car from BMW, Nissan, Renault, Tesla or Citroen. Discover the benefits of going electric and how to join Oxford's ecar clubs

Sunday 21 June

Sustrans Solstice Morning Ride	Meet at Tourist Information Centre, Broad St	5.45am-8am
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Wolvercote Farmers Market	Wolvercote Primary School, First Turn	10am-1pm
Summertown Farmers Market	Summertown Shops, Banbury Road	10am-2pm
DIY Bike Repair Workshop	Broken Spoke Bike Coop, Pembroke St	11am-5pm (£7/£5 conc.)
Max's Science Cycle Ride	Story Museum, Pembroke St	11-1pm & 2.30-4.30pm (£10/£8 stu.)
OxGrow Work Party	Hogacre EcoPark off Whitehouse Rd	1pm-5pm
The Science of Cycling	Story Museum, Pembroke St	6.30pm-8pm (£8/£5 stu.)
DIY Bike Clinic and Open Day	Barracks Lane Community Gardens	11am-2pm



Join Science Oxford, Broken Spoke and Max Glaskin, author of Cycling Science, to explore the science behind this eco-friendly popular mode of transport



Exhibition of UK protest photographers, poets and artists

Available all week

Resistance is Fertile	OVADA Osney Lane	Thursdays to Sundays 12-6pm
Dinner at the Turl Street Kitchen	Turl St	Open for dinner 6pm-10pm
Art exhibition by Crisis Skylight members	Arts at the Old Fire Station, George St	All day
Tandem Festival Skills Camp	Hill End Outdoor Education Centre, Eynsham Road	see <a href="http://www.tandemfestival.com">www.tandemfestival.com</a> for details
Upcycled Jewellery for sale	Town Hall Gift Shop	Monday-Saturday 10am-5pm
The Big Green Treasure Hunt	All over Oxford	Enter anytime between 13-21 June at <a href="http://www.icoweek.org">www.icoweek.org</a>
Barefoot Books Eco-craft sessions	Barefoot Books, Banbury Road, Summertown	Tuesday 16 - Sunday 21 June 4pm-4.30pm (£3 per person)
Oxfam LCO Week Book Sale	Woodstock Road	

Art on the theme of low carbon and recycling



Little ones can create something special to take home from upcycled materials!

