

12.45	Lunch break; Stalls			P L E D G I N G	Cafe Room	C H I L D R E N S W O R K S H O P	Workshops:		
Time	Elwin (Large Room)	Murch (Small)	Lonsdale (Medium)						Singing Workshop: Candy Verney simple “green” songs and World music plus spontaneous group singing through the day
13.45	Transition and Local Councils: Working Together to Achieve Change Jane Wildblood (Sustainability Officer BANES) Presentations and small group discussion	Strategies for Living Sustainably Piers Taylor, prize winning eco architect, father and demon cyclist 14:40 Corsham Council and Transition Allan Bosley (Chairman, Corsham Council)	The Leadership of Sustainable Schools: can it change the climate of schools in time? Jane Reed (Head International Network for School Improvement, IOE) Sustainability in local schools (with King Edward’s pupils)				Tea/Coffees Sandwiches/ Cakes available throughout the day 14:00 – 15:15 Transition Salsa Theme Tune Chris Johnstone		A Transition Salsa Theme Tune: Chris Johnstone introducing a simple Transition theme tune in the Salsa tradition, fun to sing and dance to. No particular musical knowledge or experience is needed
15.20	Break; Stalls								
15.35	The Water Challenge Julian Caldecott (Author and Environmentalist)	Local Energy Perspectives: what can we do collectively that we can't do individually to reduce CO₂ emissions? Peter Capener with panel Jane Wildblood (BANES) and Jeff Kenna (Camco)	Singing Workshop with Candy Verney (Community Choir Leader)				Imagineering Exploring our creative responses to Transition with ecopoet Helen Moore		Children's Workshops with Julia Christmas Including hat making from recycled waste, exploring the rain forest and story telling. Suitable for all ages.
16.15	Inspiring Change in Individuals, Groups, Towns & Cities Chris Johnstone								
16.45	The Closing remarks and Completions	Take away the gift of a pledge!							

Climate Change: What does it really mean: *Mark Lynas* will talk about the near future social and economic challenges our world faces and what we can do to make a difference. Mark has worked for nearly a decade as a specialist on climate change and is the author of three books on the subject. His *Carbon Counter* is a highly practical guide to low carbon-living that aims to see us all end up fitter and healthier too. In *Six Degrees: Our future on a hotter planet* (2007) (as featured in a 10 page spread in *The Sunday Times Magazine*). Mark explains recent scientific evidence about the effects of global warming in a series of step-by-step scenarios. Mark writes for the *Guardian* and the *Independent* and is a frequent contributor to *New Statesman*. Mark was an important contributor to and appeared in the current film *The Age of Stupid*.

Energy & CO2 – The Way to Go: *Jeff Kenna*, Director of CAMCO

Transition – What is it, what it does and What’s happening next

Ben Brangwyn, Co-founder of Transition Network and part of local currency team for Transition Town Totnes.

Permaculture – everyone can do it: *Patrick Whitefield*

Transition and Local Councils: Community Engagement - What we are doing and where we are going. Presentation and small group discussion: an opportunity for you to speak up and influence. *Jane Wildblood*, Sustainability Officer, BANES

Corsham Council and Transition: *Allan Bosley*, Chair of Corsham Council

The Water Challenge: *Julian Caldecott*- a Bath-based ecologist with a mission to reduce and repair the damage that people do to the biosphere. He works to encourage and enable people to increase their resilience to climate change. Julian has contributed to major conservation programmes in Indonesia, the Philippines, China, Sri Lanka and Nigeria. At The Big Event Julian will explain The Water Challenge.

Inspiring Change in Individuals, Groups, Towns and Cities: *Chris Johnstone* specialises in the psychology of positive change. His book *Find Your Power* is one of the few self-help books to address both personal and planetary concerns - Chris will talk about how to apply these ideas and make positive changes now and will include an Introduction to some principles and strategies that help us connect with reasons for change, positive vision and action based on this, exploring how we move up systems levels from individuals to groups to neighbourhoods and organisations to cities.

Green Business – The Vital Role of Entrepreneurs: The vital role that entrepreneurs can play in tackling climate change through: building green businesses; taking a leadership role in reducing their own footprint; supporting the work of environmental NGOs. *Andrew Mercer* (Chairman and founder of Footdown, a group based leadership coaching and mentoring organisation. CEO and co-founder of 2OC, a renewable energy company formed from within the Bath Footdown group. CEO of Blue-NG, a joint venture between 2oC and National Grid) , *Annette Mercer* (Co-founder of Footdown. Consultant to 2oc and Blue-NG on 2nd generation bioenergy, including producing energy from municipal and commercial waste streams), *Rob Weston, Nathan Baranowski*

Compacting – Buy less, live more: *Christine Bone* leads workshops on compacting, is funny and self-aware and inspires others to try her anti-consumerism experiment which she prefers to call use-less-live-more.

Feastarianism: How your food choices can help reduce energy consumption and CO2 emissions.

Strategies for Living Sustainably: *Piers Taylor* is a leading Bath-based eco-architect who is passionate about the use of sustainable materials and making our homes kinder on the environment.

Local Energy Perspectives: *Peter Carpenter* (Independent Energy Consultant) and *Jane Wildblood* (Sustainability Officer, BANES)

Permaculture in El Salvador, a tropical country already deeply impacted by Climate Change: *Karen Inwood*, Director of Permaculture Institute in El Salvador

Incredible Edible and the Revolution that started with a finely dressed carrot: *Paul Clarke* (Director), *Hugh Prentice* (Local CSA & Land Share)

Sustainable Transition Initiatives: Transition Bath, Corsham, Larkhall, Wellow (including introduction to a new Bath group: Living within the Planet's means).

The Leadership of Sustainable Schools: Can it change the climate of schools in time: *Jane Reed* (Head International Network for School Improvement IOE). This session will report on a recent exciting research project that has been working with 56 schools across the country to investigate the nature of school leadership that supports sustainability. The findings suggest that there is a lot to hope for in schools making the necessary adjustments to their culture that are going to be needed for them to be more focused on sustainability. The session will be interactive and will give space to participants own learning, reflection and discussion.

Singing Workshop (Green based songs and World Music): *Candy Verney* No singing experience needed, singing for all!

Transition Salsa Theme Tune – *Chris Johnstone*

Imagineering: Exploring our creative responses to Transition with eco poet *Helen Moore*

Children's workshops with *Julia Christmas* see Julia for specific activities running throughout the day.