

What is the London Borough of Southwark doing for the environment?

- ♥ Climate Change – One of the first boroughs to map local emissions, the Council has approved a mitigation strategy (with strong support for decentralised energy supply) and is working with partners on a borough-wide implementation plan.
- ♥ Sustainable Energy – Elephant and Castle is one of London's four Energy Action Areas – so called because they are trialling groundbreaking new sustainable energy projects.
- ♥ Waste and Recycling – In three years, recycling rates have shot up to 20%. Find out about this and a wide-range of schemes to help you reduce your waste (including cash prizes for recycling and subsidised home composters/wormeries) at www.southwark.gov.uk/recycle
- ♥ Transport – Largest green fleet in London. Helping to define European best practice for travel planning through the Optimum project.
- ♥ Pollution and Environmental Quality – "AirTEXT scheme to inform public of poor air quality."
- ♥ Development and Construction – Consulting on new guidance for developers to help Southwark regenerate sustainably.
- ♥ Procurement and Resource Use – Corporate stationery contract defaults to recycled paper. Supporting partners to join up to the Mayor's Green Procurement Code.
- ♥ Ecology and Biodiversity – Southwark's Biodiversity Action Partnership has been working since 1994 to monitor and promote the borough's rare species such as the stagbeetle.

For more information about sustainability at Southwark, please contact naomi.baker@southwark.gov.uk

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Climate Change - This year's hottest topic

Love London in 2007 and take action to halt climate change. At LSW events you will find many simple and cost effective ways to save energy and the planet and you can also get involved with 'Climate Talk', an activity that encourages discussion and debate about these issues.

So just what can we Londoners do?

1 in 3 of us have already stopped using standby on TVs and other significant changes.

See the tips below for some more bright ideas.

- ♥ Do your bit for greener transport in London by joining Zipcar, the world's largest car club. As part of London Sustainability Week, Zipcar is offering a years free membership; logon to www.zipcar.com/lovelondon.
- ♥ Turn them all off! Unnecessary lights, TVs and computers on standby.
- ♥ If you need air conditioning at work, don't set it to be cooler than 24°C
- ♥ Support your local farmers market and buy seasonal, locally grown food
- ♥ Buy fair trade tea and coffee
- ♥ Slow down. Driving at 50mph uses 25% less fuel than 70mph.
- ♥ Improve your home insulation? Check London's DIY Planet Repairs scheme for advice, visit www.london.gov.uk/diy
- ♥ Join a local environmental group and run your own Love London event next year!

For more tips and a full events listing visit www.lovelondon.org.uk

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Love London

Love London Love Your Planet

Sustainability Weeks 3 - 17 June 2007

Hundreds of events. Over 2 weeks. All over London

www.lovelondon.org.uk



Love London, Love the planet?

Want to do something to save the World's environment locally? London Sustainability Weeks offers you a chance to enjoy 100s of free events this summer celebrating the Capital's wonderful environment. If you live or work in the London borough of Southwark, you will find a selection of stimulating and fun events close to you, detailed below. London Sustainability Weeks is sponsored by Land Securities, whose 'Capital Commitment' initiative aims to regenerate the areas in which they develop, creating a Better London. In Southwark, this has seen the UK property company support local grassroots charities, fund the regeneration of a disused cycle track, and commission artist Ian Davenport to create a 50m mural under the Western Bridge on Southwark Street. For more information about Land Securities visit www.landsecurities.com

Recycle Now week

4 – 8 June, various locations

Come along to see us in the Roadshow van and find out how you can help to make Southwark a greener, cleaner and safer place to live and work.

For information on what is happening in your local supermarket contact Ann Baker, 020 7525 2414 ann.baker@southwark.gov.uk
www.southwark.gov.uk

Love London recycled Sculpture show

5 – 15 June, 11.00-23.00
Sun and Doves Pub, 61-63 Coldharbour Lane

Come and see a life size polar bear made from old industrial machinery and recycled paper and many other weird and wonderful sculptures.

Mark Dodds
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www.sculpturemad.com

Building Sustainable Communities – Consultation Workshops

11 June, 19.00-21.00

InSpire - the Crypt at St Peter's, Liverpool Grove, London, SE17 2HH

13 June, 19.00-21.00

Sojourner Truth Centre, 161 Sumner Road, Peckham, SE15 6JL

Southwark Council is preparing planning guidance on sustainable development. These workshops will look at how the social, economic and environmental aspects of development are considered when planning regeneration. Participants will be encouraged to share their views.

Contact Planning Policy 020 7525 5471
www.southwark.gov.uk

Climate Change Walk - Southbank

9 and 15 June, 14.00-16.00
Southbank tbc

Join us on a walk around the Southbank as we meet a range of local people and hear their stories of how they are reducing their impact on our environment.

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Camberwell Wildlife Walk

16 June, 14.00-16.00
SEA/RENUE, Starting outside Peckham library, and finishing at Camberwell Green

Get to know your area and enjoy some light exercise as Eleanor Margolies guides you through the wild side of Camberwell.

Che Sutherland
020 7820 3184
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Recycle and Reuse Workshop

17 June, 14.00-16.00

East Dulwich Community Centre, 46-64 Darrell Road, East Dulwich

Bring yourself and your own ideas along to recycling and reuse workshop where we will be making unwanted 'rubbish' new again ...

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London Parks and Gardens Trust, Loire Valley Open Garden Squares Weekend Sunday 10 June, 2.00 – 5.00pm

Toddlers on Safari

13 June, 10.30-12.00
Bankside Open spaces Trust, Community Garden at The Tate Modern

A wonderful environmental workshop for under fives and their parents. Discover this hidden garden and its wildlife and make a bug of your own to take home. Please call to reserve a place.

020 7261 1099
info@bost.org.uk
www.bost.org.uk/

Energise London!

16 June, 10.00-16.00
Planet Positive, King's College, Stamford Street, London

Energise London about Climate Change!
Come along to find out what we can do about Climate Change in our local communities, what is already being done and how we can work together to inspire more action.

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♥ For more details about these events and more – visit www.lovelondon.org.uk ♥