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Summer '22 Programme

Events, campaigns and opportunities at Christ Church and in the wider community that engage with social and environmental sustainability issues and values.

Please note, this is a living document and will be added to as more opportunities are finalised.

May 2022

Daily	Tea at Three – drop in Join the chaplaincy team for tea, coffee, biscuits and conversation any week day, every week. All welcome. Organised by the Chaplaincy.	3pm, Chaplaincy Centre, Canterbury Campus
Weds 4 th 11 th 18 th 25 th	Potter & Prune – gardening drop-in Every Wednesday during term time join us for <i>Potter and Prune</i> gardening sessions in the Johnson Wellbeing Garden. Organised by the Academy for Sustainable Futures, open to all CCCU students and staff.	12 – 4pm, Johnson Wellbeing Garden (behind Johnson), Canterbury Campus
Fri 6 th 13 th , 20 th , 27 th	Lego Connect – staff and student drop in Every Friday, join the Chaplaincy team to have fun, meet other people, de-stress, relax and – of course – play with some Lego! Organised by the Chaplaincy.	1pm, Chaplaincy Centre, Canterbury Campus
Weds 11 th	<u>Jubilee Garden Rockery Planting and Pagoda Building (Part 2)</u> Join us as we refurbish the Erasmus Gardens as part of our Wilder Campus project. This session will focus on completion of the pagoda in the upper garden area. Equipment provided. Open to all staff and students for all or part of the morning.	9am – 12pm, meet in the upper gardens outside Erasmus, Canterbury Campus
Weds 18 th	<u>International Forest Planting – student event</u> International Students - leave a legacy of your time with us at Christ Church by planting a tree in at our new International Forest at Stodmarsh Playing Fields. (Transport provided). Organised by the International Office	1.30pm start, meet at Old Sessions House, Canterbury Campus
Fri 27 th	<u>Creativity at CCCU: BA Exhibition – an opening reception for staff and students</u> Join us for the opening of the 2022 BA Exhibition. The Daphne Oram Creative Arts Building will have final-year work from Games Design, Photography, Graphic Design, Digital Media, Creative and Professional Writing, Film Production and more on display across all floors. Organised by Arts and Culture.	4 – 7pm, Daphne Oram, Canterbury Campus
Fri 27 th	<u>Summer Prom Concert – a concert for staff and students</u> Following directly on from the BA Exhibition reception, we invite you to join us for the return of the Prom Concert, after a two-year pause, to celebrate the end of a year's music-making for some of our students - and the end of a university career's music-making for others. Organised by Arts and Culture.	7 – 9pm, St Gregory's Centre for Music, Canterbury Campus

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Tues 7 th	<p>Build a Dragon on Becket Lawn – staff and student activity Students and staff are invited to join a working party (with Christ Church heritage ale and snacks provided!) to help build the structural elements of a 12m long medieval dragon (she’s called Norma) on the lawn outside Becket. Once Norma’s body has been assembled from rubble and pinned in place with hessian and tent pegs, clay and straw ‘cob’ will be added upon which mosses will later be encouraged to grow. No booking necessary, just show up and muck in – all welcome! Organised by Dr Diane Heath and the Centre for Kent History and Heritage at Christ Church.</p>	2pm start, meet at the lawn outside Becket, Canterbury Campus.
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Weds 8 th	<p>Choosing Peace, Transforming Fear: Living Globally In 2022 - a discussion gathering with Priyali Ghosh This talk will consider the place of boundaries - both geographical and personal - in the collective experiences of lockdown and social distancing that have given the world unexpected common ground. Organised by Project 93.</p>	1 – 2pm, Powell Pf06, Canterbury Campus
Thurs 9 th – Fri 10 th	<p>Interdisciplinary Learning and Research Conference: Tackling the Big Issues Together To mark CCCU’s jubilee year, the conference explores the use of innovative, interdisciplinary approaches to tackle the problems the world is facing. Our speakers will discuss the adoption of interdisciplinarity in a wide range of subject areas, including: the arts; higher education and leadership; activism; decolonisation of the curriculum; health and wellbeing; sustainability; STEAM; School’s Education and Outreach.</p>	Two day conference, see booking link for details. Verena Holmes, Canterbury Campus
Thurs 9 th	<p>Community Tea Party – staff and student event Come and enjoy an afternoon tea, take a guided tour of our award-winning creative arts building, and explore the exhibitions, at this special reception. Students from our creative courses will be showcasing their final degree show work in our Daphne Oram Building for Creative Arts. The</p>	3 – 5.30pm, Daphne Oram, Canterbury Campus

	exhibition will stretch across three floors and include projects from Photography and Graphic Design, Games Design, Film and Digital Media, and Creative and Professional Writing students. Organised by Arts & Culture.	
Fri 10 th , 17 th , 24 th	Lego Connect – staff and student drop in Every Friday (excluding bank holidays), join the Chaplaincy team to have fun, meet other people, de-stress, relax and – of course – play with some Lego! Organised by the Chaplaincy.	1pm, Chaplaincy Centre, Canterbury Campus
Sat 11 th	AFTERGLOW: Pride 2022 – staff and student event Join CCCU staff and students join at The Lounge to celebrate this years' Pride; open to all! Following the day's events in the city centre, connect with the Universities LGBTQIA+ community with a quiz and UV party. Organised by CCSU and CCCU Students.	5 – 11pm, The Lounge, St George's Place, Canterbury Campus
Tues 14 th	Peter's People's Pizza Party – staff and student event Join us for some free, hand-prepared p-p-p-pizza freshly based in our clay bread oven which will be fired up and cooking away outside Verena Holmes. Find out more about our Green Heritage, chat to our Student Green Office and Academy staff, and connect with other staff and students from around the University. Organised by the Academy for Sustainable Futures and the Student Green Office.	12 – 2pm, patio outside Verena Holmes, Canterbury Campus
Weds 15 th	Creative Sustainability - Inspiring Social Consciousness – an open lecture with Professor Alison Honour Deputy Vice-Chancellor Professor Alison Honour will give the third and final sustainability-themed FAHE Open Lecture this academic year, exploring how contemporary art has the power to raise social awareness and to encourage conversation about climate change and sustainability, with a drinks reception prior. Organised by the Academy for Sustainable Futures.	5 – 6pm Drinks Reception, VH3.90b, Verena Holmes 6 – 7pm Open Lecture, VH1.07, Verena Holmes, Canterbury Campus
Thurs 16 th	Chough Chats: A Species Introduction – online talk An introductory talk on the chough reintroduction project at Dover which the Academy has been collaborating on the research for. Organised by Kent Wildlife Trust.	6 – 7pm, Online
Sat 18 th	Pride Picnic – community event Bring your own picnic, blankets and any pride decoration you'd like and join us for a picnic in the beautiful Coleridge gardens at the city-end of campus. All welcome! Organised by Kent + Medway Network of LGBT+ Networks.	12.30 – 3pm, Coleridge Gardens, Canterbury Campus (Helpers please set up from 12pm)
Tues 21 st	Diamond Netwalking Club, Walk Two – networking walk Business partners, staff and students are invited to join the Enterprise Team in the second of four themed walks throughout our Jubilee year. Themed around Summer Solstice, the walk will involve meandering through our campus, learning about our facilities and exploring our green spaces, including our commitment to sustainability with stroll past our campus hops. Finally, we will conclude by walking past our new Verena Holmes building and around the perimeter of the prison, before heading to our beautiful St Martins Priory Garden for an opportunity to network and enjoy tea and scones on the lawn. Organised by the Enterprise team.	3 – 5pm, meet outside St Martin's Priory, North Holmes Rd, Canterbury CT1 1PW

Weds 22 nd	<p>Learning Disability and Everyday Life – Staff lunchtime research seminar with Alex Cockain</p> <p>Presented by Alex Cockain, Lecturer in Social Work - School of Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work. The Lunchtime Research Seminar Series provides a forum to present and discuss research work undertaken by Faculty academics and students. Seminars are open to all CCCU staff who have an interest in research. Organised by the Faculty of Medicine, Health and Social Care.</p>	12.30 – 1.30pm, Online via Teams
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July 2022

Mon 4 th	<p>Carbon Literacy Training, Part 1 – staff workshop</p> <p>Join us for the first of two half-day workshops that comprise the full Carbon Literacy Training course, certified by the Carbon Literacy Trust. Lunch and refreshments are provided, training is free of charge and bookable through ‘My Learning’ on Staffspace. Organised by the Academy for Sustainable Futures.</p>	10am – 1pm Canterbury Campus
	<p>Sustainable Photographic Practices – open seminar</p> <p>In this seminar, Alice Cazenave, Hannah Fletcher and Melanie King will discuss the sustainability of photographic practice. This seminar will consider a multitude of practice-based methods, that limit the environmental impact of analogue photographic processes. Organised by the School of Creative Arts and Industries.</p>	2 – 5pm, Powell Pg09, Canterbury Campus
Tues 5 th	<p>Welcome to the Wilder Blean – online talk</p> <p>An introduction to the Wilder Blean project, which includes the introduction of bison to local woodlands at West Blean and Thornden Woods, followed by a Q&A. Organised by Kent Wildlife Trust.</p>	6 – 7pm, Online
Mon 11 th	<p>Carbon Literacy Training, Part 2 – staff workshop</p> <p>Join us for the second of two half-day workshops that comprise the full Carbon Literacy Training course, certified by the Carbon Literacy Trust. Lunch and refreshments are provided, training is free of charge and bookable through ‘My Learning’ on Staffspace. Organised by the Academy for Sustainable Futures.</p>	10am – 1pm Canterbury Campus
Sun 31 st	<p>Canterbury Climate Action Awards 2022 – deadline for submissions</p> <p>The Canterbury Climate Action Partnership (CCAP) has launched its first ever awards, recognising businesses, community organisations, educational institutions,</p>	Final deadline, end of day.

	individuals/households that show exemplary commitment to positive climate change. The awards will form part of the 2022 Canterbury Climate Action Festival, running from 23-25 September, which will have many public climate-related activities and displays. Organised by CCAP.	
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...and coming up in Autumn/Winter 2022

Wed 7 th Sept	Diamond Netwalking Club, Walk Three – networking walk Business partners, staff and students are invited to join the Enterprise Team in the third of four themed walks throughout our Jubilee year. The theme for this month is hops. On the day, help us gather the hops at the Christ Church hop garden, followed by a free self-guided tour of St. Augustine’s Abbey before walking to the Foundry, in Canterbury town centre, for a free beer where you will hear about how these fine plants are helped to reach their ultimate potential! Organised by the Enterprise team. (Booking required, places limited)	9.30 – 11am Hop Picking at the Hop Garden between Moore and Fleming, Canterbury Campus 11am – 12.30pm Tour of St Augustine’s Abbey, Canterbury 12.30 – 2pm Visit to The Foundry, Canterbury
Fri 23 rd – Sun 25 th Sept	Canterbury Climate Action Festival – open to all A long weekend of climate-related activities and displays from member organisations of the Canterbury Climate Action Partnership, including the inaugural Canterbury Climate Action awards. Organised by CCAP, hosted by the Academy for Sustainable Futures.	Canterbury Christ Church University (more details to follow)
Tues 18 th Oct	Social and Environmental Justice for a Sustainable Future: half-day mini-conference As part of our Diamond Jubilee programme, the mini-conference will focus on the close relationship between social justice and social, economic and environmental sustainability. It aims to provide opportunities for reflection about progress (and lack thereof) made during the past 60 years, and to discuss the future we want. Organised by Us in the World.	Half day, Canterbury Campus (more details to follow)
Fri 21 st – Sat 22 nd Oct	A Celebration of Heritage, Creativity and Culture – conference This two-day festival celebrates our rich contribution to heritage, faith, creativity and culture with a wide range of activities, aimed at diverse audiences. Academic staff and students will offer engaging, lively and inspiring sessions that showcase the work we do at the University. Organised by the Faculty of Arts and Humanities.	All day, Canterbury Campus