



Stop Climate Denial!

April Newsletter of the Plymouth Climate Council, sponsored by Plymouth TUC

Britain has experienced two-thirds of total average annual rainfall in just the first three months. Along with the changing weather patterns, erratic seasons and temperature anomalies there should be no doubt that climate change is happening.

Most people are now worried about climate change. Yet politicians, in tandem with the executives of corporations dependent upon fossil fuels, are pulling back on almost all action to stop emissions and are actively preventing investments in adaptations to stop climate chaos.

We can see the disruption from extreme weather conditions, droughts and fires, floods and sea levels rising, sudden shifts in temperatures, and food price rises caused by poor harvests and transport disruption. Climate Change has even slowed the speed of the earth's rotation! We need action to prevent climate catastrophe.

Trade Unions

Fighting for a huge transformation of the economy in the interests of people and the planet should be at the top of the trade union agenda. But it isn't. So how do we make sure the strength of the working class and trade union movement is at the heart of tackling the climate emergency?

Join our Climate Conference for Social Justice and Trade Union Action on

Saturday 13 April

Venue: Crowndale Centre, London NW1 1BD

Timing: 11.00-16.45 (with limited online access)

Opening plenary: What's the balance sheet on climate in trade unions? Are we going backwards in the trade union movement? Join activists and experts to find answers:

Workshops (am): A National Climate Service: why the market can't deliver a plan for the climate; **Greenwash and Jobswash:** the false solutions which trade unions should oppose, not support, and why it matters; **Climate Justice and Palestine:** why there can be no climate justice on occupied land; **Climate, Jobs and Public Services:** fighting for public services, public ownership and a transport system that delivers for people and planet
Workshops (pm) - Sustainable food production and decent work: organising across the food system; **War, fossil fuels and climate** - why defence diversification is a key battle for the climate; **Ending fossil fuels** and investing in renewable energy - what would a workers plan for energy look like? **Racism and migration** - social justice and climate justice for North and South

Final Plenary: Summing up the day and looking ahead - an election year for the climate

Tickets at <https://tinyurl.com/4dac8nvk>

More information: <https://www.cacctu.org.uk>

Please affiliate your trade union branch:

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Conference for Climate Justice

Saturday 13th April, London

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One of 8 workshops

Climate Justice and Palestine

no climate justice on occupied land

- Ellie Kinney, Conflict and Environment Observatory
- Anne Alexander, co-founder, MENA solidarity network
- Manal Shqair, Palestinian environmental researcher

One day conference, London Saturday 13 April
Climate Jobs, Climate Justice: what struggles do we need to win and how?

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Climate, Jobs and Public Services

- fighting for public services and public ownership

- Simon Pirani, Fare Free London
- Pallavi Devulapalli, Keep Our NHS Public
- Fran Postlethwaite, Better Buses South Yorkshire
- Katrine Williams, PCS
- Stephen Smellie, Unison

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