

# Group Name: Greenbank Eco Forum



## Group Description:

This group aspires to be a hive of information about eco-friendly ideas for people in and around the Greenbank area of Edinburgh. We hope to create a buzz as we support one another to reduce our individual and collective impact on the planet. Together we will strive for sustainability for the local and global community, and for future generations. The group is seeded by the Greenbank Parish Church Eco Group and welcomes members of all faiths and none.

## Group Rules:

### 1. Be kind, courteous and relevant

We're all in this together to create a welcoming and supportive eco-themed environment where ideas can blossom and lead to fruitful results. Let's treat everyone with consideration, and respect each other's diet, lifestyle choices, abilities and circumstances.

### 2. Respect everyone's faith background

We welcome people of all faiths and none into this space. The Greenbank Parish Church Eco Group's creation focused remit is rooted in the Christian faith and we may share information from other related organisations such as Eco- Congregation Scotland and Christian Aid.

### 3. Commercial products and services

Whilst this group is not designed for commercial reasons it is ok to share information about relevant products and services which may be of help to others, particularly if you have first-hand experience or there is a local connection. However, this group probably shouldn't be used for overly commercial reasons or marketing purposes, although this is difficult to differentiate sometimes, so please use your discretion.

### 4. Items for sale or available free of charge

Advertising surplus items is ok, as long as it's appropriate and not overdone. You may also wish to consider using other specific channels such as the local Freecycle and Gumtree websites.

### 5. Local activities and events

Details of local activities and events may be shared if they are relevant to environmental education, practical action, or raising awareness of global environmental justice concerns.

### 6. Politics and the environment

The sharing of political articles and opinions is ok providing it is done in the spirit of respectful debate.

### 7. Respect everyone's privacy

Being part of this group requires mutual trust. Authentic, expressive discussions make groups great, but may also be sensitive and private. What's shared in the group should stay in the group.

### 8. The admin team are not around 24/7

If you feel the admin team need to see a particular post please use the "report post to group admins" feature or message one of the admin team directly.