

Love Portreath Climate Action Network: Update July 2023

- There has been a slight delay in getting the “take your rubbish home signs” up – but they are still due to be up before peak season.
- Reaching out for your support, the upcycle bucket and spade box is proving popular with lots of items coming and going out of the box. When it is empty it is attracting some rubbish which we expected (took a view that we would rather it was in there than on the beach) so we are asking the wider Network of people who care to take a peak when you go past and please remove any rubbish to discourage it becoming a bin. Thank you. The last few times I have emptied it there were lots of cups from the beach café. I have been taking them back to the café as point of principle.
- It would be a good time if the council could write to the cafes as discussed after the Business event to encourage them to move away from takeout cups, especially the café who used to use proper cups and also to encourage them to move away from sachets of sugar, salt, pepper and ketchup all of which forms a large part of the litter that is regularly collected on the beach.
- Working with Cornwall council to move some bins around to try and utilise the ones we have as best as possible. i.e. getting one on little beach.
- No news on new date for “tidy up” day but still on the agenda
- Next Beach and Village clean is on Sunday – be great to see some of you there.
- Waiting to hear who will be the representatives from the council to sit on the new Climate Action Group (CAG) First official meeting to be held in September, initial get together planned over the coming month.
- LovePorteath meeting with Gwel an Mor on Friday