

Loads of positive events going on in Cambridge!

20TH NOVEMBER 2006

Lots of great talks and events going on in Cambridge over the next week or so, not listed in the guide due to being one-offs, so here you are! :

Tuesday 21st, 7.30pm, The Union Chamber, George Monbiot will speak about his new book, Heat How to Stop the Planet Burning.

Come and meet George Monbiot who will be talking about his new book Heat this event is in conjunction with the Cambridge Union Society at 9a Bridge Street (behind the Round Church) Cambridge. Tickets are £5.00 each, or FREE to Union Society Members.

Tuesday 21st November, 2pm, venue tbc:

"Climate Change: Global Problem, Global Solutions" Shilpa Shah, Akashi Project and Barnaby Flynn, Simultaneous Policy Campaign

7.30pm, venue tbc. Energy Options for the Future: David Kerr, Chairman of Institute of Civil Engineers Energy Board, Organised by Cambridge University Engineering Society www.cues.org.uk for more information.

Wednesday 22nd November 6.30 for 7pm, Law Faculty:

"The Challenges Of Reducing Cambridge's Carbon Footprint" with representatives from the City, the University, the Collges and the Students, as well as CRed, UEA's Community Carbon Reduction Programme. Refreshments will be served.

Thursday 23rd November,

2:45pm, TCR Seminar Room in the Cavendish Laboratories

"A Brief Introduction To Sustainable Energy And The Looming Energy Crisis", David Mackay, Professor of Natural Philosphy and Gatsby Senior Research Fellow, Cambridge University.

7.30pm, the Bun Shop:

"Carbon Capture And Storage: Technology And Policy In The UK And Influence In China" CUEN (Cambridge University Energy Network) Discussion Evening II.

Saturday 25 November 10am-5pm

Ross Street Community Centre, Cambridge

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HOUSING CO-OPS IN CAMBRIDGE: THE FUTURE

A day of talks and workshops

Hosted by the Argyle Street Housing Co-operative

Opening address by David Howarth MP

CHARLIE BAKER Urbanism Environment Design

- How to build an affordable housing co-op

HELEN RUSSELL Co-op Housing in Brighton & Hove

- Small steps and big ideas from Brighton

ANDY BROWN Cambridge Architectural Research

- Designing for sustainable building

AND MANY MORE

Admission free, lunch included

Places limited so book soon by phoning (01223) 411615

Monday 27th November

ZERO CARBON CITY DONGTAN Zero carbon developments. What can be achieved in practice?

Time/Venue: 19.30 Chemical Engineering Department LT1 New Museum Site, Pembroke Street, CB2 3RA

Map: <http://www.cam.ac.uk/map/v4/drawmap.cgi?mp=nmus;xx=238;yy=311;mt=c>

DETAILS: A talk by Dr Neil Kirkpatrick, Associate Director, Arup, who will describe the latest developments in building design and master planning that are helping to decrease carbon emissions towards zero.

Arup are designing the world's first eco-city - Dongtan, China. Dongtan is to be a completely sustainable and carbon neutral city near Shanghai. Transport, energy, infrastructure and social issues are just a few of the aspects to be considered in its design. This is ground-breaking work, set to pave the way for new city developments in the future.

Thursday 30th November 2006

Environment on the Edge Lecture

Are we running out of oil?

Dr Jeremy Leggett author of "Half Gone" and CEO of Solar Century; and Dr Ian Vann, Group Vice-President, Exploration & Production, BP.

Moderator: Professor Bernie Bulkin

Time/Venue: 5:15 PM, Buckingham House Lecture Theatre, New Hall College, University of Cambridge, Huntingdon Road, Cambridge. CB3 0DF.

Free admission - all welcome. To reserve a seat please contact director@unep-wcmc.org

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