

Woolacombe Surf Life Saving Club (WSLSC) Environmental Plan 2024

1. Make decision on changing bank account

Changing WSLSC club's bank account to a more ethical provider is one of the most impactful things we as a club can do.

https://bank.green/ https://www.ethicalconsumer.org/

Alongside this we will share the reasons why with the club members to try to help understanding of the issues

2. Reusable bottles and cups

Encourage the use of reusable water bottles and coffee cups at training and competitions through coaches messaging.

Making using reusable items an intrinsic part of your kit allows the club to highlight the impact of single use products.

3. #2minutebeachcleans at training sessions from parents and kids

- Add beach clean bag in hut labeled for all to use (this is not for general rubbish)
- Messaging sent to parents to use bags (the why's) -Sustainability Officer can create and share.
- Suggestion of activity for warm up run around to collect 5 pieces of plastic off the beach into the bag

4. Offer second hand clothing and encourage hand me downs

• Investigation and launch of more sustainable options for clothing on the shop

5. Make contact with SLSGB and SLS Devon about our sustainability policy and plan

- Ask about what SLSCGB is doing about sustainability do they have a plan, can we help
- Offer suggestions on improvements that can be made at competitions i.e. refilling water bottles locations, ensure coaches and officials bring reusable bottles and have them refilled etc

6. Ensure our events and any prizes are as sustainable as possible