

Never heard of us?

Find out who we are, what we can do for you and what you can do with us, by joining our online introduction to ACAN and its groups

at 7:30pm on Thurs 3 Feb 2022

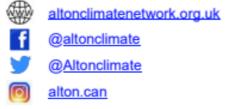
altonclimatenetwork@gmail.com for the Zoom link

Since 2019 ACAN has brought people in Alton and the surrounding villages together, to take action to improve biodiversity and reduce our carbon emissions.

ACAN is all about positive community action.

Turn over for a list of the groups in our network, set up by likeminded people to help us all to reduce our impact on the planet and restore the natural world.

We organise talks on a wide range of environmental topics and have stalls at local community events. Email us to receive our newsletter and keep in touch.



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ACAN is a great way of getting involved with your local community.

You don't have to join, just join in!

NUOD Reparts	Volunteers repair clothes & textiles, electronic, mechanical & small electrical items, furniture & bikes. Email <u>altonrepaircafe21@gmail.com</u> or see Facebook <u>@AltonRepairCafe</u>
Energy	Get a free home energy survey with advice on how to cut your energy bills or join Powering Up's community renewable energy project. <u>www.energyalton.org.uk</u> email <u>energyalton@gmail.com</u>
Commity Changed	Help reduce food waste at Alton's Community Cupboard in No 3 Westbrook Walk. Surplus food is given away free to all, no referrals required. Find us on Facebook @altoncommunitycupboard
ALFI ALFI ALON LOCAL FOOD INITIATIVE	Help yourself to fruit, veg & herbs from ALFI plots around town. Seedy Saturday in February & Seedlings Swaps in May. Volunteers welcome at monthly working parties & other activities. https://altonlocalfood.org.uk/
	Young ACAN promotes youth-centred changes to combat the climate crisis. They have a Community Lottery grant for some exciting projects in 2022. Find them on Instagram <u>youngacan</u> - they're currently looking for more young voices!
BY THE COMMUNITY FOR THE COMMUNITY ALTON COMMUNITY SHARE	Reduce waste & save money at this free library of jigsaws, games, toys and activities at St. Lawrence Parish Centre 10–12pm on 2 nd & 4 th Sats each month. See <u>@altoncommunityshare</u> on Facebook or email <u>AltonCommunityShare@hotmail.com</u>
Alton & Villages Local Action for Nature	Find out about nature locally and what you can do to help wildlife in your own garden & neighbourhood. See <u>@AVLAN</u> on Facebook or email <u>altonactionfornature@gmail.com</u>
	Cycle Alton work with local councils to introduce safe cycle routes and offer training for cyclists needing to build their confidence. They provide information on local cycle clubs, shops & repairers. See <u>@cyclealton</u> on Facebook or email <u>cyclealton@gmail.com</u>
PLASTIC FREE ALTON SURFERS AGAINST SEWAGE	Alton is on its way to becoming a Plastic-Free Community by cutting the amount of single use plastic in the town. To join a litter pick or find out more email <u>plasticfreealton@gmail.com</u>
Lobbying Group	This group lobbies our MP and local government for urgent action on CO2 reduction. It works with other groups nationally and locally. Email <u>altonclimatenetwork@gmail.com</u>