BHCC
BURGESS HILL CREATIVE COMMUNITY
'Join hands, create wonders'

Environmental, Waste and Sustainability Action Plan

1. Eliminate - Avoid producing waste where possible.

2. Reduce - Minimise the amount of waste produced where possible.

3. Re-Use - Use items as many times as possible.

4. Recycle - Recycle everything possible after it has been re-used where possible.

5. Dispose - Dispose of waste in an environmentally responsible way.

6. BHCC will install labelled recycling bins for use by the charity's members when able to do so. (Currently we do not have a waste disposal facility, members take all of their recyclables home.)

7. BHCC will order items in bulk to reduce transport costs and carbon footprints wherecosts allow.

8. When practicable BHCC will purchase products manufactured from recycled waste.

9. Unused or single copied paper will be reused unless it is classed as sensitive information where it will be shredded using a cross cut shredder and then recycled.

10. Double sided printing and back to back copying will be undertaken where practicable.

11. Emails and documents will not be automatically printed to reduce toner and paper usage.

12. Water jugs and reusable containers will be encouraged to remove single use plastic where possible.

13. Fairtrade products will be encouraged to be used where possible.

14. If disposable plates are required for events then cardboard or other alternatives to plastics will be purchased where possible.

15. All suppliers of utilities will be reviewed on a regular basis and where cost allows energy efficient and renewable energy options will be taken.

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