



Eynsham's Great Big Green Week Programme

Saturday 18th to Sunday 26th September

Date	Time	Event	Location
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Self-guided Great Big Green Week Trail – see https://bit.ly/GBGWTrail or pick up a print copy in Eynsham Cellars, Evenlode DIY or The Market Garden.	Around Eynsham
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Buy Local Beer and Wine	Eynsham Cellars
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Shop Secondhand in September! Visit Mercy in Action or West Oxfordshire Animal Rescue and put an outfit together from donated clothing, or give toys and bric-a-brac a new life (not in landfill).	Mercy in Action, Mill Street / West Oxfordshire Animal Rescue
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Buy Local and Organic / Zero Waste Produce	The Market Garden, Eynsham
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Nature Walks Around Eynsham – Get to know your local area with self-guided walks https://bit.ly/GBGWWalks .	Around Eynsham
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Nature Recovery Network Tiny Talks – Catch up with Eynsham Nature Recovery Network's Tiny Talks from earlier this year.	Online at https://bit.ly/NRNTinyTalks
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Eynsham Art Window – Exhibition of artworks from local artists around the theme of environment and sustainability.	Eynsham Art Window, Mill Street
ALL WEEK (18-26 th September)		Just One Change (Could You Make A Difference) – Share your personal pledges to combat climate change & protect our environment	Square
Saturday 18 th September	9.00	Nature Yoga - Gentle movement in nature to suit all abilities - bring a mat.	Peace Oak (only if dry)
Saturday 18 th September	10.00-13.30	Garden Tours - Guided tours of a spectacular garden with fruit, vegetable, orchard, wildflowers - managed for wildlife.	24 High Street
Saturday 18 th September	11.00-11.30	Festival Kick off in the Square - with Eynsham Morris, Eynsham Community Choir and local Farmer Robert Crocker.	Square
Saturday 18 th September	11.00 - 17.00	Great Big Green Week Exhibition (Ideas, Words and Art)	St Leonard's Church Hall
Saturday 18 th September	11.00 onwards (all day)	Information Stalls - Find out about all the week's events, hedgehog highway, bees, free seeds and more.	Square / Red Lion car park
Saturday 18 th September	11.00-13.00	Community Quilt Reveal – the long-awaited unveiling of Eynsham's Community Quilt – a memorial to COVID-19, handcrafted by residents using recycled materials.	Baptist Church Hall
Saturday 18 th September	11.00-16.00	Garden and Eco House Tours	15a Newlands Street
Saturday 18 th September	11.30	Why Are We Here? Welcome from Ross Macken	Square
Saturday 18 th September	11.45-12.30	Festival Music From the Fabulous Horns of Plenty	Square
Saturday 18 th September	12.00	Giant Grid Game (Family Event)	St Leonard's Church Hall

Saturday 18 th September	12.00 - 14.00	Free Plant-based food – Enjoy a roasted vegetable and chickpea pitta	Outside St Leonard's Church Hall
Saturday 18 th September	12.45	'A Midsummer Night's Dream" Join the cast from Eynsham's Small But Mighty Theatre Group and Eynsham Morris for a walk from Eynsham Abbey Fishponds to the Square.	Eynsham Abbey Fishponds
Saturday 18 th September	13.00 - 16.00	Get Creative at the Peace Oak - An afternoon of poetry, pole-lathing, willow, green woodworking, working with clay and stitching, with the willow 'cathedral' embellished with weaving.	Peace Oak
Saturday 18 th September	13.15 - 13.30	Extracts from A Midsummer Night's Dream – See members of the Small but Mighty Theatre Group performing ecologically-themed extracts from Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream.	Square
Saturday 18 th September	14.00	Small But Mighty Theatre presents A Midsummer Night's Dream – a full performance of Small But Mighty's postponed Summer production of A Midsummer Night's Dream. Limited seats – please book free tickets in advance at: https://bit.ly/SBMMidsummer .	St Leonard's Church
Saturday 18 th September	14.00- 16.00	Try out an electric bike - bikes and advice by Warlands Cycles, Botley	Village Hall Car Park
Saturday 18 th September	14.00- 16.30	Repair Cafe - Offering free electrical, sewing, knitting, darning, bikes and minor mechanical repairs (but asking for cost of repair materials if used).	Village Hall
Saturday 18 th September	15.00	Great Big Green Day Out (Holiday Competition) Awards	St Leonard's Church Hall
Saturday 18 th September	18.00	Small But Mighty Theatre presents A Midsummer Night's Dream – another full performance of Small But Mighty's postponed Summer production of A Midsummer Night's Dream. Limited seats – please book free tickets in advance at: https://bit.ly/SBMMidsummer .	St Leonard's Church
Sunday 19 th September	All day	Eynsham's Hedgehog Highway - help our 'hogs! The village's Hedgehog Highway - supported by Eynsham's Nature Recovery Network.	Square
Sunday 19 th September	10.00	Visit to 12 Acre Aurora Solar Farm (Under Construction) - Guided visit, wear sturdy boots; children over 5 under adult control. Max 24 on site. To secure your place email biggreenweekeynsham@gmail.com by 15 th September	Meet at Chilbridge, near roundabout
Sunday 19 th September	10.00-13.30	Garden Tours - Guided tours of a spectacular garden with fruit, vegetable, orchard, wildflowers - managed for wildlife.	24 High Street
Sunday 19 th September	13.30-16.00	Electric Vehicle test drives and Park and Charge information - Find out about electric vehicle charging coming to the car park soon, admire and test drive electric cars. Bring your license.	Eynsham Car Park Back Lane
Sunday 19 th September	13.45- 14.45	Forest Bathing Reconnect with the natural world with your senses. All ages welcome.	Peace Oak
Sunday 19 th September	14.00- 15.00	Mini Formula E Eco Racers - Collect and customise your mini electric racer kit ready for next week's races (all ages welcome).	Eynsham Car Park Back Lane
Sunday 19 th September	15.00	Look, Listen and Lament: A reflective space to share our gratitude and sorrow for the Earth - This will last an hour and be mostly in silence, with a short introduction and conclusion and opportunity to briefly name and share our gratitude and lament. Please bring something to sit on.	Peace Oak

Wednesday 22nd September	11.00–15.00	Long Mead Wildflower Event – Nature Recovery Network Planting Event	Long Mead
Wednesday 22nd September	15.30-16.15 16.30-17.50	'Mission in the Enchanted Forest' - Free Drama Workshops for Kids from Small But Mighty Theatre (for ages 6-8 / 9-11). Using <i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> as a starting point children will go on a mission to save an enchanted forest. Session 1 will be for ages 6 to 8. Session two for children aged 9-11. Book online at https://bit.ly/SBMWorkshops .	Baptist Church Hall
Friday 24 th September	13.00	Youth Strike For Climate, Oxford – Take advantage of the local schools' INSET Day and join Oxford's Youth Strike for Climate Group and youth protesters around the globe for a rally in Oxford City centre.	Broad Street, Oxford
Saturday 25 th September	10.00	Possible Music (TBC)	The Square
Saturday 25 th September	10.00	Eynsham Country Market	Red Lion car park
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Saturday 25 th September	10.00-14.00	Eynsham's Big Giveaway - Help recycle all kinds of stuff donated by Eynsham residents!	Red Lion car park
Saturday 25 th September	10.20-12.00	Come and make bookmarks from recycled materials (all ages welcome)	Library
Saturday 25 th September	10.30-14.30	Talk Tent: Be Inspired by the Experts - Join inspiring voices to share ideas about what we can do for life on our planet. Bring a chair or stool if you wish. Chaired by Rain Newton-Smith, Chief Economist at the CBI. Full schedule and speakers to follow at https://bit.ly/GBGWTalk or see posters in the Square.	Square, or Red Lion Function Room/ Car Park
Saturday 25 th September	11.00-17.00	Local Green Information Stalls and displays – Find out about the amazing actions in our local area - nature recovery, water pollution, future energy, zero carbon homes, community transport, safer cycling (including the Botley bike path), 20's plenty, fixing small electronics and more.	St Leonard's Church Hall /Red Lion car park
Saturday 25 th September	13.00-17.00	Family Science Activity trail - Discover ten free family hands on experiments around the village (with The Curiosity Box).	Marlborough Close, Peace Oak, Fishponds
Saturday 25 th September	14.00-17.00	Build Your Future Eco Community - What are your dreams for the future? Bring your ideas to this hands-on activity (Family Craft Event).	Red Lion Function Room
Saturday 25 th September	15.00	Plant-based Barbecue	Wholesome Earth Café / The Market Garden, Mill Street
Sunday 26 th September	10.00-13.30	Garden Tours Guided tours of a spectacular garden with fruit, vegetable, orchard, wildflowers - managed for wildlife.	24 High Street
Sunday 26 th September	10.30	Music (TBC)	The Square
Sunday 26 th September	11.00-17.00	Keep Fossil Fuels in the Ground: Extinction Rebellion Exhibition	Square (if dry) or St Leonard's Church Hall
Sunday 26 th September	11.00	Field tour at Abbey Farm Barns - Come and enjoy the beauty and be inspired to create wild and biodiverse habitats wherever you live!	Abbey Farm Barns

Sunday 26th September	11.00	Eating Well, Avoiding Waste - A Conversation , cooking and food with Sandy from Cornucopia. Please bring leftovers from your allotment, garden, fridge and larder . We will create and enjoy food together.	Cornucopia Shop
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Sunday 26th September	14.00	Litter Pick – Help clean up Eynsham and chat with Eynsham Litter Pickers and Extinction Rebellion Swallows.	Square
Sunday 26th September	14.00	Mini Formula E eco racers - Come and race your model car (collect and customize your kit car from Back Lane car park on Sunday 19 th) (Family Event).	Scout Hall Car Park
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Sunday 26th September	15.30-16.30	Forest Bathing - Reconnect with the natural world with your senses. All ages welcome. A peaceful finale.	Peace Oak