

Cornish Plastic Pollution Coalition

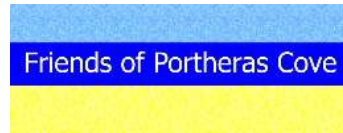


Strength in numbers...

Cornwall Wildlife Trust **Isles of Scilly Wildlife Trust**
Surfers Against Sewage National Trust (in Cornwall) **Friends of Par Beach**
BeachCare (Keep Britain Tidy) **Friends of Fowey Estuary** Friends of Portherras Cove
Widemouth Task Force Helford VMCA **Newquay Marine Group**
Rame Peninsula Beach Care **Looe VMCA** Cornwall Seal Group Research Trust
Cornish Seal Sanctuary Polzeath BeachCare **Fishing for Litter South West**
Transition Falmouth **St Agnes VMCA** Transition Truro **Truro Cathedral**
Newquay Crab Newquay Sea Safaris and Fishing
2 Minute Beach Clean **Atlantic Diving**
Prof. Richard Thompson (Plymouth Uni Marine Sciences Dept)
Prof. Brendan J. Godley, Chair in Conservation Science, Exeter University (Penryn)
Fathoms Free Crackington Crew **Lost at Sea Group**
Capturing our Coast **Fishy Filaments**
Falmouth & Exeter Student's Union **Truro Green Street Volunteers**
British Divers Marine Life Rescue Friends of Poldhu
Friends of Polurrian Beach **West Cornwall Friends of the Earth**
The Plastic Movement



**Cornwall
Wildlife Trust**



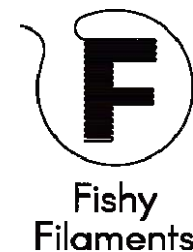
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**NEWQUAY
Sea Safaris
and
Fishing**



**Helford
Voluntary Marine
Conservation Area**



CPPC actions - strength in the collaborative voice

Balloons

Template letter sent out to companies and organisations whose balloons are found on beach-cleans, or who are using helium filled balloons as promotional give-away items in Cornwall.



Successes to date:-

Pirate FM

Mount's Bay

Rotary Club

Age Concern

Exeter

NHS Organ

Donation

CEX

Whitbread PLC

Limerick FM

Domino's Pizza

Aspects

Holidays

Harry Ramsdens

Fishermen's

Mission

Ongoing cases:-

McDonalds

Radio City FM

We need
your
sightings!!

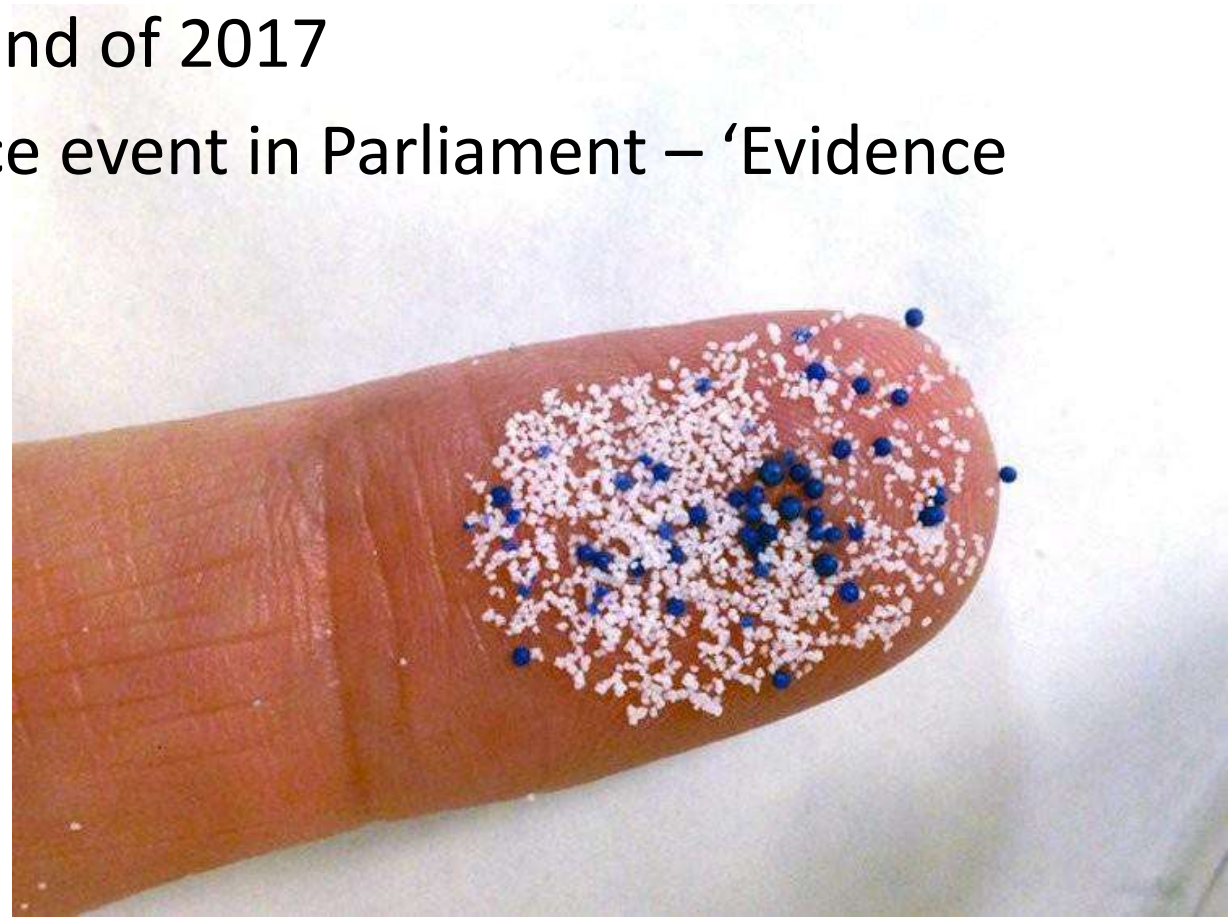




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Microbeads

- Letter sent in June 2016 to the Government's Environmental Audit Committee
- Helped influence pledge to ban microbeads in UK cosmetics and personal hygiene products by the end of 2017
- Presentation to Sense about Science event in Parliament – 'Evidence Matters'
- Response to Defra's microplastics consultation



Other microplastics on our beaches



Communication with local plastics plants, EA and British Plastics Federation re: pellet loss and Operation Clean Sweep



Investigation and research into 'biobeads' used in wastewater filtration by South West Water – historic spills and possible ongoing losses?

SAS – Message in a Bottle DRS campaign

- Letter supporting SAS campaign sent to all Cornish MPs, Defra ministers, drinks producers, supermarkets, Cornwall councillors, British Soft Drinks Association, etc.
- Response to Defra consultation into plastic bottle and takeaway coffee cup waste
- Meeting with Gavin Partington, director general of the British Soft Drinks Association



Bottle top
chain
available
for all
groups to
borrow!



Talking & being visible



Plastic pollution – raising awareness & lobbying



What next? Empowering more local groups and individuals to take a stand on plastic-related issues, with the Coalition behind them

If you're not yet with us – please join us!

Next meeting May 6 at Allet

Contact Claire

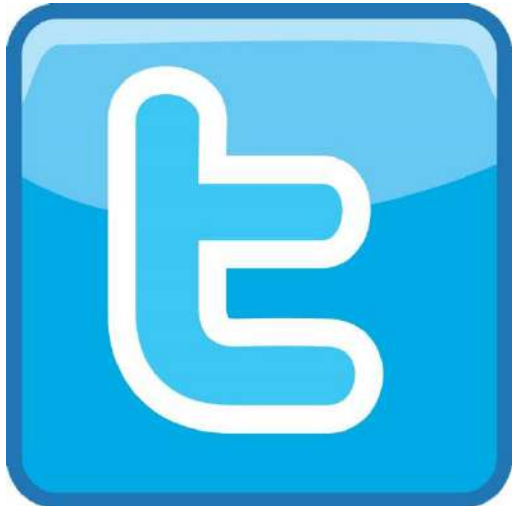
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Thank you

