Green Achiever Newsletter October 2016



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Welcome and Happy Halloween!

Hello and welcome to the October edition of the Green Achiever newsletter. We hope you find it informative and interesting, and that you are enjoying the new format! We welcome any feedback so please feel free to drop us an email at

zoe@e4environment.co.uk.

October Blogs

Here is a selection of blogs that we have written or found interesting this month.

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A Fresh Design

Guardian Sustainable Business

Is using less water the secret to cutting our

greenhouse gas emissions?

Environment Agency

Constructing good waste practices - industry is taking a lead

Legislation Updates

Amendment - Energy Performance of Buildings (England and Wales) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations SI 2016/888 - This amends the Energy Performance of Buildings (England and Wales) Regulations SI 2012/3118 to enable the disclosure of data from the Energy Performance Certificate Register for purposes related to Government policy to promote building energy efficiency.

<u>Finance Act 2016</u> - This act outlines various tax rates for the next financial year (starting 1st April 2017) including landfill tax and the climate change levy.

Consultation - Consultation on the Implementation of Clean Air Zones in England - This consultation runs from 13 October 2016 until 9 December 2016 and seeks draft Clean Air Zone Framework, which sets out how Clean Air Zones should be implemented, and on the draft Regulations mandating the implementation of Clean Air Zones in the five cities along with the associated impact assessment.

Articles







WASTE

Wales doubles recycling rates in 10 years

Could recipe boxes offer a helping hand to food waste efforts?

ENERGY

Solar Industry 'left in limbo' over delays to RHI decision

Renewables made up half of net electricity capacity added last year

Small businesses 'discontent' with renewable energy supplier options

CLIMATE CHANGE

CO2 levels mark 'new era' in the world's changing climate

Gatwick pioneers CO2-saving green taxi scheme

Adapting to climate change is good business

HIGH STREET

Brighton gears up for new fleet of solar-powered buses

Coca-Cola bottler extends 2020 sustainability targets

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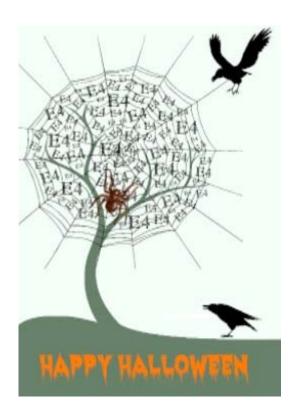
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Before you go...

How air pollution affects your health - infographic

Made from bamboo, pig hair and yogurt pots: can eco-toothbrushes take off?

BBC - Greener, Cleaner Fireworks

Before the Flood - Leonardo DiCaprio

Things to look out for in the coming month

November 8th – World Town Planning Day

November 19th – World Toilet Day

November 27th - 5th December -

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