

PETERSFIELD SOCIETY COMMUNITY FORUM

STORMS - FLOODS - HEATWAVES - can Petersfield cope?

Wednesday 22 May - 7pm for 7.30pm start at Herne Farm Leisure Centre GU31 4PJ

Climate change is the most pressing issue of our time. The Met Office reports that there are only 12 years before we reach 1.5C of warming. How well or poorly prepared are we in Petersfield and surrounding villages for the widely predicted extreme weather effects?

This Forum will look at how heat and flooding can be mitigated by green infrastructure, and by maximising the contribution of our natural environment.

We will hear from the Environment Agency about the likely impacts on places like ours, about climate change policies from the District Council and National Park Authority, and from green infrastructure experts.

Our speakers are

KATY PEAT, Environment Agency Climate Change Research Group

JANE DEVLIN, Energy Strategy Manager, East Hampshire District Council

BRUCE COLLINSON, Project Manager, Whitehill & Bordon Regeneration Company

There will be opportunity for plenty of discussion, a chance to feed back our hopes and to decide individual and group actions.

Everyone is welcome.

We can all make a difference!

Please note Herne Farm Leisure Centre has level access but does not provide accessible toilets.