

# Transition Town



## Kingston



**Transition Town Kingston (TTK) aims to mobilise and facilitate community action in the Kingston area in order to respond effectively and positively to climate change and peak oil.**

**For more information:**

*on Transition Towns*  
Visit [www.transitiontowns.org](http://www.transitiontowns.org)

*on TTK history and activities*  
Visit [www.ttkingston.org](http://www.ttkingston.org)

*on getting involved with organising TTK work*  
Email [TTKKingstonSteering@yahoogroups.com](mailto:TTKKingstonSteering@yahoogroups.com)

## Transition Town Kingston events Nov – Jan 09

Includes **film showings, public meetings and talks** — no need to book — as well as the new Awareness Raising Action Groups for those interested in helping to build networks within the Kingston community. Contact the person named for more details on a group's purpose and future activities!

### **Business action group**

Contact Brian Mulley  
( [bmulley@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:bmulley@hotmail.co.uk) )

### **Council action group**

Contact Verity Mannin and Julie  
Middleditch ( [v.a.m@talktalk.net](mailto:v.a.m@talktalk.net) / [ajmiddle@talk21.com](mailto:ajmiddle@talk21.com) )

### **Schools action group**

Contact Elise Toogood  
( [elisetoogood@googlemail.com](mailto:elisetoogood@googlemail.com) )

### **Media action group**

Contact Alison Cahn ( [acahn@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:acahn@blueyonder.co.uk) )

### **Alliances action group**

Contact Rosalie Chamberlin  
( [rosaliechamberlin@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:rosaliechamberlin@yahoo.co.uk) )

### **Knowledge Base action group**

Contact Zoe Moores  
( [izu502@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:izu502@yahoo.co.uk) )

### **TTK short film night**

**Wednesday 12th November, 19.30, C-SCAIBE, Kingston University, Penryhn Road, Kingston KT1 2EE**

With discussion on possible 'demonstration projects' for Kingston. Action groups will also report back to everyone. Free refreshments

### **TTK Christmas Craft session and sale**

**Saturday 15th November, turn up anytime between 10.00-14.00, Kingston Environment Centre, Fairfield East, Kingston KT1 2PT**  
Come and make your own cards, gift tags and decorations from recycled materials, or pick up a bargain in our sale of brand new Christmas supplies rescued from being thrown out last year! Free, all ages welcome

### **'Transition Carnival: celebrating our way to resilience'**

**Thursday December 4th, 19.30 for 19.45 start, C-SCAIBE, Kingston University, Penryhn Road**

Talk by renowned environmental economist David Fleming. Likely to fill up fast! Followed by a party. Free refreshments

### **Film 'Escape from Suburbia'**

**Friday January 9th 2009, 19.00 for 19.30 start, C-SCAIBE**  
Screening of peak oil film 'Escape from Suburbia' (sequel to previously shown ('End of Suburbia') and discussion. Free refreshments

## **Local events of interest**

### **Kingston Green Drinks**

**First Monday of the month — Monday 3rd November, Monday 1st December and Monday 5th January, from 20.00, Spring Grove pub, Kingston KT1 2SF**

Turn up, have a drink and meet other local people interested in environmental issues.

### **Kingston and Merton Real Nappy Network — 'Nappucinos'**

**Friday 7th November and Friday 5th December, 10.00-12.00**  
**Friday 14th November and Friday 12th December, 18.30-20.00**  
**New Malden Children's Centre, Burlington Road KT3 4LT**

Learn about saving energy and water by using real nappies. Contact [kingstonmertonrnn@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:kingstonmertonrnn@yahoo.co.uk) to book

### **Kingston Society — Townscape Awards**

**Wednesday 19th November, 19.30, Judge Lecture Theatre, Tiffin Boys' School, Kingston KT2 6RL**

Awards for new development in the Royal Borough, presented since 1989. Sustainable building has steadily climbed the agenda. See [www.kingstonuponthamesociety.co.uk](http://www.kingstonuponthamesociety.co.uk) for details

### **Permaculture reserve workshop day**

**Sunday 23rd November, from 12.00 noon, Kingston Permaculture Reserve at Knollmead, Tolworth KT5 9QP**

and again on **Sunday 7th December**

Come and do some practical gardening at Kingston's own communal food garden! Just turn up or contact Simone Kay on 07737 277 470 / [simone@stainedglass.freeserve.co.uk](mailto:simone@stainedglass.freeserve.co.uk) for directions. Please wear stout footwear and clothing

### **National Tree Week — 26th November — 7th December**

See [www.treecouncil.org.uk](http://www.treecouncil.org.uk) . Ideas for tree planting in Kingston? Email round the group — [tkingston@yahoogroups.com](mailto:tkingston@yahoogroups.com) !

### **Transition Town Tooting presents 'Rollerpalooza'**

**Saturday 6th December** — details to follow at [www.projectdirt.com/group/transitiontowntooting](http://www.projectdirt.com/group/transitiontowntooting)