

## Printing our own tea towels and aprons!

The first screenprinting workshop a month ago produced fine results, pictured - there will be another on Sunday 20th September; 2pm at Gemma's house 165 Burrell Rd, IP28AA. If you want to learn how to make stencils, expose them into a permanent screen, use squeegees and ink to create a lasting image on fabric, come along!



Especially if you have a design of your own you want to use or develop, or an idea for more food co-op imagery. Please RSVP 07816146567 or sayersgemma@gmail.com - Gemma and Kate are interested in forming a workers co-operative to develop and market recycled textile products if you like sewing, dressmaking, using tetrapaks to make wallets get in touch using those details.

## Upcoming Events

**1st September** 1pm Maidenhall Community Garden Management Committee meeting. Working lunch - pick your own sandwich fillers. Talking about development and outreach of the project. Contact details in enclosed newsletter.

**10th Sept** 8pm - Green Drinks at the Dove, St Helens St. An informal evening for environmentalists and those working towards social change.

**17th September**, 7pm - Transition Ipswich Film Screening and Discussion - 19 Tower Street, Ipswich. Join us as we explore how we can respond positively to the challenges of climate change and the end of cheap oil. [www.greenlivingcentre.org.uk/TransitionIpswich/](http://www.greenlivingcentre.org.uk/TransitionIpswich/)

**22nd September**; late morning - mid-afternoon Co-operatives East AGM, hosted by Anglian

Farmers Co-op at Honingham Thorpe. We are booked in for a stall at this event, but have nobody to actively staff it - if you want a look around some of the regions' oldest co-operatives, like Wood Fuels and Eastern Machinery Rig, and want free lunch, go! We are members of Co-ops East, who are the regional body of Co-ops UK. Contact Austen Cordasco to book and for full details: 07795 430599

**Late Sept evening date tbc** - Introduction to Housing Co-ops and Communal Living; Putting Dreams into Practice. Hosted at the Spinney, 108 Westerfield Rd, with displays and talks from Random Camel Housing Co-op and Radical Routes co-op support network, a chance to find out how to buy property collectively in Ipswich and beyond. If you were thinking of joining or investing in a local ethical project, this is for you too. To be notified of final details, contact 01473 684449 or [randomcamel@phonecoop.coop](mailto:randomcamel@phonecoop.coop)

**24 September**, 7-9pm - Transition Town Ipswich Planning Meeting at Co-op Education Centre, Fore Street, IP4 1JW.

**26 September**, 12-6pm - RESPECT Festival UCS, The Waterfront Building, Neptune Quay Ipswich's biggest anti prejudice festival is back for its 5th year, and it's bigger than ever! Live music, community stalls, entertainment, arts/music workshops - ALL FREE!

**Wednesday nights from 30/09/09**, Suffolk College: 'Love Your Bike' - an Introduction to cycle maintenance & repair course from Kevin the Bike Doctor. See [www.suffolk.ac.uk/our\\_courses/leisure\\_learning](http://www.suffolk.ac.uk/our_courses/leisure_learning) Details on p18

**2nd October** 9-4pm Creating the Greenest County Conference, at Suffolk Showground, put on by the county council. Considering our council are supporting Snoasis, incinerators, Sizewell etc, you might think this event would generate popular protest or at least information stalls highlighting such hypocrisy.

**8th October** 8pm - Green Drinks at the Dove

**11th October** 10-4pm at Assington Mill, Sudbury 'Food For Free' course £50 01787229955

**16th October** - Day of Action against McDonalds

**21 October**, 7:30pm - 'Food From the Wild'

