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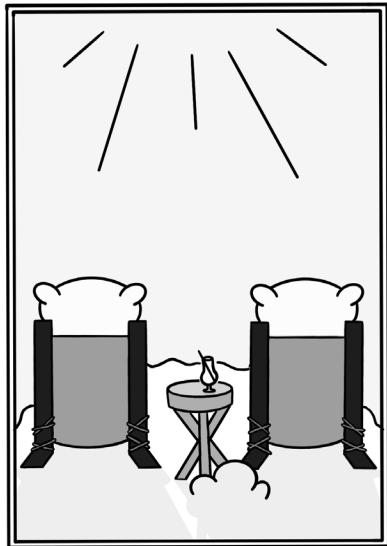
A Climate Change Tale
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DRINKS AT THE NORTH POLE



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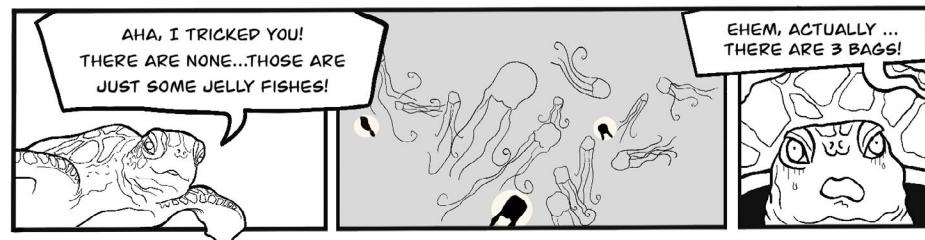
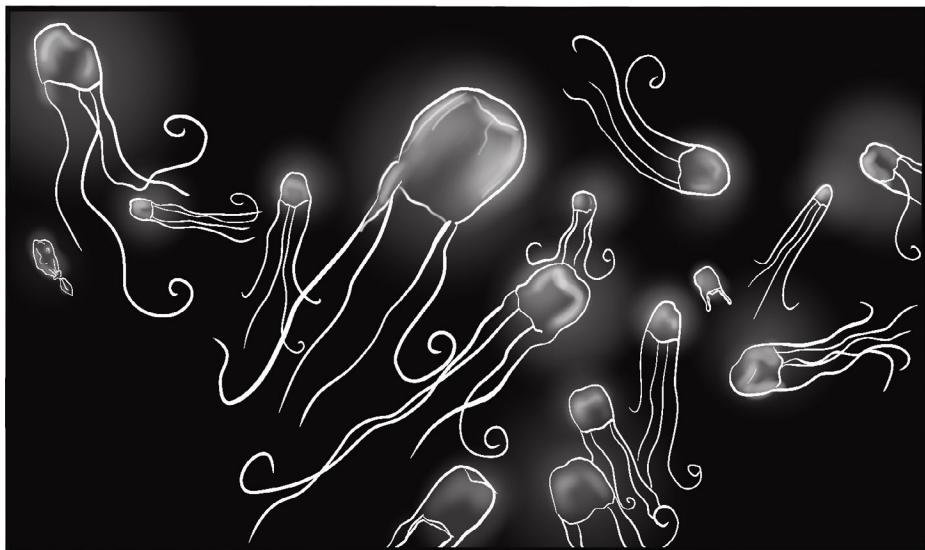
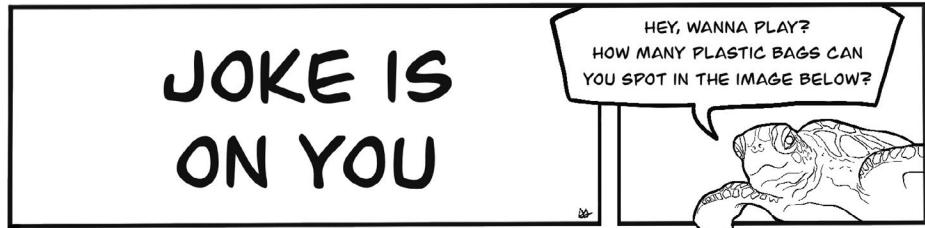
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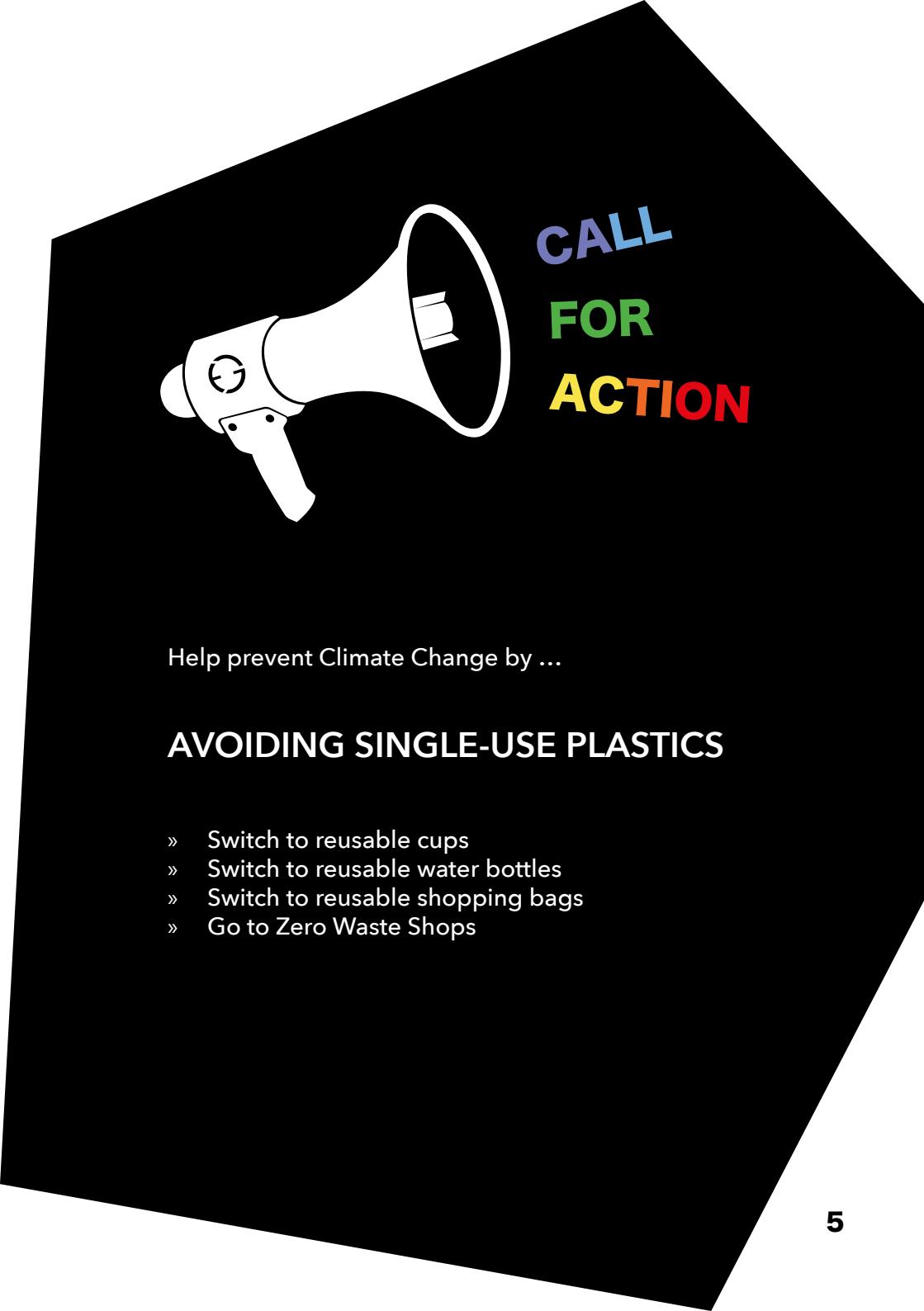
Help prevent Climate Change by ...

REDUCING ENERGY USE

- » Use LEDs or other low-energy light bulbs
- » Turn off lights and appliances when you don't need them
- » Put on an extra layer and turn down the heating a degree or two
- » Use a water-efficient showerhead
- » Switch energy supply to a green tariff
- » Insulate your doors, windows, loft or roof
- » Wash your laundry with cold water
- » Hang clothes to dry instead of using a dryer

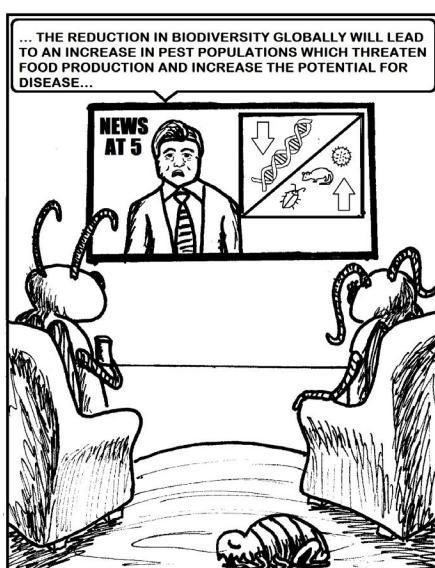
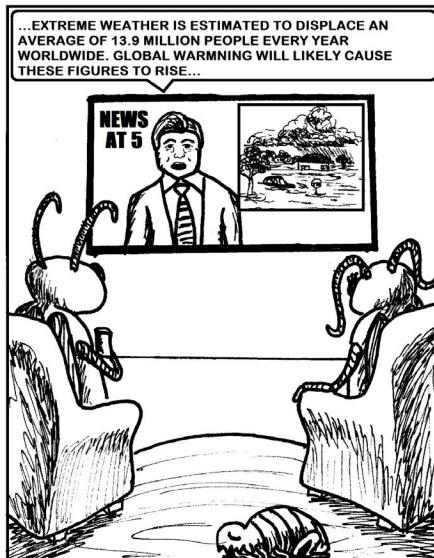
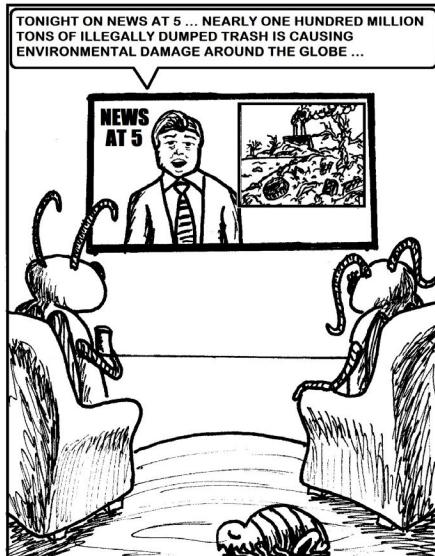


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BAD NEWS / GOOD NEWS

BY LIBBY LIUKKONEN



Libby Liukkonen

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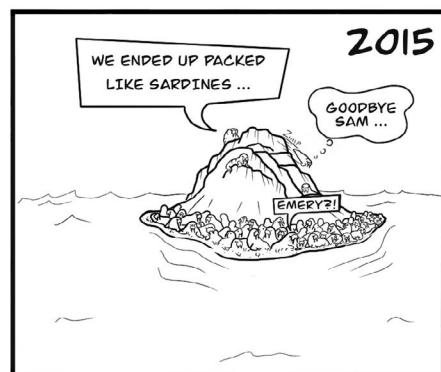
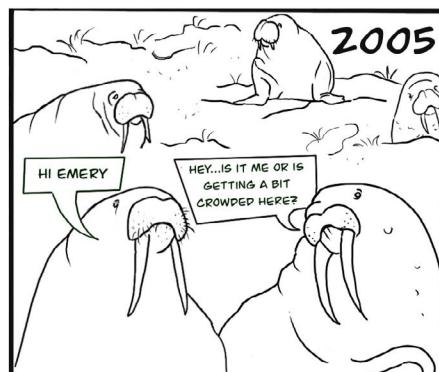
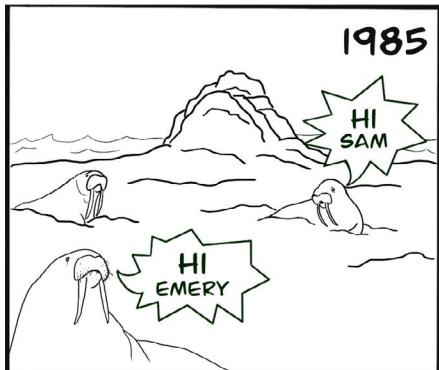


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CUTTING WASTE

- » Avoid single-use items and fast fashion
- » Do not buy more than you need
- » Shop second-hand or items that last a long time
- » Repair and reuse
- » Donate unwanted items to charity or sell them

OVERCROWDED BEACH AT WALRUS' ISLAND



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AVOIDING OCEAN-HARMING PRODUCTS AND PRACTICES LIKE:

- » Plastic bags
- » Cosmetics containing microplastics
- » Jewellery made of coral or sea turtle shells
- » Seafood from not sustainable sources. Consult the guide from the Marine Conservation Society: www.mcsuk.org/goodfishguide/

'TIS THE SEASON



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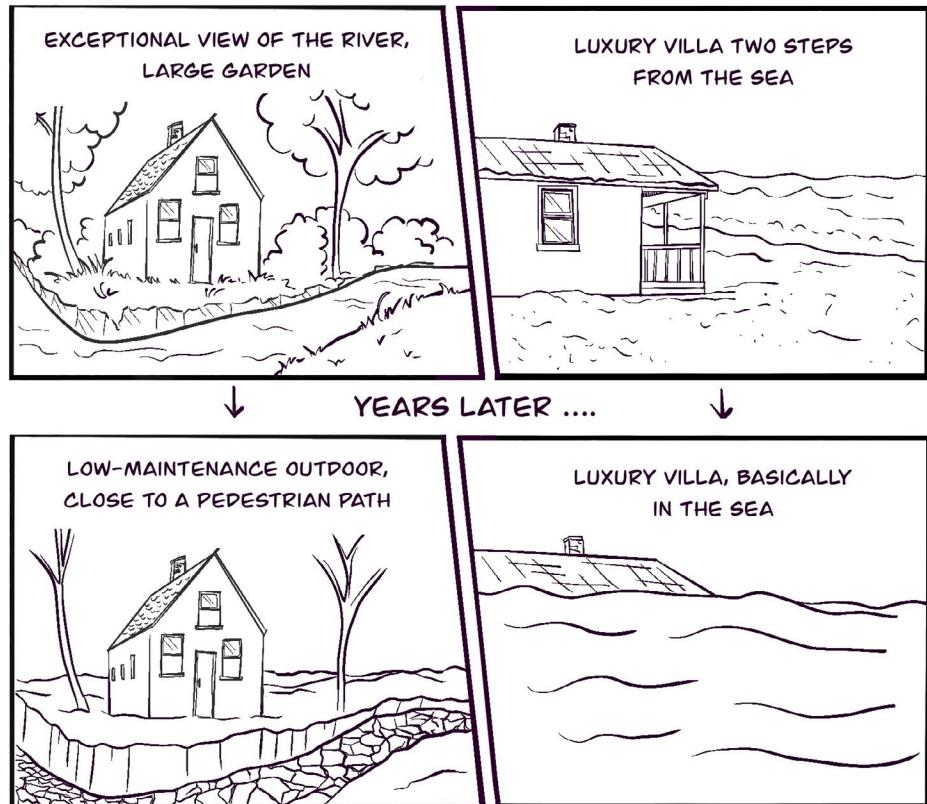


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NOT WASTING FOOD

- » Buy only the food you need
- » Store leftovers in glass containers
- » Be creative with your leftovers, e.g. make a soup or a sandwich
- » Share extras with your friends and neighbours
- » Contribute to a local food-sharing scheme
- » Compost

REAL ESTATE TOP DEALS



Help prevent Climate Change by ...

SHOPPING LOCAL

Buy local and seasonal clothes and foods. In this way, you support local businesses and farms in your area. You also reduce fossil fuel emissions associated with transport

Grow your own vegetables/fruit. If you don't have outdoor space, consider setting up a community garden in your neighbourhood or getting involved with an existing one



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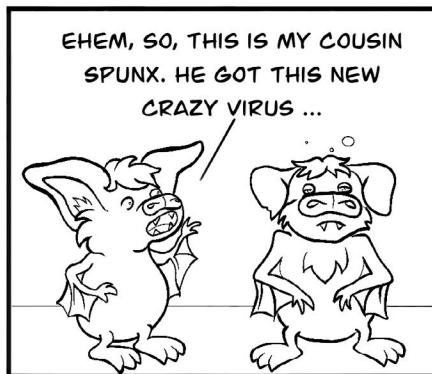
MAKING YOUR VOICE HEARD

Contact your Member of Parliament, local councillors and city mayors to tell them that action on climate change is important

Do your research on candidates and vote for leaders at all levels of government who take climate change seriously

Search for local/national petitions or lobbies. For example, through Reddit or by contacting local sections of Greenpeace, Youth Strike 4 Climate or Extinction Rebellion

COVSPIRATION THEORY - BAT CRAZY -



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KEEPING IT CLEAN!

Do not leave litter behind on the ground, e.g. in parks, beaches or other public spaces because it:

- » Hampers efforts to recycle effectively
- » Can be extremely expensive for the city to handle
- » Is extremely dangerous for park life such as squirrels, hedgehogs, and birds

Bee Whispers

It was a sunny day. Too sunny. After weeks of heavy rains and storms, the droughts and heatwaves plagued the town like a curse from above. Many beekeepers worried about how this could impact their little honey-making friends, but there was one beekeeper in particular who grew very concerned about their future.

'Anna, it's so hot... I can barely stand being outside. What do you think we should do?' asked Bethany.

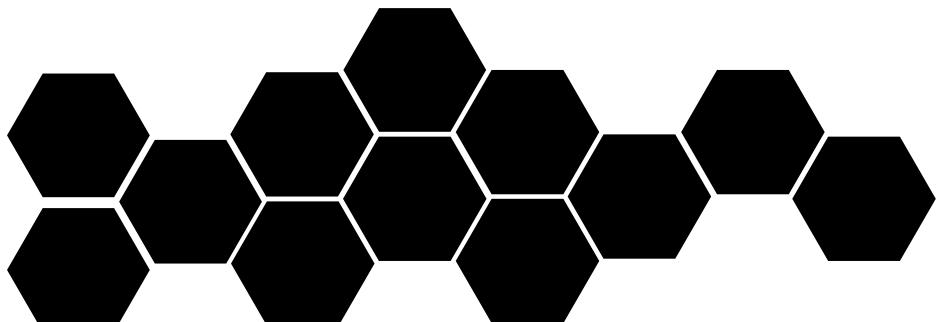
'Not sure', replied Anna, 'I was thinking about starting my own little garden to get my little friends some food'.

'Your little friends?'

Anna stared out the kitchen window looking concerned and said, 'I really have to tell them...'

'Tell who, about what?!' said Bethany impatiently.

'The bees! I have to tell the bees about the drought. It's like a bee-keeper's law!'



Meanwhile, from the hive's point of view, the giants were approaching. And this time it was not one, but two of them.

'GUARDS! GUARDS!', signalled one of the bees to the others. 'We have movement here. Code G2, I repeat, code G2.'

The word spread quickly and a bee general arrived promptly to assess the situation.

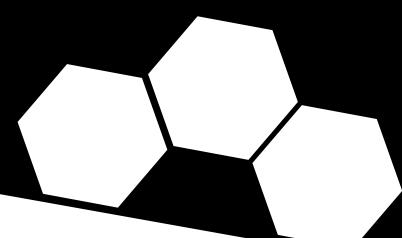
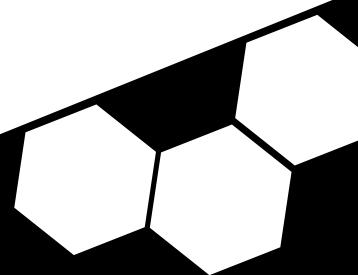
'Have we established the giants' intention?', asked the general.

'No, sir', replied the guard who spotted the giants in the first place. 'It's not Tuesday yet. They shouldn't be here.'

'Alright, let's see what they want, but remain on high alert.'

One of the giants leaned in as the bees stared into the white-suited creature intensely. The creature started to tell the bees all about their concerns and the bees created a long line to pass the information to the Queen as they received it.

'What are they saying?', the bees in line started getting impatient as they wanted to pass information as quickly as possible.

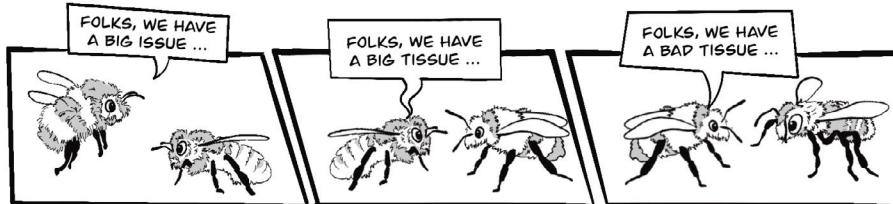


'They're saying: Folks, we have a big issue...', said the bee on the front.

'What? A bad tissue?', replied the one behind it.

And so, through many whispers, the words have finally reached the Queen.

'My Queen, the giants stopped by to say: Yolks, we have a bad tissue. The trout is fasting for a long time and hours are flying off. There's no crow or goose anymore.'



The Queen's whisper translator stepped forward.

'Folks, we have a big issue. The drought is lasting for a long time and flowers are dying off. I don't know what to do anymore.'

The panic started spreading like wildfire as the news travelled beyond the hive and across the world. If there are no flowers, then there is no pollen. If there is no pollen, there is no food. And if there is no food, there is no hive. How could the bees survive without a hive?

Food and habitat loss quickly became a scary possibility and unluckily for the bees, they couldn't do much on their own to remedy the situation...

Unsure of the impact, Anna decided to follow her instincts. With Bethany's help, she made her garden bee-friendly by adding flowers and installing an insect hotel. Luckily, this provided her little honey-making friends with shelter and more places to forage pollen and nectar from.

They also noticed the heat is getting to some of the bees and prepared special sugar treats to revive those tired workers and help them get through their day.

With the changing climate, bees struggle to adapt to the new conditions and habitat loss.

Fortunately, just like Anna and Bethany, you can help them!

When a bee-friendly garden isn't an option, you can install pollinator-friendly window boxes instead.

Our choice of honey also plays a part - remember to choose local and sustainable honey. And always *bee* friendly towards our little friends!

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HELPING THE BEES!



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SPREADING THE WORD!

- » Share information about climate change with your friends, family and co-workers
- » Suggest relevant petitions or some of the calls for action listed in this booklet



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