



Newsletter

January / February 2018

Not One Well

Action Updates Behind the Scenes!

Gaslight Cafe Sandown

Despite being a small venue space we were delighted that between 30 and 40 people showed up to our presentation and discussion.

There was lots of interesting debate and some good contacts made which we are now following up and adding to our planned future events.

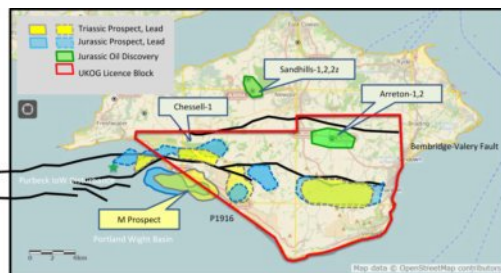
Huge thanks to Ali, The Gaslight Cafe owner, for opening up specially on the day and making the space available. Our thanks to everyone who attended and donated and also to the Green Party for adding their morning meeting's donations to the bucket.



National Trust

Some of our members met with the IOW National Trust to give updates on the current plans of UKOG and to gain understanding of the issues that the NT may face. It was a very useful and positive meeting and we hope to maintain our contact so we can communicate and cooperate in the future.

P1916 offshore licence dropped.



The best news we received during January was our confirmation from the OGA that in December 2017 our offshore licence has been dropped.

However UKOG did not declare the drop until January 31st when the licence was due to expire.

We are awaiting a response from the FCA regarding the legality of the tardiness of UKOG's declaration to investors of the loss of this asset.

UKOG is apparently still preparing plans to drill from Arreton by 2019.

FOI request to IWC reveal that, as yet, there have been no pre-planning discussions or contact regarding their application.

UKOG has £50million wiped off their share price as a result of difficulties at their wellsite in Broadford Bridge.

<https://drillordrop.com/2018/02/20/50m-wiped-off-ukog-on-news-of-possible-formation-damage-at-broadford-bridge-oil-well/>

Corallian Plan Offshore Rig

We hope that some of you were able to respond to Corallian's Environmental Statement which includes releasing chemicals and drilling waste into the sea off Studland Bay in Dorset.



If you didn't see this article in the telegraph about the protected seahorse species in the region then you can read it at this link.

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/2018/02/07/britains-endangered-seahorse-colony-threat-bid-drill-oil/>



TV Presenters join call to ban the Corallian Well

<https://drillordrop.com/2018/02/21/tv-presenters-join-call-on-government-to-block-oil-drilling-off-bournemouth/>

What Else Can I do?

Netpol Statements

Thank you to everyone who sent a statement to Netpol to support them in taking the Informational Commissioner to court by explaining that protestors against fossil fuel extraction should not be considered as potential terrorists.

IWC Pension Fund

Please write to your IWC representative or to the pension committee to ask them to divest £43 million from fossil fuels to renewables.

Next Public Workshop



The Green Room
1 Salisbury Gardens
Dudley Road
Ventnor
Isle of Wight PO38 1EJ
1pm to 3pm on Sat.
17th March 2018

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Green Room Poster pdf

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BRING ONE OTHER
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WITH YOU.

MEETING DATES 2018

Mondays:

Mar. 12th

Apr. 16th

May 14th

From 6.30pm to 8.30pm at

The Castle
91 High Street
Newport
PO30 1BQ

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