

Representative to the Living Witness Project

2 years

Purpose

The Living Witness Project was established as a response to a 'call to action' from Britain Yearly Meeting in 2001 that expressed an urgent need to address the ecological impacts of our lifestyles and production systems.

The Living Witness project aims to support the development of Friends' corporate witness to sustainable living and explore ways of taking it to the wider community.

Duties

Represent the concerns and views of Young Friends at the meetings. Report back to YFGM on the work of the Living Witness Project, either through articles in YQ, running Special Interest Groups or giving a formal report when required by YFGM.

Liase with local meeting house for YFGM's to ensure as much waste is recycle as much as practicable from the weekend.

Skills required

Interest in environmental and sustainability issues. Ability to take part in weekends away (generally twice a year). Confidence to give reports (written and or verbal at YFGM)

Time commitment

Attend meetings of the Living Witness Project generally 2 per year.
Possibility of running Special Interest Groups to feed back from Living Witness Project weekends.

Reporting timetable

At October YFGMs

The report could take the form of a personal presentation or a written report in documents or advance or YQ, in person/writing/Young Quaker