

Supporting your community journey to Net Zero



SDGs supported by the Council

Donaghadee Community Development Association

Donaghadee's four schools – Ballyvester Primary School, Donaghadee Primary School, Killard School and St Anne's Primary School partnered with the local Community Development Association and Ards and North Down Borough Council to launch a Marine Litter Project.

Equipped with litter-picking and water sampling equipment, each school adopted an area of coastline and is endeavouring to monitor and maintain it, now and in the future. This strong collaboration is a great representation of the spirit of Live Here Love Here and the project is a valuable hands-on learning experience to encourage local children to be lifelong stewards of our wonderful beaches.



Live Here Love Here Small Grants Scheme



11 projects delivered **£23,329** amount awarded by the Council

Marine Capital Grants

6 project delivered **£43,077** amount awarded

School Pollinator Grants

32 projects delivered **£228,260** amount awarded

Climate Action Plans

5 Community Led Climate Action Plans, first of their kind in Northern Ireland



By Numbers...



165 Adopt A Spot groups and 2,258 volunteers supported



33 Live Here Love Here Community Support Events



5 Green Flag Parks and Open Spaces



49 groups supported across grants **67%** prompted awareness of LHLH campaign

101 Litter surveys undertaken



27 Awards presented to well-managed beaches, parks, schools and stations

Bottom Line

£75,000 Live Here Love Here investment by Council

£10,942 Eco-Schools investment

£314,520 Total additional funds invested in Council area

£3.66 return on every £1 invested by the Council

Reporting Period – 1st April 2022- 31st March 2023.

Eco-Schools



24 Green Flag Eco-Schools



28 School support visits and events



4,104 Young people engaged in Eco-Schools

NI Media Reach and Value

2,544,880
£571,203

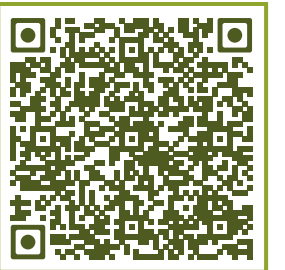


1,049,740
£147,257



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