

Hetton Town Council



Hetton Town Council joins Keep Britain Tidy campaign



Hetton Town Councillors with members of the public after a morning litter picking in Easington Lane

Pledging to do their bit to clear up the litter that blights the local area, Hetton Town Council played its part in the 2022 Great British Spring Clean by organising volunteer litter picks in Hetton le Hole and Easington Lane.

Hetton Town Mayor Councillor Dave Geddis said "The call to action came as the Keep Britain Tidy charity revealed taking eco-action in the outdoors appears to be critical to the wellbeing of our communities.

As well as polluting our streets and parks, litter harms wildlife and domestic pets and costs significant amounts of money each year to clean up.

I am delighted that local town councillors and members of the public turned out to help."

Keep Britain Tidy's Chief Executive, Allison Ogden-Newton OBE, said: "In the past two years our outdoor spaces and places have mattered to us more than ever before as more people have embraced them during the pandemic – and with this we know local authorities like Hetton Town Council are keen to help in the fight against litter.

A big thank you goes to Hetton Town Council for getting involved in this year's campaign. Every bag of litter removed from the environment makes a huge difference to the environment and local communities."

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