



Environmental and Ethical Group Update Spring 2026

We're in the News!

In February, the Club was approached by the Climate and Nature Partnership and asked to create a blog on our sustainability transition. This became Live on Facebook, LinkedIn, and their website on February 28th, see below: [How a free carbon survey opened doors for a Bristol sports club - Bristol Climate & Nature Partnership.](#)



The LTA also requested to do a news story on the same topic. Members made so many pledges to adopt green habits that the Club won the LTA Pledgeball league one year and were runners-up the following year. Are you fulfilling your pledges? The News story should be out soon.

Finally, we had a visit from the West of England Combined Authority (WECA), which awarded the Club £35,000 in Green Business Grants. They have requested to use the Club as a Case Study. We were required to demonstrate where the money was used, so after climbing onto the roof, here is another photo of our wonderful array of solar panels.



Reception Porch

The builders for the new double-glazed reception porch have been appointed, so this is expected to go ahead shortly.

Recycling Balls

A company called Circularball, recommended by the LTA, has visited the Club to review the recycling process.

Circularball currently provides a comprehensive recycling service to East Gloucestershire Club, which even includes the recycling of racket strings.

The Club will keep the pod outside Court 1, so please continue 'Pick up and Pop in' any old tennis and padel balls.



One Small Step for Nature

Biodiversity Bank

Spring has arrived, so we await with interest to see how well the native wildflowers have fared. Snowdrops, primroses and fritillaria were the first arrivals.

A few gaps appeared in the wildlife hedge where small shrubs have died. Eighteen more whips were planted in February. Overall, the hedge is thriving.



We welcome any comments, questions, or suggestions. Also, we are always excited to have new members join our small, friendly group. Please email: environmental@redlandgreen.co.uk

