

# CLEAN RIVER KENT CAMPAIGN (CRKC)



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### WHO ARE WE?

A coalition of volunteers from communities along the River Kent in Staveley, Burneside and Kendal. We were established in Autumn 2021.

### WHAT DO WE WANT TO DO?

1. Clean up the River Kent for water-based recreation and to protect ecology and wildlife.
2. Reduce the amount of effluent discharged into the River Kent from a variety of sources.
3. Work in partnership with local groups and organisations.

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### WHAT WE ARE DOING?

1. Counting the numbers of people using the river for any sort of leisure-based recreation.
2. Gathering information about what people feel about the River Kent.
3. Working with local people (citizen scientists) to monitor the water quality of the river.

### WHY ARE WE COLLECTING THIS DATA?

To secure 'safe bathing' designation for a stretch of the River Kent. This gives the river extra protection from the Environment Agency. If we are successful the River Kent would just one of 3 rivers in the whole of England to get this designation!

### HOW CAN YOU GET INVOLVED?

- Follow us (Facebook): @cleanriverkent
- Join us – email: [senstaveley@gmail.com](mailto:senstaveley@gmail.com) (ask to be added to CRKC mailing list and/or become a volunteer)
- Complete our questionnaire or survey: [www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/riverkent](http://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/riverkent) (£50 voucher prize draw!)
- Tell others about us!

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