

# January Newsletter: Sustainability Week Zurich NHWZ

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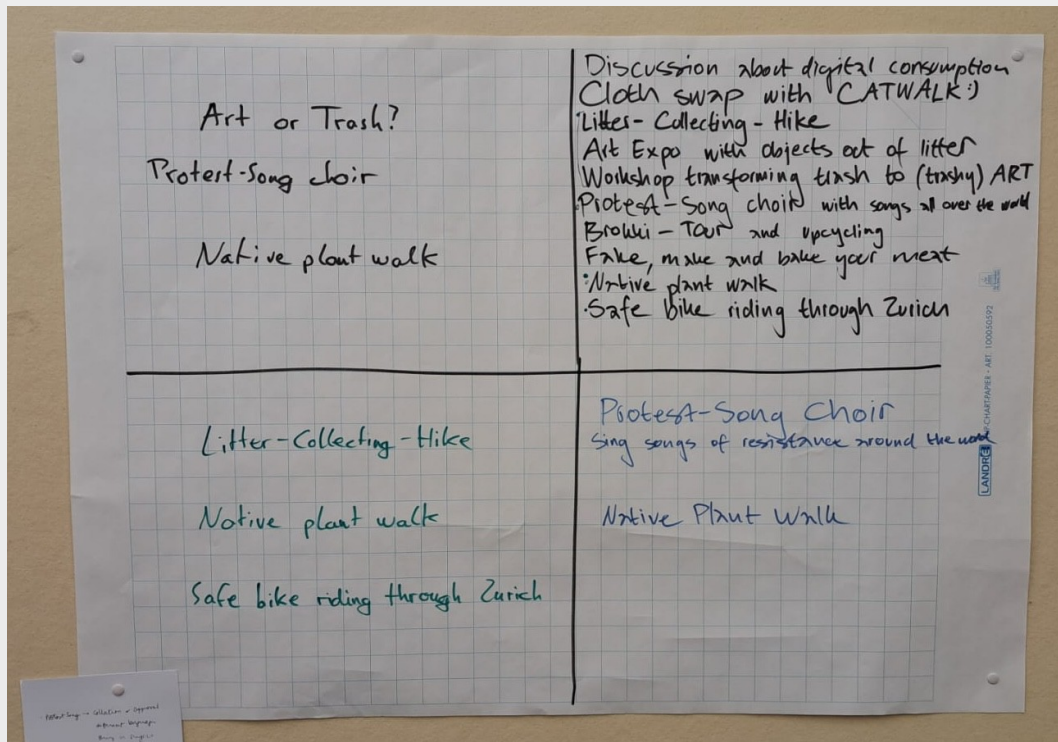
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**Nachhaltigkeits  
Woche** Zürich



**Sustainability  
Week** Zurich



# Welcome to the January Newsletter!

Hello there,

Here is one question for the new year: *How do we share the future?*

One way is by talking about it. By bringing people and their ideas together.

The picture you see above is from one such endeavour: our [Event-Creation Party](#) at ZHAW. Here, we collected some brand new ideas for creating sustainability events, and filtered out the most exciting and feasible ones. After all, it is all about balance!

With this, we officially covered all [our five constituent universities](#) over the last months to help with event brainstorming, the last ones being at the Pädagogische Hochschule Zürich PHZH and ETH in January. Thanks for attending them, sharing your brilliant ideas and submitting them as event proposals to us for our Week in April.

We are very happy to announce that we received a very good set of promising [event applications](#) already, as our deadline closed earlier this week. The Program [Team](#) led by Co-President Ana-Isabelle Leicht will get back to you soon. Meanwhile, feel free to still reach us if you still want to be involved, we can try and find a way.

Our [call for volunteers](#) is now officially open. If you want to be a photographer, staff our Info-Desks and give us a hand in building the main tent, we would really like to have you as a volunteer for April. (More below)

2026 has many challenges especially in the time that we live in. But hope is a still a beautiful and powerful thing. This is why our theme of the year is "Sharing the Future". We hope that you keep thinking about it. Meanwhile, thanks a lot and see you in February!

Best regards,

**Ashoka Vardhan Manchala**  
Co-President & Lead Team Member

On behalf of the **Lead Team**  
Sustainability Week Zurich  
Nachhaltigkeitswoche Zürich (NHWZ)

## Our Events & Updates



## Sustainability Event Creation Parties: PHZH & ETH

Our "Sustainability Event Creation Parties" with games and Apéro are where we act as a support system. We help you figure out new ideas and turning them into events at the upcoming Sustainability Week Zurich 2026. In January we concluded the last two covering PHZH & ETH.

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### "Sharing the Future": Poster Teaser

Have you seen "Where is Waldo?" or "Wo ist Walter?". A big image with a lot of people doing various activities and Walter is hidden somewhere there. Our poster this year is similar: A Wimmelbild / Swarm Image. Instead of searching for one person, you can enjoy seeing people sharing things everywhere. Our instagram posts will reveal one sharing-scene at a time.

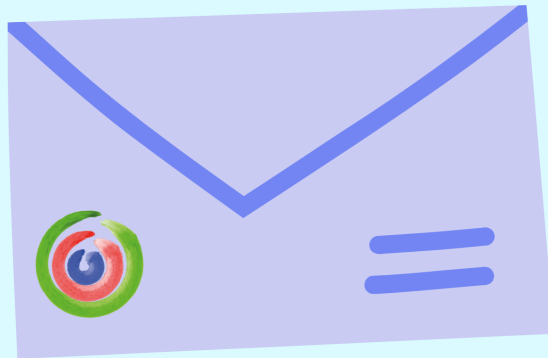
[SEE OUR INSTAGRAM](#)



## Volunteer With Us in April!

Our call for volunteers is open! You can choose the following tasks: Photography of the events, logistics, tent setup/dismantling, distributing flyers, Infodesk & Allrounder. Tell your friends about it who might be interested. The picture above shows some of our amazing 2025 volunteers.

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## From Our Partners



## Biodiversity Revival Webinar

This event will be in German. Join the Webinar «Biodiversität verstehen: Bist du bereit?», where expert Daniela Pauli will introduce you to biodiversity in Switzerland. This is organised by aufleben-natur, an initiative of our Partner Verein "Biodiversät. Jetzt!". **27 Jan 2026, 19.00 – 20.30**

[REGISTER HERE](#)



CAMP 2026

# COMPOST COLLECTIVE CAMP 2026

## A Weekend in Luzern

If you are between 14-30 years of age, you can apply to join the Compost Collective Camp in Willisau in Luzern in March. It is held trilingually between German, French and Italian and is free of charge. This is organised by our partner Faires Lager. **7-8 Mar 2026, Luzern.**

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## A Final Check-in

Are you a **student** who wants to engage with us? We would be very glad! Join our [WhatsApp community](#) and stay connected on our [Instagram](#). You can find our past & upcoming events on our [website](#).

Are you a **partner Verein** / association who works on sustainability & want to publicise your own events? Please write to us at [info@nhwz.ch](mailto:info@nhwz.ch) and we would love to add your events to our newsletter.

Whether you are one of the above or not, we still wish you a lovely rest of the day/night/afternoon/evening! See you soon!



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