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Climate Crisis - Climate Justice

Climate change displacement: 'One of the defining challenges'. As volatile weather patterns continue, some communities are being forced to move to survive. Read more ...

Wind power triumphs: UK's energy mix breezes past fossil fuels. Electricity production generated from fossil fuels reached its lowest point since the Covid pandemic, with carbon emissions dropping to a three-year low, according to a report. Read more ...

Young people to take 32 European countries to court over climate policies. Claimants to argue lack of adequate action is breach of human rights, in largest climate legal action to date. Read more ...

Climate crisis: Africa is talking but is the west listening? Africa's largest meeting on the crisis finished last week amid arguments over 'false solutions' and unfulfilled promises. But will the lofty ideals presented translate into better lives for Africans? Read more ...

Climate change: UN calls for radical changes to stem warming. Tackling climate change needs a rapid transformation of the way our world works, travels, eats and uses energy, according to an important UN review. Read more ...

Other News

Walking Out of Morocco's Rubble, Pregnant, Scared and Homeless. Clambering away from an earthquake's devastation and death, a family hoped to welcome a single new life. Read more ...

Natural disaster or man-made, why was Libya so vulnerable to floods? While the floods were unprecedented, experts argue that years of neglect and corruption worsened the tragedy. Read more ...

'Olive branches, victory signs': How Oslo Accords failed the Palestinians. The Oslo Accords were 'inherently designed' to serve Israel's economic and security dominance over the Palestinians, experts say. Read more ...

\$5 and \$10 a week. A savings club helps women in Zimbabwe make ends meet. Read more ...

Children in Britain are being denied an education because of their natural hair. This World Afro Day, let's change that. Seven years ago, I fought my school for the right to wear the hair I was born with. Now I work as an ambassador for change. Read more ...

Topics discussed at Thursday's World at Lunch

We Know the Cure for Loneliness. So Why Do We Suffer? Read more ...

'I feel like a man from another era': Neanderthal hunter Ludovic Slimak. Explorer Ludovic Slimak has dedicated decades to unearthing the mystery of our prehistoric ancestors. Now he has found a missing piece that radically reshapes our understanding – not just of the Neanderthals but of humanity itself. Read more ...

The Naked Neanderthal by Ludovic Slimak. Details ...

Cleveland's shrinking tree canopy raises concerns and a continued plan of action. Experts report Cleveland's tree canopy is heading to just 17%, with 28,000 new trees needed annually to turn around the trend. Read more ...

Experts call for global moratorium on efforts to geoengineer climate. Techniques such as solar radiation management may have unintended consequences, scientists say. Read more ...

Watch and listen ...

BBC Radio 4: The Reunion. Kirsty Wark reunites members of the influential young British art collective, the BLK Art Group, together with other black artists of the time who shared their concerns. Listen ...

Local News ...

Exeter's RAMM announces new commissions by two Devon-based artists. Read more ...

Preparations underway for festival celebrating Exeter's maritime history. Read more ...

Volunteers across Devon are giving up their spare time to ensure that surplus food is not going to waste. Read more ...

Public vote launched to choose new Exeter city climate mural. Read more ...

Campaigns

Greenpeace: Climate Justice for the Pacific - Pasifika activists are making history through their campaign to take climate change to the highest court. Join the movement to protect human rights and hold big polluters accountable. <u>Details</u> ...

Campaigns Updates ...

Greenpeace: Raw sewage in rare habitats: 9 beautiful places water companies are polluting with sewage. Read more ...

Global Justice Now: Pharmanomics: How Big Pharma Destroys Global Health by Nick Deardon. Details ...