



We're Committed to Reducing Our
Impact on the Environment
reuse, refill, recycle!



Taking Action, Taking Care of Our Planet

We continuously adapt our products and services to reduce our carbon footprint and reduce plastic waste.





We're Considerate To the Environment, With Every Glass of Water

Providing fresh drinking water has a relatively small effect on the environment, but like any other business our activities still have some impact. As a leading water cooler supplier we are committed to improving our own performance and preventing pollution of the local, regional and global environment.

We continuously consider our impact on the environment, and aim to help our customers to reduce plastic waste, and recycle where possible.

When you install a Thirsty Work water dispenser you're encouraging your customers to refill their own cups, glasses and bottles, reducing the need for single use plastics.

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Make it Net Zero

Thirsty Work is dedicated to reducing its carbon footprint and contributing to a more sustainable future. We see Net Zero as one of the key drivers to achieve this and have completed a verified carbon footprint through the Make it Net Zero Programme. We are making efforts to target and reduce our Carbon emissions inline with government expectations.



Renewable Energy

We are committed to sourcing a portion of our energy from renewable sources. This includes solar power at our head office.

New, Greener Refrigeration

Refrigerants can have a big environmental impact, so our new machines will be manufactured to use gasses that won't contribute to ozone depletion or global warming.

R600a is a naturally occurring refrigerant gas (a hydrocarbon called isobutane). It is non-toxic and proven to have zero ODP (Ozone Depletion Potential) and very low GWP (Global Warming Potential), helping to reduce the carbon footprint of your company.

It also has excellent thermodynamic (cooling) properties resulting in high energy efficiency.





Sustainable Water Dispenser Solutions and Accessories



Paper Cups



In 2018 we automatically switched all of our customers over to using our new range of recyclable paper cups, **achieving a 99% reduction in the single use plastic cups that we distribute.**



Recyclable Products

We take on the responsibility for the recycling of our bottled and mains fed products, and use ecologically sound recyclable packaging materials where possible.



BPA-FREE Refillable Water Bottles

Our bottle deposit scheme is an essential part of our eco-friendly processes, ensuring that our water bottles are reused, refilled or recycled, and don't end up in landfill.

We charge our customers a refundable bottle deposit to encourage them to return the bottles for sterilisation and refilling. When they reach the end of their lifecycle the bottles are chipped to be recycled and never go to landfill. We invest in robust labelling to ensure we only use one label per bottle during its entire life. Our BPA-free bottles adhere to the latest regulations.

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Distribution Efficiency

We have invested in technology systems and processes that ensure we are distributing our products in the most efficient way possible. We have optimised our fleet, using Lightfoot technology to increase driving efficiency, optimise delivery routes and minimise fuel consumption. We have plans to transition our fleet to electric and hybrid models over time, to reduce direct emissions from transportation. Our vehicles conform to the latest Euro 6, European emission standards for light commercial vehicles.



Our 100% natural pure spring water is bottled
with true commitment to the environment

Bottled water has
the lowest carbon
footprint of any
packaged beverage.



Cloud, rain and rock are the three
ingredients that create our spring water.

Our water is bottled in Shropshire beside
the Wenlock Edge - situated within a
protected Site of Special Scientific Interest
(SSSI), filtering naturally through Silurian
Limestone rock.

The whole bottling process takes place
on-site - from source to bottle, with as little
impact on the environment as possible.



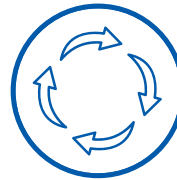
**Underground
source**



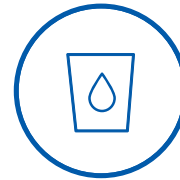
**Natural
filtration**



**Bottled
at source**



**Recyclable
packaging**



**Ready
to drink!**

Our bottling plant makes huge efforts to
remain sustainable at source. This includes:

- **Growing Miscanthus Grass to fuel carbon neutral biomass boilers and capture CO₂.**
- **Solar panel installation to generate electricity.**
- **New trees planted to capture CO₂.**
- **Heat recovery to reduce energy usage.**
- **A new palletiser system to streamline the efficiencies of the bottling line.**



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