

Kona Brewers Festival 2017



Background:

Since 2008, KBF's volunteers helped contain 64 yards of compost and 90 yards of recycling. In 2010, over 30,000 single-use disposables were eliminated from the waste stream through the incorporation of reusable sporks. Reusable items like mugs, scripts, sporks, water dispensers, and keg containers are a KBF cornerstone that eliminates discards by preventing them from entering festival grounds. The highlight of KBF is the Trash Fashion Show; the longest-running Trash Fashion Show in the state, probably the nation, with 22 years offering hand-crafted outfits, educational narrative, and uplifting music. The trashionistas have provided inspiration and education while setting the standard over two decades for fashion created from everyday discards

To Offset Festival CO2 Emissions:

Organize an event that protects the climate to the greatest possible extent, for example by using eco tableware and environmentally friendly transportation. Used the myclimate event calculator to determine the remaining, unavoidable CO2 emissions and offset these in a myclimate climate protection project.

Data like "average miles traveled" will be gathered via survey by participants after the 2017 event. This data will provide the baseline for future analysis.

https://co2.myclimate.org/en/event_calculators/new

Recycling and Waste Diversion:

- ✚ Recorded metrics for waste diversion 2016
- ✚ 1 gigantic truck compost
- ✚ 4 trucks recycle



More information at <http://konabrewersfestival.com/sustainability/>