

## **Blowing New Year Bubbles**

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Last year was a huge reality check – when the bubble we had been living in burst. The pressure from our politicians is to ‘get back on track’. What seems to be wanted is for the world of consumerism, debt and easy credit to resume. This is basically about blowing more bubbles – happy and distracting but not long-lasting. A deeper consideration for us all would be to put sustainability – environmental, social, economic, spiritual – at the heart of everything.

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