



Sheepdrove's Green Policy

Sheepdrove is committed to sustainable green tourism and we strive to lessen our impact on the environment wherever we can. Here is what we do to limit our carbon footprint:

- Using only 100% renewable green electricity for lighting and heating
- 900 solar panels and 2 wind turbines at Sheepdrove
- Using green electricity from Ecotricity to further reduce our carbon footprint
- Treating all our waste water through grey water reed bed recycling system
- Providing an electric car charger on site
- Energy-saving LED lighting
- Repurposed renovated farm building
- Log burning stove with wood sustainably sourced on the farm
- Providing natural organic fair-trade soaps from Neals Yard Remedies
- Recycling all food waste, paper, packing, labels, newspapers, glass, batteries, light bulbs, tins, cans and printer cartridges
- Minimising our waste production by promoting avoidance, reduction, re-use, recovery, and recycling
- Using only eco-friendly cleaning products and sanitisers
- Bed linen is washed at lower temperatures in efficient environmentally machines at a commercial eco laundry
- Eco knit towels require 15% less water to launder
- Drinking water provided by farm bore hole that is regularly tested and free from added chemicals
- Mindful sourcing of sustainable fabrics and FSC certified wood
- Encouraging our guests to explore the local area and attractions on foot or by bicycle providing information on walks and cycle routes
- Listing in our guestbooks recommendations for local, organic, sustainable food, drink, experiences, and events
- Providing information on the local biodiversity and wildlife
- Supporting local community projects including the local school, food bank, theatre, and music festival

Please note our Green Policy for Our Guests

- Turn off lights when leaving the room
- Turn off taps while washing your hands and brushing your teeth
- Limit the use of heating and keep internal doors closed to keep heat in

Please note our Green Policy for Our Team

- Complying with all relevant environmental regulations and legislation
- Raising and maintaining a high level of understanding and participation of environmental best practice within our team
- Reviewing our policy to improve our environmental impact
- Minimising our waste production by promoting avoidance, reduction, re-use, recovery, and recycling
- Considering the impact on the environment in the everyday decision making of the running of the farm stays at Sheepdrove
- Implementing our environmental purchasing policy which gives preferences to goods and services with the least possible environmental impacts