Argyll Hotel Iona

Environmental & Social Policy

At the Argyll Hotel we are committed to working in a sustainable way, continuously seeking to improve our quality of service to guests & our community, whilst improving our environmental performance. We are taking the following actions in to achieve this:

Pollution Reduction

We monitor our waste output & energy use weekly as a way of measuring changes following building improvements & also to assess usage by area. All this is part of the larger picture of reducing our consumption.

Raising Awareness of Sustainability

Staff are trained in re-cycling, composting, eco-cleaning products & are encouraged to be energy & water waste aware. Guests are encouraged to help us limit our impact on the Island & surrounding waters by reading our Responsible Visitor information. We aim to educate about use of eco friendly personal care and cleaning products.

Respect for Nature & Each Other

We encourage respectful relationships between staff & conflict resolution strategies are in place. Staff are aware of the Scottish Countryside Code & how to respectfully enjoy the Island.

Local Community

We are part of a thriving Island Community & offer events throughout the year for locals as an important part of the web of Island life.

Shop Local

We maximise our purchase & use of local & Scottish food produce including our Organic garden to keep food miles to a minimum & to generate a strong local economy. We choose suppliers based on their own sustainability practices.

Environmental Compliance

We ongoingly meet requirements of environmental legislation & approved codes of safe practice.

Support Green Businesses

Our membership of the 'Green Tourism Business Scheme' indicates our commitment to become an increasingly sustainable business

