



RESPONSIBLE VISITOR CHARTER

Here at The Machrie, we recognise that we have an environmental responsibility and are committed to working towards a sustainable future for ourselves and future generations.

As a responsible visitor to our hotel and beautiful island, we have listed some ways in which you can help us protect our environment.

Conserve Energy

Switch off lights when you leave your room. Turn down the heating if the room is too hot rather than opening windows.

Nature

Respect our natural world by not littering and using footpaths responsibly. Be a responsible walker. Walk where there are paths and signs to paths and if in a group, walk in single file.

Most flora and fauna thrive when left alone so aim not to touch, pick or disturb.

Leave no trace by bagging up all rubbish.

For more information on how you can be a responsible walker follow the link to Scottish Outdoor Access Code www.outdooraccess-scotland.scot and in particular if walking on Estate lands, be aware of sporting activities. The www.outdooraccess-scotland.scot/practical-guide-all/heading-scottish-hills website provides lots of tips for responsible walking.

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

At The Machrie, we are making an effort to try and reduce waste by reusing and recycling where we can. Please help by recycling any waste that you may have.

Conserve Water

Water is one of our most precious commodities, so please use it wisely. Reuse towels and turn off the tap when brushing teeth or having a shave.

Sustainable Transport

It's not easy to get to and travel around an island sustainably, however by sharing cars, using public transport, cycling or by walking, you can make a difference.