

Rorys Well Environmental policy

Purpose

As part of the responsibilities implicit in our Purpose, Vision and Values statement and in our ongoing commitment to development, Rory's Well aims to be an environmentally conscious organisation contributing towards a safe and healthy environment for our beneficiaries and for future generations.

Scope

This policy applies to all trustees, volunteers and employees working with Rory's Well.

Objectives

- (i) To strive to adopt high environmental standards in all areas of Rory's Well work by reducing or removing environmentally damaging activities and encouraging activities that improve or conserve the environment.
- (ii) To adopt and aim to apply the principles of 'sustainable development' – that is, development which meets the needs of the present, without compromising the abilities of future generations to meet their own needs.
- (iii) To assess, on a continuous basis the environmental impact of all Rory's Well activities.
- (iv) To minimise the use of all materials, supplies, and energy, and, wherever possible, to use renewable or recyclable materials and components.
- (vii) To minimise waste and aim for 'waste-free' processes.
- (ix) To encourage third parties involved with Rory's Well (e.g. suppliers, partners etc.) to work towards establishing similar standards

Method

We will:

- Increase the environmental awareness of trustees and volunteers, thus generating their support and enthusiasm in tackling every day environmental issues including in the development and implementation of projects.
- Make environmentally sound transport decisions having regard to practicality and cost.