



Calcot & Spa

Our Green Journey so far....

At Calcot & Spa, we're passionate about sustainability and making responsible choices that benefit both our guests and the environment.

We've partnered with EarthCheck to further our commitment and provide accreditation to support and evidence to our claims. We've rewilded 220 acres over the last 25 years, slowly nature has been given the space to "rewild" through wildflower planting and organic farming practices. More recently in 2012 the planting of over 21,930 native trees and the creation of a new woodland area brought excited news of an increasing number of rare and endangered farmland birds spotted within our grounds as well as an abundance of butterflies, moths and wildflowers to promote biodiversity, creating a haven for local wildlife to find out more please take a look at:

<https://calcot.co/rewilding/>

See our full sustainability policy here:

<https://calcot.co/about-us/sustainability/>

Our Green Policies

We emphasise using sustainable, renewable, or recycled resources and promoting Fairtrade products. Minimizing packaging is a key focus, and we work closely with our suppliers to improve their environmental, social, and economic performance. Our team is trained in sustainable practices to ensure we're all working towards the same green goals.

Recent Achievements

We're proud of the strides we've made in sustainability:

- **Plastic Reduction:** We've removed 78% of our plastic milk bottles and switched to recyclable packaging where we can.
- **Recycling Initiatives:** New recycling initiatives mean that used spa & hotel flip flops are now recycled, and spa robes are donated to local charities.
- **Paperless Solutions:** We've eliminated the need for printed schedules for our guests and replaced paper towels with flannels and cloth napkins where possible.
- **Eco-Friendly Rooms:** All single-use plastics have been eliminated from our bedrooms, and we've switched to LED lighting and digital magazines.
- **Food Waste Management:** We've introduced a food waste collection system, turning all our food waste into energy.
- **Sustainable Spa:** Our Spa team now use 'Comfort Zone' who are a Certified B Corporation™ Their product range is free from silicones, animal derivatives, mineral oil, artificial colorants, SLS.
- **Cosy and Responsible Fires:** Our Wood-Burning Fire Policy ensures the safe and environmentally responsible use of wood-burning fires. We use dry, seasoned wood from sustainable sources and comply with local regulations to minimise our environmental impact.

Join Us on Our Journey

We're excited about the positive impact we're making and look forward to continuing our journey towards a greener future. Thank you for being a part of our story. Together, we can make a difference.... We'd love to hear your comments regarding our journey and always happy to hear how we might do even better – please email to feedback@calcot.co

