

"Les Fougères"

Our environmental charter

Madame, Monsieur,

We are happy to welcome you in our establishment. Since its creation, we have given a central place to respect for the environment. For us, for you and for future generations, we make every effort to minimize the impact of our activity on the environment. Thus:



We raise awareness among our teams and guests:

- Our environmental manager has undergone specific training on the issues of sustainable tourism, environmental preservation, CSR
- Our teams are trained in eco-friendly procedures to be applied in their daily tasks
- Our service providers and suppliers have been informed of our approach and we choose them based on their sustainable and social commitments
- We provide our guests with books, displays concerning the animal and plant species located in the surroundings as well as the hiker's charter
- We offer many alternatives to limit car travel: bike rental, shuttles, possibility of carpooling.



We save water and energy:

- We have installed water economizers/pressure reducers on the taps and showers in order to help preserve resources
- We check our water and electricity meters every month to better manage our consumption
- When replacing toilet flushing toilets, we equip them with double pushers allowing water saving
- A water leak detection procedure is implemented
- Technical installations are regularly checked for optimal operation
- The heating is limited to 19°C
- All the windows of heated buildings are equipped with double glazing
- All of our lighting is LED, which allows energy savings and similar comfort for our guests
- The corridors and stairwells are equipped with presence detectors or timers to limit energy waste
- The outdoor lighting is adjusted according to the season.



We limit and sort waste:

- We have set up several selective sorting points
- We sort all types of waste, even biowaste for recycling for our composter
- We work with a majority of products in bulk or large packaging to limit unnecessary packaging
- We only offer hospitality products on request in order to reduce the production of packaging waste
- We have implemented displays to assist our guests in sorting in accordance with local regulations
- We do not offer any disposable dishes and provide customers with reusable eco-cups for your stay
- The use of reusable containers for picnics is preferred
- Customers are made aware of food waste
- We limit the use of paper (welcome booklet in digital format)



We are attentive to the well-being of our customers:

- Once a week we organize a local market on with local producers and artisans to support the local economy.
- The proposed animations and activities are designed around sustainable development
- We are committed to the My Restaurant Responsible approach, ensuring concrete actions in favor of responsible food
- Our buffet restaurant offers seasonal and local products and some organic products
- The products used for the maintenance of rooms, apartments and collective premises are all eco-labelled, which offers better air quality and fewer risks to health and the environment.
- For the well-being of our teams and yours, we have banned bleach, irritant to the respiratory tract and toxic to aquatic organisms
- The toilet paper is made of non-chlorinated material and bears an eco-label
- Smoking is prohibited inside lodgings, pavilions and collective premises



And more:

- We support local projects related to sustainable development and solidarity
- Our green spaces are maintained without pesticides and we use alternative methods to products to fight weeds and insects
- The chosen plants are locally adapted and the watering is rational
- We have partnerships with a local resource center or animal shelter and donate our old equipment/furniture/linens
- We are attentive to the preservation of biodiversity within our green spaces (wilding of part of the land, mulching mowing)
- Each year we commit to new criteria to perfect our environmental approach and ensure a tourism respectful of nature and future generations, do not hesitate to share your ideas!

Thank you for supporting us in our approach during your stay!

In order to concretize our commitment and to be part of a continuous improvement approach, we have obtained the Green Key label.



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