

## 5 Steps to be a Responsible Visitor

### Small Steps. . .Quick Successes

**Wherever we go and whatever we do, we have some impact and on the environment. By making positive choices during your visit, you can help to look after Cornwall and this special area ensuring that it retains its character for your next visit.**



### **1. Reduce, Reuse, Recycle**



In Cornwall we take our recycling very seriously, as we hope you do at home! Say no to packaging where possible. You will find recycling banks in most main car parks across the area. At Pollaughan we work hard to recycle all we can. Please help us by making use of the recycling system in your accommodation.



### **2. Reduce traffic: walk, cycle or use public transport**



Walking and cycling are great ways to see the area without adding to traffic. Use public transport if you need to travel to your start point, but try exploring near to where you are staying. We can point you in the direction of some great walks that start from Pollaughan - there are some fantastic places to see right on your doorstep!



### **3. Stay Local, Eat Local, Buy Local, See Local**



Support local producers and services - this way your visit has a real benefit to the communities of Cornwall. Visit Farmers Markets, farm shops, village stores, pubs and cafes. Much of our distinctive culture is evident in the hundreds of community events that happen throughout the year and are well worth supporting.



### **4. Demand more sustainable practices**



Ask your accommodation provider what steps they are taking to encourage responsible tourism. If you have an idea on how we might improve our practices at Pollaughan, then why not share it with us?



### **5. Follow the Countryside Code**



The Countryside Code reminds visitors to protect plants and animals; take litter away; leave gates and property as you find them; keep dogs under close control; consider other people and users when visiting the countryside.

Thank you!

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