

LOSELEY PARK WINS GREEN TOURISM BUSINESS SCHEME AWARD

Loseley Park has recently been awarded the Bronze Award in the Green Tourism Business Scheme, having achieved a distinct level on how to make its operation more sustainable, while still delivering a high quality service.

The Green Tourism Business Scheme scores each business on up to 60 measures and the results establish what award level they have achieved, that is “Going Green Bronze, Silver or Gold”.

The GTBS is the leading sustainable tourism certification scheme in the UK. Businesses opting to join are assessed by a qualified grading advisor against a rigorous set of criteria covering a range of different areas. Some of these criteria are:

- Compliance with environmental legislation and a commitment to continuous improvement in environmental performance.
- Demonstrating good environmental management including staff awareness, specialist training, monitoring and record keeping.
- Energy and water efficiency.
- Natural and cultural heritage including on site measures aimed at increasing biodiversity.
- Purchasing environmentally friendly goods and services, recycling, use and promotion of local food and drink, and use of FSC wood products.

Michael More-Molyneux, owner of Loseley Park, commented, “I am quite sure the future of this scheme will only grow in popularity as sustainability becomes more and more significant and important to us all. Whilst the award reflects that we are aware of the problems and are taking action, there is always more that can be done and it is important that all of us in the company are aware of what we have to do get to the next level.”

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