



## New Lanark Trust Environmental Policy



We at the New Lanark Trust and its two wholly owned subsidiaries New Lanark Trading Ltd and New Lanark Hotels Ltd are committed to providing a good quality service while also minimising the environmental impact of our activities. A symbol of this commitment is our aim to maintain a gold award in the Visit Scotland Green Tourism Business Scheme. This scheme recognises businesses that engage in sustainable practices and reduce the negative environmental impact of their activities in order to ensure continued enjoyment of the Scottish environment for future generations.

The New Lanark Trust, through the Green Tourism Business has committed to:

- Adhere to good environmental practice in all activities.
- Continue New Lanark's long history of producing and using on-site renewable energy in the form of hydro-electricity.
- Adopt energy-efficient practices in our day-to-day operations.
- Address the issue of care for the environment in staff training.
- Maintain COSHH\* records and ensure that neither our own employees nor any sub-contractors working on site misuse potentially harmful substances or dispose of them irresponsibly.
- Reduce the amount of waste produced, the reuse of consumables where possible and the recycling of materials where appropriate.
- Continuous reduction of polluting activities.
- Continue New Lanark's commitment to built heritage and the reuse of building materials where possible in the restoration of the historic site.
- Achieve sustainable environmental improvement by monitoring and reviewing our working practices.

\* Control of substances hazardous to health

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