



Edward Jenner Museum

The country home of a gentleman of science

Edward Jenner Museum - Sustainability Policy

The museum has taken positive steps to improve sustainability including:

- Introduction of compost bins in kitchen/compost heap in garden
- Re-cycling bins for paper and plastic (public and staff use)
- Reduced heating bill by 30% (currently under budget on energy costs 08/09)
- 'Buy local first' policy including catering arrangements
- We employ local tradesmen and women where possible
- We sell local ice-cream
- We sell locally-made chocolates/fudge
- We sell museum-grown grapes, seasonally used in our conference centre buffet lunches
- We encourage cycling and walking parties. We recently installed bicycle racks via Bristol-based Life Cycle; we are listed on Stroud District Council's cycling map. The museum is part of the **National Cycle Route 41**
- We encourage car-sharing

The museum works with the local business community, neighbouring Berkeley Castle and the local church to promote Berkeley more effectively.

The museum works closely with the Mayor of Berkeley and Town Council.

We are continually striving to improve sustainability. We welcome ideas to help us improve our sustainable initiatives.

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