

Our Biodiversity Actions

All businesses need to be thinking about biodiversity. Biodiversity is a fundamental component of long-term business survival. Businesses rely on genes, species, and ecosystem services as critical inputs into their production processes and depend on healthy ecosystems to treat and dissipate waste, maintain soil and water quality and help control the air composition.

We are located on a farm with nature and wildlife all around us which is why thinking about biodiversity is critical.

Here are some of the actions we are taking:

- We are developing more and more areas for rewilding – wildlife friendly areas around the farm.
- We have planted over 500 trees in the last year via the Woodland Trust.
- We have always used eco-friendly chemicals and have a ‘no-bleach’ policy due to our water treatment plant
- We try where possible to purchase products with a reputable certification such as FSC, Rainforest Alliance, Fairtrade.
- We have a commitment to reduce our carbon emissions - Our aim is to be net zero by 2027 through reducing our emissions and impact on biodiversity.
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- We monitor our water usage on a regular basis.
- We are committed to planting more flowers, plants, trees and creating ponds to encourage wildlife.
- We have installed two electric vehicle charging points in our carpark.
- The majority of our waste is recycled where possible and we have clear signage on all bins throughout the farm to encourage guests to recycle too.
- We are a member of Plastic Free Communities and a business champion – we do not use single use plastic within the business.
- We have built bee and insect hotels in areas around the farm.
- We are actively trying to do something for each of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals.
- We are the first independent events venue in the UK to achieve B Corp Certification which means we have undergone rigorous assessment and scrutiny of our business and farming practices.