



Lochgoil Land Use

Community Discussions

5 OCTOBER | 5 NOVEMBER | 24 NOVEMBER | 1 DECEMBER, 2022

- Explore ways that land can be used to help tackle climate change and encourage nature
- Identify sustainable land-based priorities and opportunities for local people
- Share your own experiences, thoughts and ideas
- Agree a community vision for land around Lochgoil

Four facilitated conversations run online and in the village hall

No experience or prior knowledge of rural issues is necessary, we are looking for the 'less heard voices' to come along and share their views.



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LEARNING PROGRAMME

Lochgoil has been selected as one of five rural communities across Scotland to undertake a learning programme focusing on land use.

The sessions will explore ways to help tackle climate change and encourage nature, identify sustainable land-based priorities & opportunities for local people, and give voice to the communities' needs and wishes through developing a shared vision for future land use.

The 'learning' is for everyone – participants, partners and Scottish Government. The overall purpose of the programme is to support and strengthen community inclusion in decision making about how local land is used.

SESSION DETAILS

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| Wed 5 Oct | 6.30-8.30pm, online |
| Sat 5 Nov | 10-12am, landowners session, Hall 1-3pm, community session, Hall |
| Thurs 24 Nov | 6.30-8.30pm, online |
| Thurs 1 Dec | 6.30-7.30pm, Village Hall* |

**Final session held with stakeholders, followed by Lochgoil Community Trust AGM*

WHY GET INVOLVED?

The Government is committed to addressing the twin climate and nature emergencies, and states that land use will be critical to meeting its ambitious targets for 2030 and 2045.

It is driving towards a step change that invests in the future and delivers public interest in land use. Key elements of this include economic recovery & renewal, Scotland's land use strategy, post-CAP rural support, planning reform and landscape-scale collaboration.

This is an opportunity for people living & working in the Lochgoil area to come together and discuss how the land around you could be used. It is also a chance to identify and secure local support for future land-based projects, and improve communications within your community and with surrounding land managers and public agencies.

PROGRAMME FUNDERS AND PARTNERS

This programme is funded by Scottish Government through the Scottish Rural Network. It is working with the pilot Regional Land Use Partnership in Loch Lomond and The Trossachs National Park.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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