

Oake Village Hall

Policy re Environment and Energy Efficiency

Oake Village Hall was built twelve years ago and incorporated energy saving features, for example wall and roof insulation and well fitting windows and doors to limit loss of heat and minimise draughts

Oake Village Hall aims to identify ways in which it can use less energy, cause less pollution and create less waste

We aim to encourage good use of the hall in these respects, with appropriate environment for users (e.g. comfortable heating for the Mini Day Centre for the elderly)

Hirers are reminded to turn off all appliances before leaving building. Committee members to check.

There are time controlled taps in the toilets to stop water waste.

There is an energy efficient dishwasher in the kitchen.

Heating controls are regularly regulated and hirers are asked to return to original setting if they change these.

The light fittings are low energy.

Sensors automatically turn off lights on exit.

We have no rubbish collections at the hall. Hirers are advised to take rubbish home but bins are provided to sort rubbish for recycling.

When the bar is run by the hall we recycle bottles and cans

The management committee is vigilant in respect of environment/energy efficiency and improvements when maintenance/repairs are carried out.

We have a professional survey in line with Charity Commission advice and adhere to its recommendations.

We undertake an Energy survey to help us to keep mindful where improvements can be made.