

# **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**



### **ENVIRONMENT IS OUR CALLING CARD!**

Camping la Quercia has been a leader in outdoor tourism on Garda Lake for more than 60 years. The location and the rich local vegetation, including the centuries-old oak tree at the entrance, have made our camping one of the most renowned lake resorts. We are aware that the environment we offer is our 'calling card' and we believe it is essential to protect and improve it in order to preserve the natural and cultural identity of the area in which we are located and to allow our guests and the community to enjoy it to the fullest. For these reasons the Camping La Quercia has adopted an environmental policy with which it intends to continuously improve its environmental performance and prevent pollution.

## **OUR COMMITMENT**

#### **GOALS**

- To reduce the consumption of water, electricity and gas
- To implement separate refuse collection to promote recycling
- To reduce atmospheric emissions
- To reduce the use of pollutant substances, and to promote the use of eco-friendly substances
- To outline improvements which take into consideration the needs of our guests and the local community (while respecting current laws and environmental protocol – Gardagreen, Ecocamping)
- To spread a culture of defending the environment to our guests and personnel
- To maintain our ISO 14001 and ECOCAMPING and GARDAGREEN certification

#### **OUR ACTIONS**

- Be part of the Gardagreen company network: efficient energy, sustainable mobility (electric bicycles an caddies), consumption monitoring
- Means of reducing water and energy consumption (timers, timed taps)
- Efficient, self-run system for recycling refuse collection and use of plastic-press machines.
- Reduction of plastic objects
- Fight food waste: not excessive supplies, doggy box, cooperation with a soup kitchen.
- Telematic communication to reduce the consumption of paper.
- Innovative technology for the reduction of atmospheric emissions (condensing boilers)
- Use of organic garden and lawn products, and probiotic cleaning products
- Use of biologic products for care of plants
- To constantly consider the risks/opportunities tied to the campsite's environment
- Research, leading to the creation of projects to constantly improve our environmental performance
- Monitoring and control of our system's efficiency

# YOUR HELP IS INVALUABLE, SO PLEASE ....

- Don't waste water it's precious
- Turn off the lights and air conditioner at night and/or when you go out
- Don't waste toilet paper
- Choose organic cleaning and laundry products
- Sort your refuse for recycling, and please don't leave bulky refuse behind when you leave
- Get about on foot; by electric bike; or by public transport
- Move inside the camping site on foot or by electric bike;
- Ask for Garda Green card and discover many ways to enjoy our county, culture and traditions with a "green" attitude.
- Let us know your ideas for our improvement

