

# WELCOME TO TULACH ARD

We hope that you had a good journey and that you can settle into the house. This booklet should answer all your questions however if you do need to contact anyone, please phone Stella on 07717734762 or email bookings@tulach-ard.com.

Tulach Ard was restored by Alastair and Donina Stewart, Stella's grandparents in the 1960s. They lived here until 2010 which is when the house was restored by the Stewart family to what you see today. Originally the house was the manse (minister's house) for the church at the top of the drive and dates back to the early 18th Century with the extension on the front built in 1910.

The Stewart family have enjoyed family holidays here for years and they would like to share the house with you today. You will see pieces of furniture and paintings throughout the house that are from the family. They have been paired with pieces from the family company ANTA.

The house is here to be enjoyed so please do so. If there are any breakages, please let Stella know before you leave. There are a few rules that should be adhered to during your stay otherwise - let your hair down and enjoy!





## INFORMATION

CONTACT Contact Stella Stewart on 07717734762 if you have any queries during your stay. In an emergency call 999. You are welcome to use the land line phone for any calls.

**WIFI** There is bad phone reception at the house and you will need to connect to the wifi when you arrive. There is no password and the router is called Tulach Ard House.

DOGS Dogs are very welcome at Tulach Ard. We ask though that when outside they are kept in sight. Please when outside the garden keep them on a lead, there are sheep grazing on the farm and wildlife surrounding the house - we cannot have them distressed. When in the house we ask that dogs are kept on the ground floor and not on any furniture. If you could clean up after them in the garden and put their mess in the bin at the top of the drive.

**LINEN** We provide all bed linen and bathroom towels for your stay. Please use the grey towels for outside not the white towels.

FIREWOOD We have supplied you with a load of firewood however, if you go through it don't worry, there is more. Just let us know and we will show you where to get it.

**TELEVISION** The telly is a smart TV and has Netflix, iPlayer and Amazon Prime apps on it as well as digital. Please sign into your own account when using these apps.

**RADIO** There is a speaker and radio in the living room. You can plug in an iPhone to the cable or play DAB radio.

BBQ The Big Green Egg is located around the side of the house. Please clean this after use.

GARDEN There is a kitchen garden with seasonal herbs, fruit and vegetables. You can purchase a veg box at any time during your stay.

**BELONGINGS** If you leave anything behind we are very happy to post back to you. We charge £10 postage for each item left. Just let us know and we will organise delivery.

**DEPARTURE** We ask that on departure all linen is stripped from the beds and placed in a neat pile in each room. We ask that bins are taken from each bathroom and bedroom and placed with the large black bins in the kitchen.





BINS We ask if all the bins could please be taken to the correct recycling or general refuse bin at the end of the drive. BLUE BIN is mixed recycling, GREEN BIN is general waste. There is a bottle bank in Balmacara and Kyle of Lochalsh, if bottles could please be taken there before departure.

Recycling

- Plastic pots, tubs, punnets and trays
- Plastic bottle lids
- Metal lids from jars and bottles
- Cardboard
- Food tins, pet food tins and drinks cans (rinsed)
- Paper
- Plastic bottles
- Aerosol cans (please put lids in separately)
- Cardboard based food and drink cartons
- NO GLASS

General

- Everything else can go in the general waste bin

CHECK IN & OUT Check in is from 4pm and check out is NO later than I lam.

**TERMS & CONDITIONS** Before arrival please familiarise yourself with our terms and conditions, there can be found on our website, www.tulach-ard.com/terms-conditions.

# **ACTIVITIES**

### **WALKS**

For all walks near by see Walk Highlands website www.walkhighlands.co.uk/kintail/

### WATER SPORTS

For water sports near by contact Skye Highland Adventures www.skyehighlandadventures.co.uk

#### **FISHING**

For fishing trips and boat charter for dolphin watching contact Spirit of Adventure www.the-spirit-of-adventure.co.uk

#### **SWIMMING**

There is great wild swimming straight in front of the house off the rocks otherwise the closest beach is Plockton coral beach www.walkhighlands.co.uk/maps/map1\_3kl.shtml

#### CULTURE

Eilean Donan Castle

Talisker Whisky Distillery

Dunvegan Castle

Gardens at Attadale

Gardens at Inverewe





#### **RESTAURANTS & PUBS**

- Glenelg Inn for lunch, dinner and drinks, live music on a Friday or Saturday evening
- Clachan Inn for dinner and drinks, live music on a Tuesday evening
- Plockton Inn for lunch, dinner and drinks, live music on a Thursday evening
- Eolach Glenelg for seasonal high end dinners
- Eolach Food Truck travelling food van
- Scorrybrec, Portree for seasonal high end dinners
- The Oyster Shed, Corbost Skye for lunch and deli
- Buth Bheag, for lunch

### **SHOPPING & GIFTS**

- ANTA Scotland Factory shop and Cafe, we can deliver your order to the house if done in advance www.anta.co.uk
- Eilean Donan Castle visitor centre

#### FISH

- Bally Phillip lands langoustine in Kyleakin, order via Stella
- James Cameron dives for Scallops on Skye, order via Stella
- Buth Bheag in Kyle has daily fresh catch available

#### **GROCERIES**

- Kyle of Lochalsh has a good butcher, fishmonger and supermarket
- Balmacara has a small Spar with all the essentials
- Manuela's Wee Bakery, Ardelve





