

Glachbeg Craft



Education Centre Black Isle

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An inspiring friendly
location for your meeting
or training event .



Tick the "right" boxes

1. Supports education/ community
2. An energy efficient option
3. Supports " Fair trade" products
4. Supports local food
5. Supports rural employment
6. Lots of natural light
7. Fresh air
8. Away from the hustle and bustle
9. Close to (but not in) Inverness
10. Free parking (we encourage car sharing)
11. Close to bus routes
12. The highest quality food
13. Personal attention
14. Accessible facilities

Our regular users tell us
that they experience
increased productivity and
higher attendance over
"traditional" venue's

Also workshops and music

**Please ask about our
corporate programmes**

The Venue

Glachbeg Croft Education centre provides a meeting, workshop and Conference venue for up to 40 people. The single space would also be suitable for music events for larger numbers. Your event will take place in a purpose built building constructed using principles of sustainability. What does this mean? The turf roof, and insulation provides a high level of energy retention, and the heavily insulated concrete slab below the floor acts as a reservoir for heat. coated window glass provides maximum levels of natural light. The timber is largely of Douglas fir harvested locally. In good weather the building opens up to the outdoors adjacent to a pond and overlooking the countryside to Munloch and beyond. The materials used in construction minimise use of solvents, and together with the “breathing wall” construction provides a climate conducive to getting the best

About the Centre:

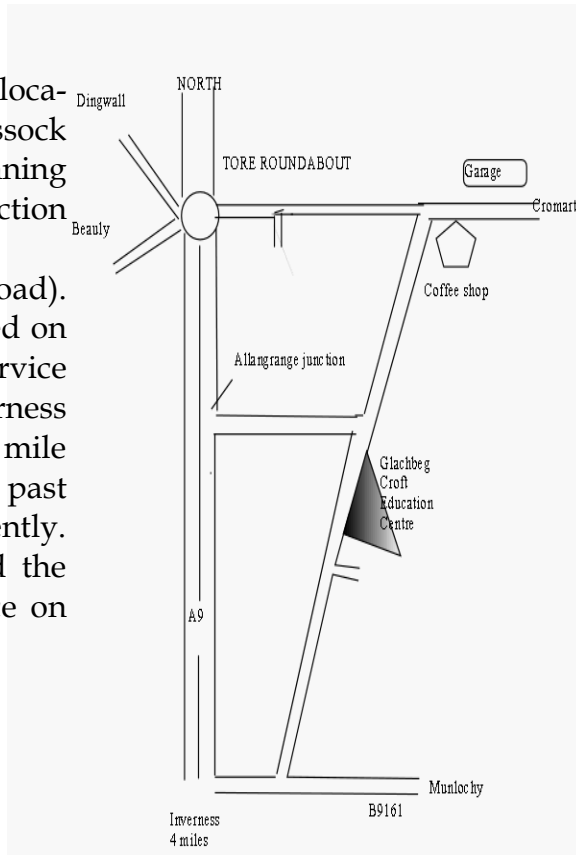
Glachbeg Croft is a small farm aiming to provide a variety of education and training opportunities with farming, the countryside and the environment as contexts for learning. Principles of sustainability extend beyond the construction of the building to the operation of the facility. Providing cheap access to schools is made possible by the income generated from other users. Glachbeg also provides opportunities for training for adults with special needs .Art and Craft workshops are also offered.

We ask all users to work in as sustainable way as possible in the Centre, i.e minimising waste and energy use.

Location

Glachbeg Croft is in a rural location 4 miles north of the Kessock Bridge on the minor road running between the Munloch junction on the A9 and the Tore roundabout (the old Ferry road). Some car parking is provided on site. The number 26 bus service from the Black Isle and Inverness stops approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ mile away. The number 22 runs past the entrance less frequently. Buses from Dingwall and the north are a similar distance on the A9.

The centre is situated on a national cycle route.



What we can offer you?

As a small family run centre we can offer flexibility to ensure your event is run in a way that suits you best. You can tell us how you want the room laid out, and what facilities you require. We can provide a full catering service if you wish, or provide a "self service" minimal catering service. Our catering is of the highest quality, prepared here. and uses fair trade products, and your food really is "home baking" Please see the back page on which we outline what is available and charges, but you can also talk to us if your requirements differ We would encourage you to view the facility prior to making your booking so that you are satisfied that it is suitable for your purposes.

Charges 2009

Day (9am - 5 pm)	£120
½ day (9am-12.30pm/ 1.00pm to 5.00pm)	£70 <i>VAT exempt</i>
Evening (7pm- 10pm)	£35

Up to **50 % discount** may be allowed for some voluntary organisations
All times approximate.

Art/ Craft Workshops run by you open to others. 33% of total participants fee.

All the above includes use of flip chart easel, Wireless Broadband, kettle, cups and spoons.

Other items: for example OHP, AV Projector, laptop, VCR / TV included where requested.

Flip chart- £5 each, Photocopying- colour and black and white Crockery etc. Please ask

PA system (for performance) £10 per session

Catering From £11 per person for standard menus, specials are also available. We use Fair trade and local products Please ask.

VAT is to be added to the prices above.

Also Rehearsal and performance space, and recording/ mixing/ mastering

Booking details

If you wish to book Glachbeg please contact us in the first instance with proposed dates. You can download a booking form from our website or we will send you one. Please note that bookings are accepted at our discretion. A non refundable deposit of 33% may be requested.

PLEASE NOTE. We have a NO WASTE POLICY. Which means we ask you to consider the things you bring, and if they cannot be recycled you must take them away with you.

