

## CENTRE FOR SUSTAINABLE LIVING – STAYING AT THE CSL



*Unlike a hotel, motel or bed and breakfast - the CSL has been established with educational and community projects in mind. It's part of a **not-for-profit** organisation, which means we rely on your help to keep the centre looking good and feeling great.*

The Centre for Sustainable Living regularly host workshops, fundraising events such as meal and movie nights, forums, retreats, conferences, study trips and expos. It's a lively, shared facility. Sometimes there are a number of events happening on the same day. While we aim to man our office during business hours, our staff work on a part-time basis so may not always be on site.

Sustainability is what it's all about. Small things make a big difference when you add them up, so we'd be grateful if you could help us live up to our name.

Here are a few examples:

- **Get in to the recycling groove!** Take the time to use the right recycling/compost bin.
- **Be energy smart!** Turn off the lights when you leave the room.
- **Water wise is wonderful!** Use a shower timer, turn off the tap when cleaning your teeth, and use half flush where appropriate.

We have a fantastic, hardworking caretaker who lives on site and takes care of cleaning, setting up rooms, maintenance and gardening. It's a big task so we often have an assistant caretaker at the centre as well.

We ask that you:

- Don't keep rubbish or food your dorm, take it to the kitchen or outside bins.
- Wash, clean and put away your dishes.

If we have supplied your linen:

- Linen is supplied per visit and will not normally be changed.
- Please keep your towel for up to three days. Air it between uses.
- Please sleep between the sheets, not on the bed cover.

Leaving the centre as you find it keeps our costs low as well as yours. If you leave us with excessive cleaning, laundering or breakages we'll have to charge you for our time and replacement costs.

**Internet:** If you use our wireless internet, please keep in mind that it's also used by Green Skills staff who work here. Downloading lots of data will limit our capacity and limit our ability to work effectively.

**Security:** You are responsible for the security of your belongings while at the centre. Ensuring dorm windows are securely closed before leaving the building and keeping valuables with you are steps you can take to boost your security. If you have items you would like secured in our office or a locked room please ask and we'll talk about the options.

**Parking:** Please use the High School car park at Albany end of the precinct. Parking is not permitted along the rear road, on the grassed areas or around the other buildings, it's a condition of our lease.