

Environmental Charter



baia bella

We're thrilled to have you at our family-owned, eco-friendly place.

We really value taking care of the environment, so we've put a purchasing policy in place to help cut down on waste and limit plastic use.

We're the first beach in France to achieve carbon neutrality (certified by ALLCOT).

We're doing everything we can to reduce the impact of our business on the environment, not just for us and you, but for future generations too.

We help our teams and customers stay informed.

Our teams incorporate eco-friendly practices into their daily routines.

We select our service providers and suppliers based on their commitments to sustainability and social responsibility.

We have a variety of beach and seabed cleanup activities, and we offset our carbon footprint through two projects that mean a lot to us: reforestation in the Amazon and waste treatment in Mexico.

WE CONSERVE WATER AND ENERGY:

We're dedicated to advancing renewable energy, like setting up solar panels for electricity or hot water.

- We've put in water savers and pressure reducers on the taps and showers to help conserve the resource.
- We check our water and electricity meters every month to keep track of our usage.
- We set up a rainwater harvesting system for the outdoor showers to irrigate the green areas and reduce the use of drinking water.
- We've upgraded over 75% of our lighting to LEDs or low energy options.
- We use LED lighting throughout, which helps save energy while keeping our customers comfortable.
- We've put in presence detectors and timers in the common areas and corridors to help cut down on energy waste.

WE CARE ABOUT OUR CUSTOMERS' WELL-BEING:

We get a lot of our products from local sources, like Malongo coffee, artisanal ice cream from Maison Neige Azur, regional spirits from Distillerie de Monaco, and craft beers from Foam and Fidèle.

Our restaurant menus feature organic and/or fair trade products, a significant portion of our wines is biodynamic, and we have a variety of organic drinks available.

Most of the cleaning products we use are eco-labeled.

WE MINIMIZE AND ORGANIZE WASTE:

We've established a few recycling spots.

We separate our waste into glass, cardboard, plastics, and then we get to sorting the organic stuff.

We've set up displays to help our customers sort their waste according to local regulations.

We don't provide any disposable plastic tableware at the restaurant, and we do offer takeaway for anything you don't finish here.

- **We use micro-filtered water to cut down on waste and our carbon footprint. This helps lower carbon emissions from transporting water during deliveries and prevents the waste of plastic or glass containers, which have a significant carbon footprint.**

WE'RE REALLY PROUD OF WHAT WE'VE ACCOMPLISHED:

ALLCOT achieved carbon neutrality certification in 2022.

The Green Key Label is the first global sustainable tourism certification for hotels and restaurants, established in 2023.

- the Qualité Tourisme brand, the sole state brand given to tourism professionals for the quality of their hospitality and services - since 2022.
- Ocean Friendly certification from the Surfrider Foundation, which advocates for ocean protection - since 2021

Thanks for backing our environmental efforts while you were here, through your job contract, or via our supplier partnerships.

Use only what you need, and don't waste anything.

- Make sure to tidy up your area, the seafront, and the nearby surroundings by removing all trash and plastic. Each day, pick up any litter you see that the wind might blow into the sea.
- Please don't toss your cigarettes on the ground since they take about 5 years to break down. There are ashtrays available for you to use.
- Be sure to turn off the water taps when you're done.
- Use cleaning products wisely and carefully, and stick to the dosage instructions.
- Just turn on the stoves and pizza oven when you really need to, so you can save on gas and energy.
- Make sure to recycle glass and cardboard in the right bins.
- Don't forget to set aside the glass bottles that can be returned.
- Just use straws in cocktails (one will do).
- Be mindful of waste related to food, packaging, water, and energy...
- Try not to use too much plastic; grab a reusable water bottle or one that has your name on it.
- Your travel makes up 30% of Baia Bella's carbon footprint, so please consider carpooling, cycling, and using public transport.

Join in on this initiative: Your little daily actions make a difference.

The Baia Bella team