



“Arran Geopark’s vision is that our landscape and heritage are conserved, enhanced, and valued for their contribution to people’s well-being and Arran’s sustainability”. [Arran Geopark Management Plan 2021-2026](#).

Why should I become a Geopark Supporter?

Becoming a Geopark Supporter is an opportunity to show your backing for the Geopark and our aim of gaining UNESCO status for the island. By signing up you will make a real difference by ensuring that the Geopark is seen and understood. Importantly, you will help to demonstrate that the wider island community supports our vision. You will also receive:

- A Geopark Supporter window sticker;
- Concise email updates and early notification of Geopark events;
- Your business listed on our website; and
- Your leaflets or other promotional material displayed at our Lochranza information centre.

Sign up now!

Supporters of Arran aspiring UNESCO Global Geopark (‘aUGGp’) must meet, or be working towards, the following criteria:

🔊 Raise awareness of Arran aUGGp

We will promote Arran aUGGp and familiarise key staff with the core objectives of the Geopark. We will display the Geopark Supporter sticker and other Geopark promotional material.

🔊 Conserve the island’s natural resources

We will support and contribute to the protection, enhancement, and restoration of the island including its natural heritage, cultural heritage, and landscape value. We will not sell minerals, fossils, or similar original geological materials.

🔊 Promote and use local produce

We will promote local culture, food, crafts, and arts. We will strive to buy goods and services from local and sustainable sources and in doing so increase the distinctiveness of our business whilst propagating positive environmental and economic impacts.

🔊 Develop knowledge and understanding

We will develop knowledge and increase understanding based on existing sources and new research of those special relationships and qualities (in the natural environment, culture, society, and economy) that make up our island.



👤 Contribute to the well-being of the island

We will contribute attitudes and actions which develop enjoyment of, and pleasure from, the landscape and natural environment; developing links between individuals and communities and their environment to improve health and wellbeing.

👤 Support the UN Sustainable Development Goals

We will collaborate with businesses, the wider community, and other organisations to support a healthy economy; while pursuing best practice in social, economic, and environmental sustainability.

I/We agree to meet the above criteria to become a Supporter of Arran aUGGp.

Organisation:

Name:

Position:

Signed:

Date: