

Owners Guide – *Minimising Electricity Usage*

All G lodges and T3, T4, T6 & T7

Some guidance to help you minimise your electricity usage and help the environment.

Heating & Towel Rails

- Set your **heaters** at a level that is comfortable for your party. All heaters are airflow or convectors that can be adjusted instantly and controllably.
- Recommended temperatures, 20-22C in living areas 16-19C in bedrooms.
- Switch heaters on at the wall and use the up and down arrow on the display on the side of the heater, or the slider, to set the required temperature. Some heaters have programmers but we recommend manual adjustment so you only use heat when you need it.
- When you are out, when rooms are unoccupied, and overnight, **switch off or turn down heating**. Rooms will quickly return to comfortable levels when needed.
- Switch Towel Rails on and off as you need them, rather than leaving them on constantly.

Retaining Heat

- Keep doors and windows closed to prevent heat from escaping.
- Close curtains to retain warmth during colder periods.

Appliance & Usage

- Avoid filling the kettle to the brim when you only need a little hot water.
- Fill the dishwasher & washing machine fully before running a cycle.
- Instead of using the tumble dryer, consider air-drying clothes. But not on the heaters please!

Lighting

Switch off lights that are not needed.

Hot Water

- The water tank heats automatically on cheaper night rate electricity between 11pm and 7am.
- From 7am to 11pm, use the hot water boost function sparingly.
- Opt for showers instead of baths as they generally use less hot water.

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All three bed T lodges

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Heating & Towel Rails

- Living area heating This area has underfloor heating which you can adjust with the wall thermostats. Lounge heating can be supplemented with the wall-mounted heater/fire which works instantly. During the day we recommend that you set the underfloor thermostat to 20c and use the lounge fire to supplement this as required. During the night you can choose to "setback" the underfloor temperature to 18c to save power.
- **Bedroom heating** Switch the convector heaters on at the wall and use the slider to adjust the temperature. We recommend that you switch heating off or reduce the temperature during the night and when bedrooms are not in use as they can be quickly brought up to temperature. Some heaters have programmers but we recommend manual adjustment so you only use power as you need it.
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Hot Water

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T11 lodge

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- Your lodge is heated throughout by underfloor heating. Each area has a wall-mounted thermostat so you can set different areas to suit your needs. For your comfort, you should aim to keep your lodge at relatively stable heating levels as temperatures adjust slowly with underfloor heating.
- Living area heating Lounge heating can be supplemented with the wall-mounted heater/fire which works instantly. During the day we recommend that you set the underfloor thermostat to 20c and use the lounge fire to supplement this as required. During the night you can choose to "setback" the underfloor temperature to 18c to save power.
- **Bedroom heating** We recommend setting your bedroom thermostats between 16 to 19c to suit your preferences.
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