**Community Group Application Form**

**Biodiversity Training for Community Groups in East Galway**

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Thank you for your interest in participating in the Biodiversity Training and Awareness Programme for Community Groups in East Galway. Please complete the application form below to provide us with your contact details and an overview of your groups experience/interest in biodiversity.

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| **Community Group Name** |  |
| **Address** |  |
| **Number of years in existence** |  |
| **First Contact Name** |  |
| **First Contact Number** |  |
| **First Email address** |  |
| **Second Contact Name** |  |
| **Second Contact Number** |  |
| **Second Email address** |  |
| **How many members are in your group?** |  |
| **How many will take part in the training course** |  |
| **Are you happy to work together with other groups in your area to complete a biodiversity plan?** | *Yes  No* |

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| **Main purpose or focus of group (e.g. Tidy Towns, hall committee, development association, etc.)** |
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| **How would you rate your group’s knowledge of wildlife and biodiversity? (e.g. poor, fair, good, very good)** |
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| **Has your group received any training in wildlife, biodiversity or related area (e.g. botany, bird-identification, horticulture, etc.).** |
| *Yes  No*  *Please provide some details;*  *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* |

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| **Has your group undertaken any biodiversity-related projects in recent years?** |
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| **If your group were to attend this training course, please indicate which of these days would be most suitable? Please circle the most suitable day.** |
| Weekday Evening Weekday Daytime Saturday Morning Saturday Afternoon |

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| **Does your group have a convenient venue (e.g. hall, meeting room) that could be made available to host one or more elements of the course? Venue must hold a minimum of 25 people.** |
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| **Does your area have a site of interest for wildlife that could be a venue for a field trip or site visit? If yes, please describe the site, including location and any specific designation (e.g. SAC, NHA, SPA, etc.).** |
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| **Would your group be willing to do the course online if required due to due Covid restrictions?**  **(*We are hopeful that this will not be the case)*** |
| *Yes  No* |

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| **Signed on behalf of Community Group** |  |
| **Position** |  |
| **Date** |  |

If your application is successful, your group will receive 10 hours of training that will enable you to learn more about the biodiversity and wider heritage of your area and develop a subsequent Biodiversity Action plan. You will also have the opportunity to participate in a range of tailored training workshops to help you implement the recommendations in the plan as well as ongoing advice and guidance during the training programme. We ask that you commit to a minimum number of hours over the duration of the course and that you work with the trainer, Burrenbeo Trust to successfully complete the programme.

Completed Application Forms to be returned to by email to [mary@burrenbeo.com](mailto:mary@burrenbeo.com) or by post marked “Biodiversity Training 2020) to Burrenbeo Trust, Glebe House, Glebe Road, Kinvara, Co. Galway.



   

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