



Irish Timber Growers Association

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in association with

The Society of Irish Foresters

Field day on Forest Recreation

Date: Friday, 2nd July 2010
Meeting Time: 10.30 am
Meeting Point: Ticknock Forest Car Park, Co. Dublin.

Directions: Ticknock Forest is located approx 3kms south west of Sandyford, Co. Dublin. From the city centre, head for Marlay Park via Rathfarnham. Passing the main entrance to the Park on your right, turn right at Ballinteer, St John's GGA Club and, following the road around the edge of the Park, turn left at the Taylor's Grange junction onto the R113. Take the second turn on the right and this will bring you to the entrance to Ticknock forest. For more directions see www.coillteoutdoors.ie Home Page. - Click on the map of Co. Dublin and then on Ticknock.

The day begins with an overview of Coillte's Forest Recreation policy and its recreation development strategy, with particular emphasis on managing recreation demands in forests close to large urban areas. Other topics which will be addressed during the course of the field day are the development of new recreation areas, dealing with anti social behaviour, reconciling recreation/public access and ongoing forest operations.

Leader: Bill Murphy, Coillte.

12.30 ***Lunch - Please bring a Picnic Lunch.***

16.00 ***Field Day Ends.***

The assistance and permission of Coillte in organising and hosting this field day is gratefully acknowledged