



Funding from Vattenfall's Ray Wind Farm enables local business to set up glamping business

Wild Northumberland Glamping installed three glamping pods on the family farm at High Chesterhope following £20,000 funding from Ray Wind Funds.

Now guests are able to take full advantage of the beautiful dark skies in Northumberland, the peace and tranquillity of the surrounding countryside in Ridsdale and the recently refurbished Gun Inn at Ridsdale, as well as other local hospitality businesses and tourism hot spots within the local area.

The pods have also created a part time employment opportunity, and increased revenue for other local businesses in addition to Wild Northumberland Glamping.

Will Robson from Wild Northumberland Glamping said:

"We were pretty much fully booked during the school holidays and are nearly full most weekends. The Gun at Ridsdale pub has found it has been great for them also with I'd say over half of people staying in the pods going to spend money there on food and drink."



Ray Wind Funds

Ray Wind Farm community fund supports local initiatives that will secure lasting public benefits in a cost-effective and sustainable way. Funding is not restricted to charitable activity and the aim is to be flexible in supporting projects relevant to the needs of the local community.

Find out more here: https://raywindfund.co.uk/the_funds/



Ray Wind Farm

Operating since 2017, Ray Wind Farm is a sixteen turbine, onshore project situated on the Ray Estate in Northumberland.

Find out more here: <https://group.vattenfall.com/uk/what-we-do/our-projects/ray-wind-farm>