

NATURE TRUST (MALTA) AND RAMBLERS ASSOCIATION OF MALTA
COAST AND COUNTRYSIDE FEEDBACK FORM

**PLEASE EMAIL THIS SHEET TO: ntsec@waldonet.net.mt or post to
Nature Trust, Attn. Conservation Committee, PO Box 9 Valletta CMR 01**

Note: The aim of this report sheet is to aid us in data collection on the local situation of our countryside – we will do our utmost to forward all reports to the relevant authorities but do keep in mind that enforcement is not our task and is ultimately in the hands of the authorities concerned.

1. Locality:

2. Date and Time: _____

3. Grid Reference or Precise indications (using landmarks, place names etc):

4. Nature of Activity (mark with an X)

Illegal dumping	Development in rural areas	Illegal hunting/trapping	Barred access	Others (specify)

5. Detailed description of activity:

6. Was activity reported to the authorities? If yes specify to whom and quote any reference/file numbers of said report.

7. Indicate whether Map or photo of site have been attached

8. Contact details: (preferably email and telephone number)

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**While on your walk please follow this simple Green Country Code...
for a more respectful approach to our countryside**

Adapted from Malta, Gozo & Comino: Off the Beaten Track - a Nature Trust publication 2002

1. Refrain from collecting or causing harm to any specimens of flora, fauna, geological items such as fossils and stalactites or archaeological artefacts.
2. Respect natural habitats, sensitive sites and the local inhabitants. Tread lightly and avoid disturbance.
3. Avoid causing noise and light pollution (especially in caves or at night)
4. Do not dispose of any waste in the countryside or sea
5. Do not light fires in vulnerable locations such as caves, beneath trees, on dry grass or garrigue areas
6. Keep to paths where possible – avoid trespassing on defined private property and cultivated fields.
7. Avoid trampling
8. Be informed beforehand of the protection status of any sites you will be passing through – some activities may be restricted in such areas or at least they may require extra attention upon visiting
9. Report any grass fires or emergencies on 112
- 10. Enjoy the countryside!**

Important telephone numbers:

- Emergencies, Fire, Police: 112
- Police: 2122 4001
- Administrative Law Enforcement MALTA: 2122 4001 or 21235761
- Administrative Law Enforcement GOZO: 21562040

Report illegal development to **MEPA**: 2123 1159

Emergency Service:

Malta: 9926 9926 **Gozo**: 9924 9924

MEPA Nature Protection: 7949 6320

MEPA Pollution Control: 9921 9991

If you encounter injured wildlife contact immediately **International Animal Rescue Malta** (Mr Max Farrugia mobile: 9947 1212)

If you encounter marine wildlife (injured/stranded/dead) contact **Nature Trust's Marine Rescue Team** on 9942 2085/6.

Report sightings of marine mammals, reptiles and sharks to Nature Trust on 9942 2085/6 or mlcg@waldonet.net.mt

For weekend emergencies i.c.w injured pet animals such as cats and dogs contact the **Vet Emergency Service** on 50043888

Be extremely cautious when handling injured animals!

Report archaeological findings to: Anthony Pace, Superintendent of Cultural Heritage, 138, Melita Street, Valletta. VLT 08. Tel. +356 21 230711; +356 21 251874; Fax. +356 21 251140 E-mail anthony.pace@gov.mt

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