

The Bee Pods, Co Donegal

There are only four pods on this site in Rossnowlagh, which is within a hefty stone's throw of the beach, but each one has been designed and built by the owners with a focus on both luxury and upcycling. The mini kitchens include an induction hob, microwave, fridge, Nespresso machine, kettle, toaster and all utensils. The en suite includes a power shower, heated towel rail, fancy toiletries, hairdryer, robes and towels. Pods can be with a double bed or two singles with a comfy mattress and crisp white linen. There are wood-burning stoves for the colder days and a patio with a pit fire, charcoal Kamado and gas barbecue at each pod, with all fuel and wood

provided. There is even an ice machine on site for your drinks, and the owners will bring you breakfast in the morning and a cheese board in the evening. From €350 for two people for two nights. thebeepods.com

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THE Bee Pods Rossnowlagh in Done-gal are the ultimate luxurious retreat

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Nestled amidst the stunning landscapes of Donegal's Wild Atlantic Way. The Bee Pods is an extraordinary destination that promises an unforgettable getaway for visitors seeking a harmonious blend of natural beauty, out-door activities, and sustainable travel.

Located in the captivating seaside resort of Rossnowlagh. The Bee Pods is an innovative eco-accommodation concept that celebrates the beautiful wilderness of Donegal while providing a cosy and immersive experience.

Each carefully designed pod offers a con-temporary and luxurious living space, that's in harmony with the natural surroundings, and boasts panoramic views of Rossnowlagh Beach and the Atlantic Ocean.

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ter sport enthusiasts from all over the world.

Whether it's riding the waves, paddleboarding, or relaxing on the beach, there's something for everyone.

Each pod comes with a picnic basket to help fuel your outdoor adventures.

For those seeking a taste of the rugged Irish wilderness, the Donegal mountains offer breath-taking hiking trails with panoramic views of the Atlantic Ocean.

Visitors can explore the vast network of trails, from leisurely strolls to challenging hikes, and immerse themselves in the untamed beauty of nature.

Donegal is also renowned for its rich cultural heritage, with traditional music, charming villages, and warm hospitality waiting to be discovered. raiting to be discovered.

Site

Owners Siobhan and William McGuckin first intro-duced bees to the site, and their love of foraging on gorse and wildflowers resulted in the production of exceptional honey. Inspired by a need to recreate a deep

connection to the natural world, the couple transformed their dream into reality by opening The Bee Pods

All pods have been designed and built with a focus on taking only what they need and min imising the disruption to the environment. Each pod is thoughtfully curated to provia luxurious and comfortable stay, while alloing guests to connect with nature and disconect from the stresses of daily life. "The Bee Pods Rossnowlagh is an adults-unique tourism destination," owner Siol McGuckin said.

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"Our pod cabins offer the perfect e from the hustle and bustle of everyday lowing you to unwind, disconnect and

in a tranquil natural setting.
You can book your stay and experies
beauty of Rossnowlagh for yourself.

Rates start from €169 per pod p (pods sleep two people max) and two-night minimum stay. The seav costs €35pp.



ou need to escape, don't you? I have the perfect spot: remote yet not; sea in your sights; mountains at your back; tranquil but with great wifi; a place where luxury and wilderness meet.

Located in the seaside resort of
Rossnowlagh with panoramic views
of the sandy surf beach that meets the
Atlantic Ocean to the front and, the
rugged wilderness of the majestic Donegal
mountains to the back, sits The Bee Pods, an
innovative eco-accommodation concept.

But, don't be fooled by the 'eco-concept', because while there's charm to these pods, they are far from rustic; their finish lends

and William McGuckin – as a retirement project. Firstly came the bees who produced exceptional honey because of the gorse and wildflowers they pollinated on. Inspired then by a need to recreate a deep connection to the natural world and share it with others, the couple began to transform their dream into reality by slowing building this evolving luxurious retreat where the natural habitat is respected, and the beauty of the location is

preserved.
All pods have been designed and built by William and Siobhan, with a focus on taking only what they need and minimising the disruption to the natural environment. The pods are compact but they have everything: wood burning stove with firewood, fridge,





hob, De'Longhi toaster, Nespresso coffee maker, arrival pack of gorgeous homemade goodies, boardgames, bbq – they have it all. They even have a polytunnel where you can pull your own veg for dinner (we took onions and lettuce for our burgers bought in a butchers in Donegal town, 10 minutes drive away). They also have Voya seaweed baths with a view out over the Atlantic. They have a little trechouse too, also with a view out over the ocean. And they have a swing, housed in a little pod, which would be the perfect spot for wild ocean watching on the stormiest of winter days.

From hill-walking to cycling, to surfing, the Bee Pods' location offers a multitude of exciting outdoor activities for adventure enthusiasts. And each pod comes with a picnic basket to help fuel your outdoor adventures. Dessert is served each night (we had the fluffiest of strawberry Pavlovas) and breakfast is delivered in the morning in a special box (homemade granola, smoothies, bircher muesli, quiche tart). Truly, it's a little slice of heaven.

Rates start from €169 per pod, per night, (pods sleep two people max) and there's a two-night minimum stay. The seaweed bath costs €35pp. Thebeepods.com or call Siobhan on +353 (0)87 340 0666 to book.

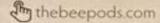






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Rossnowlagh, Co. Donegal



Overlooking Rossnowlagh Beach and Donegal Bay, The Bee Pods offer a romantic glamping experience for those wishing to get away from it all. On arrival visitors are greeted with a famous Bee Pod welcome basket, which includes freshly homemade granola, wheaten bread, jam and honey from the resident bees. Each pod comes with a double bed, kitchenette, en-suite shower room and cosy seating area with a luxury stove for a tranquil stay. Guests also have private access to a patio with table, chairs and a fire — perfect for al fresco dining and enjoying the panoramic the Atlantic Ocean. For a little extra R&R the on-state path boasts two traditional seaweed baths for the pura and unwind during your visit. The treatment utilize power of organic hand-harvested seaweed to deer your your skin, increase circulation and promote healing to leave your

feeling fresh and rejuvenated.

Prices start from €169 per night for two people (Minimum two night stay.)



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