

AGENDA

The AGM of the WLDMG – Glenfinnan Lodge, Glenfinnan Estate

Friday 7th December 2018 10.30am

1. Apologies and Introductions
2. Election of office bearers.
3. Wildlife Crime, Poaching, road traffic accidents - report from Scottish Police Authority
4. Minutes of the last AGM and any Matters Arising.
5. Members Reports.
 - i) 2018 Culls (Please bring returns or email figures in advance)
 - ii) Condition Report etc
 - iii) Proposed Hind and Stag Cull for 2018/19
6. Count Helicopter count 2018 and plans for 2019
7. Venison Markets
8. ADMG - Report and Discussion
9. Delivery of Public Interest Objectives in DMP
 - Population modelling to manage deer populations. Setting targets
 - Delivery of Designated Features into Favourable Condition
 - Management of Deer for Retention & Expansion of Native Woodland
 - Woodland Expansion by new planting
 - Monitoring & Managing Deer Impacts in the Wider Countryside:eg via Habitat monitoring
 - Carbon impacts via Peatland management schemes
 - Management of Non-native Invasive Species
 - Feral Pigs

West Lochaber Deer Management Group

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- Protection of Historic and Cultural Features
- Delivering High Standards of Competence in Deer Management
- Contributing to Public Health and Well Being

RTA avoidance, awareness & reporting

Lyme Disease

- Maximising the Economic Benefits of Deer Management
- Minimising the Economic Cost of Deer
- Effective Communication on Deer Management Issues
- Safeguarding Deer Welfare

Chronic Wasting Disease

10.SNH - Report

11.Deer Management Plan—review and update on progress in achieving Public Interest Targets & Action Points.

12.Administrative matters

13.Any other business

14.Date of next meeting