



The fate of Newborough Forest

The Countryside Council for Wales and Forestry Commission want to clear-fell several hundred hectares of Newborough forest on Anglesey. This is your chance to tell us what you think...

How much of the 750 hectare forest should be removed?

Answers	Votes	Percent	Total Votes: 46
1. None, leave it all alone!	31	67%	
2. Cut 50 hectares	1	2%	
3. Cut 100 hectares	1	2%	
4. Cut 200 hectares	3	7%	
5. Cut 300 hectares	4	9%	
6. Cut 400 hectares	0	0%	
7. Cut 500 hectares	4	9%	
8. Cut 600 hectares	0	0%	
9. Cut down it all	2	4%	

How much do you trust the Countryside for Wales?

Answers	Votes	Percent	Total Votes: 51
1. I don't!	23	45%	
2. A little bit	2	4%	
3. As much as I trust any government organisation	11	22%	
4. I trust them	11	22%	
5. They are angels	4	8%	

What is the most important thing about Newborough forest and the adjacent sand dune area?

Answers	Votes	Percent	Total Votes: 49
1. The red squirrels (forest)	14	29%	
2. The large Raven roost (forest)	2	4%	
3. All the woodland creatures (forest)	7	14%	
4. All the sand dune creatures (dunes)	0	0%	
5. The rich assemblages of flowering plants (dunes)	6	12%	
6. The dunes (dunes)	7	14%	
7. The forest (forest)	2	4%	
8. The skylarks and pipits (dunes)	0	0%	
9. Everything about the dunes and forest	11	22%	

Which of these organisations and groups do you relate to the most?

Answers	Votes	Percent	Total Votes: 51
1. Newborough Forest Preservation Group	10	20%	
2. Friends of the Anglesey Red Squirrels	13	25%	
3. Friends of the Earth	2	4%	
4. North Wales Wildlife Trust	14	27%	
5. Countryside Council for Wales	6	12%	
6. Forestry Commission (Wales)	1	2%	
7. Anglesey County Council	0	0%	
8. Other	5	10%	

What are your biggest concerns about the plans to remove the trees?

Answers	Votes	Percent	Total Votes: 45
1. Not enough trees will be cut	2	4%	
2. The plans are fine, I am not concerned	13	29%	
3. Some trees should be cut, but the plan would take away too many	4	9%	
4. No trees should be cut and the forest should stay the same size	26	58%	

Finally, where do you live?

Answers	Votes	Percent	Total Votes: 50
1. Newborough village	6	12%	
2. Anglesey	23	46%	
3. Gwynedd	7	14%	
4. Elsewhere in Wales	3	6%	
5. Elsewhere in Great Britain	11	22%	
6. Europe	0	0%	
7. Another part of the World	0	0%	