

# National Rural Network - Newsletter & Website Survey

## 1. Newsletter

Tipperary Institute delivers the National Rural Network on behalf of the Government of Ireland. The NRN Newsletter and website are the two principal tools used by the network for communicating with the general public. The Institute wishes to review the opinions of users regarding the quality of both and would be grateful if you would take just about 5 minutes to complete the following short questionnaire. Information is completely anonymous and confidential and will not be used for any purpose other than the improvement of the newsletter and website. We hope you will take the time to complete the questionnaire and thank you in anticipation.

### 1. Where do you live?

- Republic of Ireland       Rest of Europe       Elsewhere

### 2. Are you actively engaged in: (Please tick all that apply)

- Agriculture  
 Rural Development

### 3. Have you read at least one edition of the NRN Newsletter?

If 'Yes' please go to question '4'

If 'No' please go to question '9'

- Yes  
 No

### 4. How many editions of the newsletter have you read?

### 5. In what form have you read the newsletter?

- Printed copy  
 Online edition  
 Both

### 6. How would you rate the newsletter with regard to each of the following –

	Best 1	2	3	4	5 Worst
Interesting articles	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Useful articles	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Helpful Information	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Potential contacts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ideas for projects	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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**7. Please list any topics that you would like to see included in future newsletters.**

**8. Please list any additional types of content that you would like to see included in future newsletters**

**9. Do you visit the website at [www.nrn.ie](http://www.nrn.ie)?**

**If 'Yes' please go to question '10'**

**If no, thank you very much; you have completed the questionnaire. Results of the survey will be included in a future newsletter and will be published on the website.**

Yes

No

## 2. Website

### 10. How often do you visit the website? (Please select one reply)

- At least once a day
- Less than once a day but at least once a week
- Less than once a week but at least once a month
- Regularly but less than once a month
- Very occasionally

### 11. For what purpose(s) do you visit the website?(Please tick all that apply)

- To keep abreast of rural development news and issues
- To access specific policies and programmes
- To identify contact details for LEADER/Local Development Companies
- To identify contact details for others in the agriculture/rural development area
- To get information on rural activities and projects in Ireland
- To get information on projects and rural activities in other countries

Other (please specify)

### 12. Are you signed up to any of these website communication services? (Please select all that apply)

- RSS feed
- Twitter
- Facebook

### 13. How do you access the site? (Please select all that apply)

- Directly by typing in www.nrn.ie
- From a bookmark in your browser
- Through a search engine such as Google
- Through a link on another website
- On a Mobile device (Smart Phone)

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## 14. How would you rate the website with regard to each of the following –

	Best 1	2	3	4	5 Worst
Clarity of Layout	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ease of finding the information I want	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Extent of the information	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of the information	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Regularity of updates	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Download speed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## 15. Please indicate any ways in which you think the website might be improved.

## 3. Thank You

Thank you very much; you have completed the questionnaire. Results of the survey will be included in a future newsletter and will be published on the website.