Wareham & Isle of Purbeck Scout District

Bowling Green Wood District Camp Site

Rules

1) All Activities on the site must be in accordance with the appropriate Scout or Guide regulations.

2) Do not use the site without prior booking.

3) Campers arriving for a weeks' camp should not expect to occupy the site before noon and should be prepared to vacate the site by 1130hrs on the day of departure. For weekend camps the site is normally available from Friday afternoon and should be vacated by 1600hrs on Sunday.

NO GROUPS ARE PERMITTED TO ARRIVE AFTER 1930hrs DURING THE AUTUMN, SPRING AND WINTER MONTHS AND 2000hrs DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS

4) Keep within bounds. You may go into the woods, but NOT north of the path that runs from the Lodge Gatehouse, along the north side of the field and through the western end of the wood, nor into the Forestry Commission ground that is wired off.

5) Lulworth Castle is strictly OUT OF BOUNDS.

6) Dogs are only allowed on site after permission is obtained from the Warden, even then they must be kept on a close lead at all times.

7) DO NOT CUT ANY GROWING WOOD. Dead wood may be collected, but axes and saws (including chainsaws) are NOT permitted be taken into the woods.

8) ALL OPEN FIRES INCLUDING ALTER FIRES MUST BE IN THE CAMPFIRE CIRCLE. AND ALL ASHES AND DEBRIS MUST BE REMOVED FROM SITE AT THE END OF CAMP.

9) Ensure that the toilet block is kept clean and the W.C.'s are well flushed with water. Toilet block to be left in a clean condition, including washing the floor, and the toilet rolls replenished.

10) Do not allow water to run to waste at the standpipe.

11) Cooking utensils, plates, cups etc should not be washed at the standpipe.

12) Either INCINERATE or REMOVE all rubbish. Do not bury it or leave it behind when you leave. There is no collection service. Wareham household waste and recycling centre is approx. 7 miles from the site.

13) Do not dig holes, unless prior permission has been given.

14) Return all borrowed equipment to its correct place after use.

15) Report all damage to the site and huts or damage to, or loss of equipment as soon as possible.

16) Do not leave any foreign objects on the field as these can cause damage to the grass cutting equipment.

17) Do complete an adequate Risk Assessment prior to the event start, noting that the wooded area is not surveyed for tree safety. Strong winds are prone to affect the site and there can be a risk of trees/branches falling. It is your responsibility as the campsite user to monitor the winds and mark the woods as "Out of Bounds" if you feel the likelihood of trees/branches falling increases.

PLEASE DO NOT PARK ON THE VERGES OF THE FARM TRACK OPPOSITE THE GATEHOUSE, AS IT IS IN CONSTANT USE BY TRACTORS AND LARGE FARM MACHINERY/EQUIPMENT.

PLEASE NOTE, GUNS, ARCHERY AND LOUD MUSIC ARE NOT ALLOWED ON SITE, WITHOUT PRIOR PERMISSION FROM THE LULWORTH ESTATE.

PLEASE DO NOT USE THE ARCHERY TARGET EQUIPMENT LOCATED IN THE STOREROOM, AS IT BELONGS TO THE LULWORTH ESTATE.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All of the huts are wired for use of a generator, as there is no mains electricity on site, but the generator must not be used after 2300hrs.

If you choose to use the BGW generator, you are responsible for checking the oil level daily, and replenishing both and unleaded petrol as required. (using Motor oil 10w30)

The District (Wareham & Isle of Purbeck) can accept no responsibility for any damage that may occur to generators used on site.

TOP HUT

For Leaders /activities / emergency sleeping/equipment storage etc.

MIDDLE HUT

This hut (12m x 6 m) which is fully insulated, consists of a kitchen with 2 cookers, fridge, sink and worktops with open storage underneath, and a dining area with stacking tables, folding benches and stacking chairs. Please do not take any of the tables, benches or chairs outside onto the field.

There is a wood burning stove with the emphasis on wood. We have been advised that if solid fuel is used in this stove it will result in the chimney being coated with tar, which is a fire hazard.

BOTTOM HUT

This hut is divided into a toilet block (6m x 6m) with four flush toilet cubicles each with a wash hand basin, and a District store (5m x 6m).

TOILET BLOCK

There is also a small toilet block, giving a further two toilets each with a wash hand basin. There is also a "basic" urinal attached.

There are 2 flagpoles with rope and pulley attached; all you need are your own flags.

There is a campfire circle with some bench seating. If you need more seating please use the metal and wooden chairs in the top hut.

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