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### **Girlguiding Hampshire East County**

# LEADER NEWSLETTER

March 2024



#### **Message from Victoria**

Thank you to all who attended our Thank You & Awards Afternoon Tea and congratulations to all our award recipients. Details of our next event will follow in the coming months.

Victoria Ling-White County Commissioner

#### **Annual Subscriptions Reminder**

**Thursday 14th March:** Girlguiding will send a reminder email to the main contact of any level that hasn't yet paid their official invoice.

Thursday 28th March, midday: All subscription payments must be received in full by this date.

How to pay your unit/level invoice:

- Log into GO
- Click on the 'Subscriptions' button
- Once logged in, select your level's name (if you have more than 1 role)
- Click on 'Live Invoices'
- Select either cheque payment or card payment and follow the instructions provided

#### **Rainbow Leaders**

Rainbow roadshow reminder (information already provided to Rainbow Leaders)

We have large Rainbow waiting lists and we are looking to put on some Rainbow roadshows, where girls on the waiting lists can attend a drop-in session to get started while they are waiting for a place. There may be the opportunity to recruit volunteers at the same time. To be involved in the planning and running of the events, please join us on 12th March via Zoom. Email <a href="mailto:hantseastmgr@outlook.com">hantseastmgr@outlook.com</a> if you are missing the link.

#### **Brownie Leaders**

Guides, an intro for Brownies (9+)

The MGR team are looking to put on an event for Brownies 9+ as an intro to Guides this summer. Details for Brownie Leaders to follow.

**Guides & Ranger Leaders** 



# Information

#### Location

Sandy Acres Campsite Sandy Lane, Shedfield, NR Wickham SO32 2LR sandy-acres.org.uk

#### Cost

Site fees to be added to your budget £7pp pn. Payable in advance tbc

#### Dates

You can camp for two or three nights over the weekend from 5pm on friday 24th May

## What is a permit

Guides and Rangers have the exciting opportunity to work towards the Guide camp permit. This permit will give you a taster of the skills and knowledge to lead your friends on camping trips. The permit will boost your camping experience and leadership skills.

The permit enables you to take between four to eight Girls (including yourself) away for a camping experience for two nights or more.

The permit is made up of seven challenges, which you can complete individually or in sets. Each challenge covers a different area of how to plan and run a camping trip.

Register for the event by filling in the form on Girlguiding Hampshire East website in the members area under residentials. and email to hantseastympermitt@outlook.com

Leaders can mentor their girls through the camp/lead away permit book online from the GirlGuiding website ready for the assessment weekend, Leaders DO NOT need to attend the weekend, We have leaders on site at all times

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#### **Leaders General Info**

UMA/Skills Builders now available to download.

GO and Learning Platform sign on is changing from 9th April. Guidance link: <a href="mailto:lmproving">lmproving the way you log in to GO and the Learning Platform | Girlguiding</a>



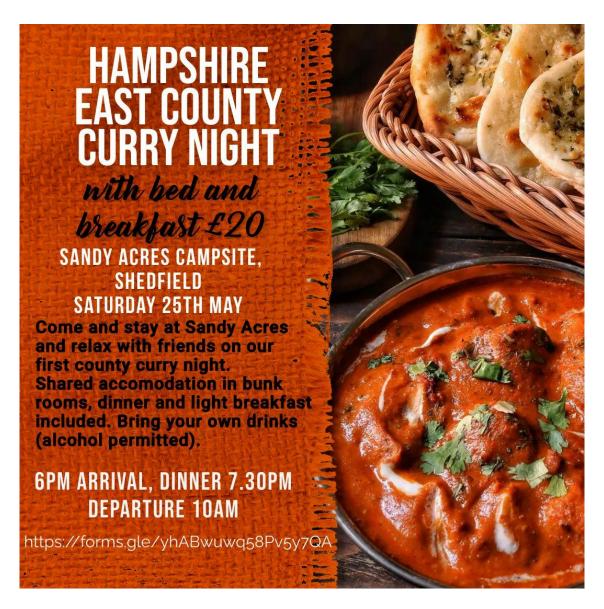
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CHALLANGE, INTERESTED IN
TAKING RAINBOWS,
BROWNIES, GUIDES, RANGERS
AND YOUNG LEADERS AWAY?

INFORMAL GOING AWAY
LICENCE ADVISORY SUPPORT
SESSION

TO INCLUDE, THEMES, FIRE COOKING AND CATERING,
ITINERARY PLANNING, WIDE GAMES, MYTH BUSTING AND
TENT CARE.

£5 per person, booking essential, at hantseastympermit@outlook.com

HANTS EAST OUTDOOR ADVISOR WILL BE ABLE TO EXPLAIN THE LICENCE PROCESS AND ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS.



June 8th Portsmouth North & South Sandy Acres 50th Birthday celebration - the Team are looking for any adults who would be willing to help out running activities or other duties on the day. Please contact <a href="mailto:portsmouthnorthdiv@gmail.com">portsmouthnorthdiv@gmail.com</a> for more details.

#### **County Team Update**

Steph Squire has been appointed Adult Residential Adviser. Anyone with a question or wanting to complete their Going Away with Licence, please contact Steph via <a href="mailto:hantseastoaa@outlook.com">hantseastoaa@outlook.com</a>

#### 1st Response Training

County are holding a full day 1st Response training on Saturday 13th April 2024 at Petersfield Guide HQ, 9.30am to 4pm. If you wish to book onto this training, click on the button below to download and complete the booking form and return to <a href="mailto:hantseastadm@outlook.com">hantseastadm@outlook.com</a>

### 1st Response Booking Form



#### **Looking for Old Style Jumper**

Does anyone have an old style jumper similar to that in the picture in a size 10? Sally Beeney is trying to find one for one of the leaders in Havant division. If you do have one and are happy to pass it on, please contact Sally Beeney, email <a href="mailto:sallybeeney@ntlworld.com">sallybeeney@ntlworld.com</a>

#### Friends of Sandy Acres Campsite, Shedfield

If you would like to keep in touch with our campsite, please consider joining our supporters group. The annual fee is £5, due each January, and you will receive regular updates giving information about works being carried out, events, future plans, bookings etc.

Please call Pam Ingram on 07811 656589 if you would like an application form.





#### **Long Service Awards**

Congratulations to the following Leaders and Unit Helpers on gaining their long service awards:

#### SW Region - 1 Year Award

Aimee Macleod - Petersfield Caroline Sansom - Fareham Clare Green - Portsmouth North Hayley Russell - Meon Vally Jasmine Lissaris - Portsmouth South Natalie Shaw - Gosport South

#### SW Region - 3 Year Award

Bernadette Fisher - Gosport South Faye Warner - Gosport South Joanne Sharman - Meon Valley

#### 5 Year Service Award

Angela Cooke - Gosport North Emma Morris - Gosport North Gemma Lewis - Portsmouth North Lucy Galbraith-Olive - Portsmouth South

#### 10 Year Service Award

Angela Bryant - Portsmouth North Becca Dollery - Hayling Island Brittany Moore - Meon Valley Millie Collier - Gosport South Shelley Adams - Fareham Tessa James - Gosport South Zoe Van Steen - Portsmouth South

#### SW Region - 15 Year Award

Heather Inguanez - Portsmouth South Moya Mitchell - Horndean

#### SW Region - 25 Year Award

Golly Woodward - Portsmouth North

#### 30 Year Service Award

Tina Hawkins - Horndean

#### SW Region - 35 Year Award

Christine Smalley - Petersfield



# Dates for your Diary 2024

13 April - 1st Response full day



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