

## 1st Denmead Scouts



# **Headquarters & Camp Booking**

Information Booklet



### **HQ Address**

Kidmore Lane Denmead Hampshire PO7 6JU

OS Map Reference: SU 61/71 658123

#### **Useful Information**

Milkandmore.co.uk will deliver
Co-Op, Denmead - 02392 251507
Fish&Chips, Denmead - 02392 255923
Gen. Store, Denmead - 02392 255920
Sainsburys/Asda - 3miles
Local Bus Service - www.firstgroup.com
Doctors, Denmead - 02392 239630
Hospital A&E, Cosham - 02392 379451
Police, Waterlooville - 02392 321111
Local Swimming Pool - 02392 231010

**NB:** A&E is 7miles away in Cosham

#### **About Denmead**

Denmead is a large village surrounded by rolling fields and woodland, nestling in the lee of Portsdown Hill, only 5 miles north of the City of Portsmouth and 2.5 miles east of Waterlooville.

The village centre, which is only 300 meters from the HQ, has a variety of shops including; Co-op (open till late), bakery, chip shop, chemist, a well-stocked hardware shop, a Church and health centre.

Approx.. 0.5 mile away is a large playing field with tennis courts, a children's play area and skate park. Creech Woods with 15+ acres of woodland, great for walking, wide games and orienteering is only 0.9 mile away. There are also footpaths to the north of the HQ through the countryside providing some lovely walks.

All in all a great location for your Group to visit with plenty to do!

#### The Headquarters & Facilities

- The Headquarters is a large building with a main hall approx. 15 x 10m
- It contains an additional room (The Den) approx. 9 x 4m that can be used for sleeping
- A large kitchen just off the main hall is fully fitted with;
  - large electric range cooker (6 hotplates)
  - extractor fan
  - plumbed in hot water urn
  - 2 large stainless steel sinks with hot water
  - large fridge and freezer
  - selection of catering size pots, pans, utensils, crockery and cutlery for at least 50 people
- In the main store are tables, chairs and benches available for use
- The building is electrically heated with air conditioning and heating in the main hall, along with a complete fire alarm system
- Large car park
- The Headquarters is situated in a 4 acre field owned by the local Parish Council, which can be used for games etc. **NB**: this is a public field
- Important: use of the field for camping must be booked with the Parish Council with a separate cost. We will do this on your behalf.
- FYI the charge for hiring the field in 2017 was £41 per day.





#### The Rules

- All vehicles must be parked in the car park
- All campers are requested to keep noise levels to a minimum between 10:30pm and 7:00am to respect neighbouring houses
- If the field is booked for use, only Alter fires can be used behind the Scout Hut in the designated area.
   <u>Under no circumstances</u> are fires allowed on the field or in the car park(s)
- Premises must be left clean and tidy at the end of the hiring period
- All rubbish must be flattened and placed in a wheelie bin. Please put bin out on Monday evening
- All damage caused by hiring group must be reported immediately
- 1st Denmead Scout Group cannot accept liability in the case of personal injury to visitors or campers, or the loss and/or damage to their property no matter the cause

#### **Prices**

| Overnight use of Headquarters | £35 + £1 per person - per night   |
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| Or weekly hire                | £250 total (No per person charge) |
| Daily hire of Headquarters    | £35 per day                       |

#### **Booking Deposit**

| 3 nights / days or less | £15 |
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| Over 3 nights / days    | £35 |

Refundable security deposit £50 (paid in advance)

#### **Booking Enquiries/Details**

All bookings and enquiries should be made via the <u>online booking form</u> found on the website which will be sent to the <u>Booking Secretary</u> who will process your enquiry.

General enquiries can be made via: <a href="mailto:bookings@denmeadscouts.com">bookings@denmeadscouts.com</a>

Once a confirmation email has been received, please complete the attached booking form(s) and return as per instructed. Included in this information will be the necessary payment details but please note:

- The security deposit will be required at time of confirmed booking
- The security deposit will be returned in full if the premises are left in a clean and tidy state with no damage
- All booking deposits are non-refundable
- Full payment is due 1 week prior to arrival date

