



Wintercamp2026

06-08 March

Henderson Building, Fordell Firs



This is our winter weekend for Scouts and Explorers. This year, we've added lots to the programme to make a packed, great value weekend of activities (mostly outdoors) aimed at this age group and providing an exciting adventure weekend - for scouting skills, fun and challenge.

The weekend will run from **7.30pm** on Friday 06th to around **1.30pm** on Sunday 08th, based in the **Henderson Building**. We're planning for people to be sleeping indoors, **but if anyone wants a night outside in a tent for a Zodiac night**, we can arrange that too - just say!

What's activities do we have?

In age-based groups, youngsters will take part in 11 sessions through the weekend - some from Fordell and some organised by us:

- 3 x **site activities** (out of 9 sessions)
3G Swing x 2 | Zip Line x 2 | Archery x 2
Caving | Challenge Course | Climbing Tower
- 1 x **silent disco** x one session for all
- 1 x **movie**
- 1 x **wide game**
- 1 x **quiet games** session
- 1 x **creative session**
- 1 x **firelighting & cooking** session
- 1 x **gaming session**
- 1 x **site help** session - work around Fordell

Booking and paying for a place

The weekend will cost **£75**, all in. Siblings **£135** for two. To book, you need to email us at:

linburn.scouts@yahoo.co.uk

Rooms will be allocated male, female, Scouts and Explorers. We have around 32 beds available in six rooms (in 4s and 8s) and can offer day visits should bed spaces become an issue. Plus Zodiac options!

We'll confirm a place - then send you a link for the online Consent-Health Form and make the deposit payment to us, if not already in accounts.

We're looking for:

- a **£20 non-returnable deposit** per person to hold a place
- Full amount no later than **Monday, 02 March**

You should pay the camp fee by bank transfer.

Our bank details are:

Our Activity Bank account with RBS Dunfermline Branch:

- **Sort Code:** 83-33-00
- **Account Number:** 11075356
- **Name:** 114th Fife Scouts Activity Bank
- **Quote:** young person's name and activity bank number as your reference

InTouch

In the details form, you should provide us with family **and** trusted alternative contact numbers for your youngster.

During the weekend, you can contact the camp on our emergency phone:

07543 484527

This phone is not monitored outside of events, so is not for general use to contact us

What will they need with them?

The Kit List forms part of this information letter. They'll need all of it!

And Finally

If you have any questions or queries, please email:

- **Stuart** - linburn.scouts@yahoo.co.uk

Or chat at any Scout or Explorer meeting night

Thanks.

Stuart Middleton

Group Lead Volunteer
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KIT LIST

You'll need:

- Rucksack or holdall-type bag
- Uniform shirt and kneekie – to be worn on arrival and when leaving camp
- Sleeping bag
- Warm, outdoor jacket or coat
- Waterproof jacket and trousers
- At least **two** full changes of “activity” clothes - trousers, sweat tops, jersey, shirts, etc
- Night wear
- Spare underwear and socks
- Gloves and hats
- Wash kit, personal stuff and a towel
- Boots or strong shoes for outdoor wear
- Trainers for indoor wear
- Torch + spare batteries - best to make it a head torch
- Water bottle - DON'T FORGET - you'll use it all the time
- Personal entertainment items – if they make a noise, can you make sure you have head/earphones for them to ensure private listening!

Please note:

- All **eating utensils** are provided in the building, so **not required** for this weekend.
- Please **do not** bring penknives or other bladed items. For firelighting activities or any other possible use, we will supply these items as part of the tool set for the activity
- If possible, mark items with your name. Avoids disputes and helps us return lost property!
- If you're planning to sleep out, you'll need extra warmth so a Karrimat and a blanket would be good