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HUMBERSIDE SCOUTS

# WINTER ON THE HILLS

## INFORMATION FOR LEADERS

Date: 24 to 26 November 2017

### Introduction

This event is open to all explorers, looking to brush up on Winter walking skills. From navigation to nourishment, dressing appropriately to dealing with difficult terrain, relocating. We will feed you. All you have to do is get to Comondale (North York Moors) .

**Please ensure that you bring all the items listed in the kit list, plus the map outlined below, failure to do so may prevent you participating in the event.**

### Never Been Before?

All participants will be placed in a walking team of 5 or 6 for the weekend and your team will be expected to complete a route card on the Friday evening. After a good breakfast on the Saturday morning your team will undertake a walk over open moorland and steep terrain. This will take about 6 hours to complete. On Saturday evening we will be doing some additional training which will be put into practice on Sunday morning.

### Transport

All you have to do is fill out the forms and get your leaders to bring you, they can walk with you if you wish.

### Accommodation

Accommodation is provided at the Centenary Building, Ravengill Campsite, Comondale, North Yorkshire Moors. If people want to camp, they may. This must be indicated at the time of booking so arrangements can be made for running water etc.

### Map

Outdoor Leisure 26 North Yorkshire Moors Western Area. (OL26)

### Preparation

You must have a basic understanding of route planning, route cards, map reading, compass work and be fit enough to complete a challenging walk in exposed terrain. A refresher course of these basic skills should be given by your Explorer Leader prior to the event.

### Bookings and Payment

PC form to be returned together with the £10.00 non refundable deposit before Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2017. This event is limited to a maximum of 40 explorers including leaders with the balance by the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017

All money and forms to be sent to: Russell Hodson, 8 The Green, Dale Road, Swanland, HU14 3PZ.

Cheques to be made payable to Humberside County Scout Council.

**Please ensure you fill the PC form legibly, we will be contacting participants by e-mail.**

### Who to contact with any queries:

Russell Hodson: email: [russell@arborology.co.uk](mailto:russell@arborology.co.uk)

Home: 01482 633902 Mobile: 07760 260584.

### Important Notes:

Please ensure that your DC is informed that you are taking part in this event, a NAN form has been completed and you have 'In Touch' (FS120075) in place.

## **Kit List**

Sleeping equipment:

Sleeping bag etc

Washing Equipment / Towel. You will brush your teeth!

Wet Weather gear: Waterproofs, trousers & jacket, gaiters if wanted.

Walking boots suitable for a couple of days in the hills, a change of footwear for the evening.

Walking Trousers/Scout trousers. No Jeans, no jogging bottoms.

Layers of warm clothes, including thermals.

Woolley hats, gloves, buff etc

Lots of spare clothes

Water bottles / Flasks

Head Torch & spare batteries

Maps OS Explorer North Yorkshire Moors Western Area OL26 / Map bag

Compass

Digital watch with stop watch facility, this can be just one per team

Cutlery and utensils

Large packed lunches to sustain for two days on the hills.

Rucksac, 25-30L minimum, if you require more gear, you will need a bigger bag, remember you carry it

