Raywell 2019 - Circular 1

November 2018

# De Mohicanen Summer Camp 2019

# 48th Meeting of English & Dutch Scouts & Guides Saturday 20 July—Friday 2 August 2019

#### **Home Hospitality**

- Providing Home Hospitality for our the visiting
   Group is an important part of our joint activities with the Dutch. For many young people it is the best bit, particularly when they are abroad.
- There are about 100
   Dutch Scouts, Guides,
   Explorers and Leaders
   coming in the summer for
   whom we have to find
   beds.
- "It is easier to have two."
   They can at least talk to each other, and are happier in pairs. The same applies when we go over to Holland.
- If you have any worries about providing hospitality, please speak to one of the leaders.

The 2019 De Mohicanen Summer Camp for the English & Dutch Explorers, Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies in 2019 will be at Raywell Park near Beverley, East Yorkshire followed by Home Hospitality in Ilkley

#### Costs

At this stage the estimated cost of camp we expect to be in the region of £170. For further planning we need to know how many Scouts, Guides, Explorers, Cubs & Brownies will be making the trip.

If your son/daughter will be going on the Summer Camp please can you return the slip below, by **Friday 21 December 2019** with a £50 non-returnable deposit to your child's Section Leader.

Cheques (with your child's name & section on the back) should be made payable to:

#### **Ben Rhydding Scout & Guide Group**

The future monies will be due in instalments and we will let you know the final costs and payment dates as soon as possible.

## **Camp Week**

Saturday 20 July—Saturday 27 July

#### **Hospitality Week**

### Saturday 27 July—Friday 2 August

Hospitality week is an integral part of our Group's link with the Dutch. Please be prepared to offer hospitality to our Dutch guests. The favour will be repaid in 2021 when we visit Holland.

After a week at camp the Dutch & English are usually already good friends. The Dutch, even the young ones, speak very good English (and if you have 2 to stay they can always talk to each other). Dutch homes tend to be small, so they are not expecting a palace, and we have yet to meet a Dutch person who does not eat a lot of bread. Most of the days during hospitality week are filled with Group trips, so entertaining the visitors is not too onerous.

I enclose a £50.00 Non-refundable deposit for Summer Camp 2019 payable to Ben Rhydding Scout & Guide Group				
Name of young person				
Section Cubs	Brownies	Scouts	Guides	Explorers
We can provide home hospitality for	(number)	Scouts	Guides	Explorers
Special Dietary Requirements and/or allergies				
Parent Name:	Parent	Signature:		