

26th Bristol (Northcote) Scout Troops
Consent and Health Information Form
Daytime Activities and Camps

For many of the Scouting Activities we undertake at the 26th we need the form on pages 2 & 3. The form will be used for both Daytime Activities and for Camps. The notes below may assist you in filling in the form.

Consent

This section says that the activity will be run under the rules of The Scout Association. These rules are set out in “Policy, Organisation and Rules” (POR) that can be downloaded from The Scout Association website. Photographs and/or videos of your child may be taken and images used, in accordance with POR, for promotion of the Scout Group, the Group’s records, possible articles for the local media and on our website. If you do not wish your child’s image to be used please inform a leader. Our privacy policies can be found on our website.

Finally it states that the Leader in charge of the activity may send a scout home from an activity if deemed necessary

Note that mobile phones are **strictly banned** for scouts when at camp.

Personal Information

Please record here basic information about your child and any special dietary requirement they may have. Also please add any non-medical information you feel it would be useful for the leaders to know about your child. e.g. Any special needs.

Contact information

Please record here how the Leaders can contact you during the activity/camp should this become necessary.

The 26th uses the Scout Association’s “In Touch” procedure to enable parents to contact the Leaders during an Activity or Camp. You will be advised what these arrangements will be when the notification for an event is issued. Normally this will simply be to contact one of the scout leaders directly by telephone.

For summer camps, where there is frequently limited mobile coverage at the camp site, we use the alternative “Home Contact” system when parents can contact the designated person and the leaders at camp will regularly ring them to pick up messages etc.

Medical Information

Please record here any medical information that the Scouters should know about your child.

For every camp, one person, normally a leader, will be responsible for 1st Aid and medications.

If your child requires medication whilst at camp then these **must** be handed to the 1st Aider at the start of camp. Medications should be in a transparent plastic bag clearly marked with

- Your child's name,
- The dosage instructions
- Storage instructions (e.g. Refrigerate)

All medicines should be in their original packaging as supplied by the Doctor/Pharmacist. Some medicines, e.g. Asthma inhalers may be returned to your child if appropriate otherwise, all medicines must be stored safely by the 1st Aider. This includes, for example, any pain killers such as paracetamol for personal use.

The medical profession takes the view that the parent’s consent to medical treatment cannot be delegated. This view is explicit in the Children Act 1989. Medical consent forms have no legal status and a doctor/nurse insisting on the consent of a parent to treatment has the right to do so. So, it can be a comfort to the medical staff that general consent in advance has been given or to have a Leader on hand able to sign forms required.

Reuse of Forms

In order to reduce the number of times parents have to fill in the same information, forms will be reused where possible. We will let you know when we intend to reuse previous forms for a particular activity/camp and give you a chance to update the information on the form if required. It is the responsibility of the **parents** to inform the Leaders when an update to the stored form is necessary e.g. If there is a change in medication or a change in contact details etc.

Please keep the above information for your records, **complete the following two pages and return them to your section leader before** the activity/camp.

The latest version of this form can always be obtained from the 26th Scouts Website: <http://www.26bristolscouts.org.uk>

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| SURNAME: | Forename(s): | Bentley / Loach / Thursday Troop Explorer / Adult |
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Daytime Activities & Camps - Consent

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All Activities/Camps will be run in accordance with the relevant Scout Association's Policy, Organisation & Rules.

No responsibility for personal equipment / clothing and effects can be accepted by the organisers and The Scout Association does not provide automatic cover in respect of such items.

Photographs and video images may be taken during the Activity/Camp and these may include your child. These images may be used, in accordance with POR, for promotion of the Group, the Group's records, possible articles for the local media, used on our website.

I understand that the Leader in charge reserves the right to send, at the parents expense, any participant(s) home if they deem it necessary.

For camps, I will ensure my child does **not** have a mobile phone with them.

This form may be copied. All forms will be destroyed at the end of the scouting year, unless treatment recorded in which case the data will be kept in line with records policy. The data will not be passed at any third parties.

| Personal details | Dietary requirements | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| My child's date of birth | My child has the following special dietary requirements | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Their age at the Activity/Camp | | Vegetarian | Yes No | | | | | | | | | | |
| My child's gender | Other requirements: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| My child's national health number | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Religion | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Other useful information you think we should know about your child (i.e. any special needs)

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| Can they swim 50 meters: | Yes | No | Comment: |
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| Contact details | | | |
|---|-----------------|-------------|--|
| My home address | | | |
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| Mobile (Father) | Mobile (Mother) | Home Tel no | |
| My address during activity/camp (If different from above) | | | |
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| My child's doctor's name: |
| Practice: |
| Address: |
| Telephone: |

| Signature | |
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| Signed | Relationship to child |
| Name | Date |

This form must be returned BEFORE the activity/camp NOT on the day

