

# Welcome Pack



The Jack Addis Centre, Burton Latimer

## About us

Founded by Jack Addis in 1939, Scouting activities have been taking place at 1st Burton Latimer Scout Group for over 80 years.

The Group consists of 1 Beaver Scout Colony, 2 Cub Scout Packs, 2 Scout Troops, a Group Scout Leader (GSL) and the Group Executive Committee.

We currently meet at the Jack Addis Centre, our Scout HQ. This can be found at the rear of 1 Higham Road, Burton Latimer, NN15 5PU.

1st Burton Latimer Scout Group is part of Glendon District Scouts. Our Scouts feed into the Glendon **District Explorer Scouts Section** which runs 4 Units for young people aged 14-18.

### **Beavers**

The Beaver Scout section is for young people aged 6-8. We currently has 1 Beaver Scout Colony:

5.30pm-7.00pm Thursday:

## Cubs

The Cub Scout section is for young people aged 8-10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. We currently have 2 Cub Scout Packs:

Monday: Wednesday: 6.30pm-8.00pm

6.00pm-7.30pm

## Scouts

The Scout section is for young people aged 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-14. We currently have 2 Scout Troops:

Monday:	7.30pm-9.00pm
Thursday:	7.30pm-9.00pm



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Founder: Jack Addis Group Scout Leader: Linda Edwards President: Phil Harpur Registered Charity: 1014391

Chairman: Vacant

# **Cub Scouts**

Cub Scouts is the second section of the Scouting family, designed for young people aged between 8 and 10½. Many Cubs will have been Beaver Scouts, but some Cubs join Scouting for the first time to look for adventure, friendship and fun. 1st Burton Latimer Scout Group has two Cub packs; Eagle and Falcon. Both packs are run by a small leadership team, consisting of a Cub Scout Leader (CSL), Assistant Cub Scout Leaders (ACSL), Section Assistants (SA), Young Leaders (YL) and other occasional helpers, who give up their time to volunteer in the Scout group.

# **Falcon Pack**

Day:	Wednesday
Time:	6.30pm - 8.00pm
Place:	The Jack Addis Centre, Higham Road, Burton Latimer
Email:	falconcubpack@aol.com



Leadership Team, Falcon Pack

# **Our Team**

**Cub Scout Leaders:** Lisa (Akela), Sarah (Mowgli)



**Occasional Helpers:** Mark (Hathi), Sharon (Bagheera)

# **Moving On**

When a Cub is aged between 10 and 10½ Years old they are able to move up to the Scout section. Cubs usually take part in a 3 week process known as 'linking-up'. The leaders will arrange this process. During this time the Cub will attend both Cubs and Scouts and will get to know the leaders, helpers and other Scouts in the Scout Troop. Cubs are then invested into the Scout Troop and become Scouts.

# Uniform

The Cub uniform consists of a green sweatshirt, a green polo shirt (optional), activity trousers (optional) and the group necker. We kindly ask that Cubs do not wear jeans.

We recommend purchasing Scout-brand 'activity' trousers due to the activities we do and especially for parades, church visits and ceremonies.

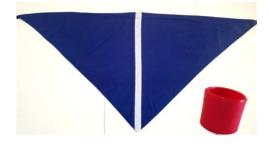
The sweatshirt, polo shirt and trousers are available to purchase from scouting shops (see overleaf) and online at http://shop.scouts.org.uk/.

## Investiture

Once a young person has been in Cubs for 6 weeks they are invested. Families are welcome to attend this event. This is an important ceremony in which the young person is welcomed into the Cub pack and makes the Cub Scout Promise:

*I promise that I will do my best, to do my duty to God and to the King, to help other people, and to keep the Cub Scout Law.* 

\*\*Scouting is available to people of all faiths, humanists, atheists and those with no affirmed faith. Therefore, different variations of the promise can be made, allowing for individual obligations whilst upholding the essential spirit of the Promise.\*\*





# **Scout Shops**

All Scout Shops are open in term-time only

## Kettering

Address: Opening Hours:

Phone:

Email:

London Road, Kettering, NN15 6NQ Monday: 6:30pm - 8:30pm Saturday: 9:00am - 12:00pm 07708 097100 ketteringscoutshop@glendonscouts.org.uk

## Wellingborough

Address: Opening Hours: 92 Newcomen Road, Wellingborough, NN8 1JT Wednesday: 6.30pm - 8.00pm Saturday: 9.30am - 4.30pm 01933 223290

## Corby

Phone:

Address: Opening Hours: Phone: Email: St John's Church Rooms, Corby, NN17 1XF Saturday: 9.00am - 12.00pm 07976 664432 corbyscoutshop@glendonscouts.org.uk

# Badges

There are a number of badges a Cub Scout can earn during their time with the pack. These are given in recognition of the effort made by each young person. Badges include:

## Membership Award



## Chief Scout Silver Award



### Challenge Awards



## Activity Badges



### Staged Activity badges



### Joining-In Awards



Please use the image to find out where these badges are positioned.



# Costs

Subs are **£120** per child, per year. This amount is paid in instalments every half term, following the school calendar. This works out at **£20 each half-term**.

Subs can be paid by cash or cheque. Make cheques payable to: **1st Burton Latimer Falcon Cubs** 

Subs for members of the Scouting movement are used to cover insurances; both personal (your child) and property. They are also used to pay for resources and the running costs of the premises.

If your child is new to scouting there is a small charge of £5. This covers the cost of investiture badges, the Group Necker and a Woggle.

Please note that other activities, such as those run by the District, may incur additional charges.

# Useful Websites, Links and Contacts

Group Website: www.burtonlatimerscouts.org.uk

**Group Email:** info@burtonlatimerscouts.org.uk mail@burtonlatimerscouts.org.uk

District Website: www.glendonscouts.org.uk

**County Website:** www.northamptonshirecounty scouts.org.uk

The Scout Association Website: www.scouts.org.uk

# **Important Information**

2 warranted adults must be present whilst supervising young people.

Please do not drop your child off before 6.25pm as there may be no adult supervision.

A responsible adult must escort your child into and out of the HQ. This is important as your child may be left unattended outside, if you are unaware that Cubs is cancelled or we have departed HQ.

The leaders must also be informed about who is collecting your child. Please **DO NOT** use the private road directly outside the HQ under any circumstances. This land does not belong to the Scout Group. This means it cannot be used for dropping off, turning or parking.

In the unlikely event that Cubs is cancelled, we will attempt to notify you as soon as possible

Please make sure your child brings a coat to meetings as the weather can change at any time.

All other information will be sent out by text message and/or email