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 have 1 Beaver Scout Colony:

Thursday: 5.30pm-7.00pm

Cubs

The Cub Scout section is for young people aged 8-10½. We currently have 2 Cub Scout Packs:

Monday: 6.00pm-7.30pm
Wednesday: 6.30pm-8.00pm

Scouts

The Scout section is for young people aged 10½-14. 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   **Chairman**: Vacant

Registered Charity: 1014391

Scouts

Scouts are the third section of the Scouting family, designed for young people aged between 10½ and 14. Many young people join Scouts for adventure, friendship and fun.

1st Burton Latimer Scout Group has two Scout Troops: Phoenix Troop & Osprey Troop

Each Troop is run by a small leadership team consisting of: a Scout Leader (SL), Assistant Scout Leaders (ASL), Section Assistants (SA), Young Leaders (YL) and other occasional helpers (OH), who give up their time to volunteer in the Scout group.

Phoenix Troop

Day: Monday
Time: 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Place: The Jack Addis Centre, Higham Road, Burton Latimer

Our Team

Scout Leaders:
Mark
Jonathan

Moving On

When a Scout is 14 Years old they are able to move up to Explorers The Explorer Scout Unit is run by Glendon District.

Uniform

The Scout uniform consists of a green shirt, activity trousers (optional) and the group necker. We recommend purchasing Scout-brand 'activity' trousers due to the activities we do and especially for parades, church visits and ceremonies.

The 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 Scouts for 6 weeks they are invested into the troop. Families are welcome to attend this event. This is a ceremony in which the young person is welcomed into the Troop and makes their Promise:

On my honour,
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 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.
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Badges

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

Membership Award

Chief Scout Gold Award

Challenge Awards

Activity Badges

Staged Activity badges

Joining-In Awards

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

Scout Shops

All Scout Shops are open in term-time only

Kettering

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

Wellingborough

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

Corby

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

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 every half-term**

Subs can be paid by cash or cheque. Make cheques payable to: **1st Burton Latimer Scouts Phoenix Troop**

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 7.25 as there may be no adult supervision.

A responsible adult must escort a young person into and out of the HQ. This is important as your child may be left unattended outside, if you are unaware that Scouts 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 Scouts 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