



# Bush Craft Party Guest Information

## Timings

Parties are 2 hours long and will consist of 2 pre-selected activities followed by a campfire meal. Please ensure you arrive 10 minutes early as the so we can start the session with all the children on time.

## Campfire Meal

The meal will be prepared by our kitchen team and eaten by the children around the campfire. The meal includes sausages in a roll with ketchup or BBQ sauce, crisps, apple and a smore which each child will cook on our campfire. All dietary requirements, given notice, can be catered for. All food will be pre-prepped in a clean environment.

**Birthday cake – candles are allowed but cannot be blown out on a shared cake. We have an air bazooka that the birthday child can use to blow the candles out.**

## Clothing

Please ensure that your child has the appropriate clothing for outdoor activities. Trainers, walking shoes or similar, a waterproof jacket, sweatshirt or fleece and we recommend long trousers however, shorts can be worn in hot weather. Ensure all extra items are named and are carried in a small rucksack or bag. In the event of hot weather, we would recommend that provide a sun hat, sun cream, spare clothing etc. as appropriate. **No crocs, flip flops, or sandals to be worn. Guests will not be permitted to play if they attend wearing these.**

## Weather

We are an outdoor focused activity camp with the ability to run activities under cover. We plan to operate in most conditions but in extreme cases (e.g. heavy snow or exceptionally low temperatures) we may have to alter the programme or postpone a session.

## Location

For full details please visit our web site at [www.ruggedearthadventures.com](http://www.ruggedearthadventures.com)

Our address is:

Sutton Green Garden Centre

Whitmoor Lane

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Please use the DIRECTIONS on our website as well as postcode. The Garden Centre is situated at the junction of Whitmoor Lane/Guildford Road.



## Activities

**Shelter Building:** One of the first rules for outdoor survival. Children will build a variety of improvised survival shelters using natural materials they gather from the land. Mini shelters are the perfect tool to demonstrate these skills.

**Fire Lighting:** One of the most important bush craft and survival skills. You will be taught its many uses and methods of lighting both modern and ancient. Once lit the children will get an opportunity to roast marshmallows over their own fire!

**Traps & Snares:** An activity for the older guests. (9yrs +) Our Bush craft experts teach a variety of technics which the children will get a chance to practise. A few eggs may lose their shells in the process of the demonstration traps!

**Archery Stalk (soft darts):** One of the oldest skills known to man used for hunting and battle. More exciting than the average fixed point range children will stalk through the woods to find their targets.

**Woodland Arts & Crafts:** Popular with our younger guests. After gathering fur cones, sticks, leaves, stones, mud and much more from the woods and meadow it's back to the art tent to let their creative minds take over.

**Axe Throwing (plastic foam axes/bristle target):** We teach you how to sling an axe like our ancestors, giving individual coaching to hone your technique. We use plastic foam safety axes which are suitable for all ages. Which team can score the highest points?