

## 2012 Events at Blackland Farm - Additional Information

### *Rainbows - Roundabouts and special events*

#### **Beautiful Planet**

Celebrate our wonderful planet at our World Thinking Day event and achieve your WAGGGS World Thinking Day 2012 badge.

WHEN? 18 February

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Rainbows with their Leaders, 96 spaces

COST? £14 per person

#### **Guiding Games**

The Olympics aren't just about sport! Our guiding heptathlon adds cultural experiences to the mix.

WHEN? 13 May

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Rainbows with their Leaders, 300 spaces

COST? £18 per person

### *Brownies - Badge events*

#### **First Aid and First Aid Advanced**

Bring your Brownies along to learn first aid skills including initial first aid awareness and how to check an injury, breathing and recovery, bleeding, burns, broken bones and shock. You will also learn how people feel after an accident, how to check a casualty and resuscitation. The day is split up into sessions and the girls will get to learn these skills with a hands-on approach. By the end of the day they will have gained their First Aid and First Aid Advanced badges.

WHEN? 11 February (9.45am-4pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Brownies with their Leaders, 48 spaces

COST? £14 per person

#### **Beautiful Planet**

Celebrate our wonderful planet at our World Thinking Day event and achieve your WAGGGS World Thinking Day 2012 badge.

WHEN? 19 February

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Brownies with their Leaders, 96 spaces

COST? £14 per person

#### **Circus Performer**

Run away and join the Blackland Farm circus! Learn the skills all good Brownie clowns need and put them to the test with a grand performance to earn your Circus Performer badge. Brownies will spend the day doing circus-themed activities, including a craft workshop where they can make juggling balls, face paint and other crafts, and learning circus skills such as juggling and Diablo sticks. Each girl will be presented with the Circus Performer badge at the end of the day.

WHEN? 26 February (9.30am-4pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Brownies with their Leaders, 48 spaces

COST? £18 per person

### **Wet and Wild!**

A great opportunity to take the plunge into water activities, work towards the Water Sports badge and gain the Water Safety badge.

WHEN? 17 June

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Brownies with their Leaders, 48 spaces

COST? £25 per person

### **Navigation**

Learn map-reading and navigation skills and go exploring.

WHEN? 14 October (9.30am-5pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Brownies with their Leaders, 40 spaces

COST? £25 per person

## ***Brownies - Special events***

### **Guiding Games**

The Olympics aren't just about sport! Our Guiding heptathlon adds cultural experiences to the mix.

WHEN? 7 or 8 July

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Brownies with their Leaders, 300 spaces

COST? £18 per person

## ***Guides - Badge events***

### **Operation SOS**

Spend a day challenging yourself and learning new skills including cooking outdoors, building shelter and lighting fires. You will also learn about safety and the correct use of fire extinguishers. Test your skills on the adventure trail and your nerve on our extreme activity! When the day is finished you will have achieved both your Active Response and Survival badges.

WHEN? 12 February (9am-5pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Guides with their Leaders, 96 spaces

COST? £18 per person

### **Circus Day**

Run away and join the Blackland Farm circus! Learn the skills all good Guide clowns need, and put them to the test with a grand performance to earn your Circus Skills badge. Guides will spend the day doing circus-themed activities, including a workshop learning circus skills such as Diablo sticks and juggling. Each Guide will be presented with the Circus Skills badge at the end of the day.

WHEN? 25 February (9.30am-4pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Guides with their Leaders, 48 spaces

COST? £18 per person

### **Wet and Wild!**

A great opportunity to take the plunge into water activities, work towards the Outdoor Pursuits badge and gain the Water Safety badge.

WHEN? 16 June

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Guides with their Leaders, 48 spaces

COST? £25

### **Navigation**

Learn map-reading and navigation skills and go exploring.

WHEN? 13 October (9.30am-5pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? Guides with their Leaders, 20 spaces

COST? £25 per person

### ***Guides - Baden-Powell Adventures***

WHO CAN GO? Guides without their Leaders

WHEN? 14 to 15 April (8.30am Day 1 to 11.30am Day 2), 24 to 25 August (7pm Day 1 to 7pm Day 2), 24 to 25 November (9am Day 1 to 11.30am Day 2)

HOW MANY CAN GO? 24 spaces per event

COST? £70 per girl

### ***Adult trainings***

Unless otherwise stated, the following trainings are open to **all** members of Girlguiding UK aged 18 and over.

#### **GNAS Archery Leader's Course**

The GNAS course is held over four days for adult volunteers to learn to lead archery sessions at an introductory level. Over the four days you will learn about safety, rules, the use and maintenance of equipment, range layouts and suitable rounds for beginners. You will also learn how to shoot consistently and how to teach and improve the skills of others.

WHEN? 2 to 5 April, 10 to 13 April, 28 to 29 July and 4 to 5 August (2 weekends), 6 to 7 October and 13 to 14 October (2 weekends) (9am-5pm every day)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? All adult members and volunteers, 12 spaces

COST? £280 per person

#### **Beginner's Rock Climbing**

This one-day course is an introduction to basic climbing and abseiling skills. You will learn basic wall climbing techniques and how to belay a climbing partner.

WHEN? 5 May (9am-5pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? All adult members and volunteers, 16 spaces

COST? £50 per person

#### **Improver's Rock Climbing**

This one-day course is designed for adult volunteers who have some climbing and abseiling experience. It covers basic techniques of climbing and abseiling and will help you develop the skills needed to go out climbing with friends.

WHEN? 19 August (9am-5pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? All adult members and volunteers, 8 spaces  
COST? £50 per person

### **BCU 1 Star**

The 1 Star is designed to teach the basic skills needed to become a paddler. You will learn practical skills including how to paddle, rescue, teamwork and leadership. You will also learn about proper use and care of equipment, safety and basic first aid.

WHEN? 19 May or 9 June (9am-5pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? All adult members and volunteers, 16 spaces

COST? £50 per person

### **BCU 2 Star**

Already gained your 1 Star? Improve your paddling skills and gain the 2 Star award. This one-day course covers personal paddling skills including steering, manoeuvring, capsizing and turning in a canoe and kayak; securing your boat; safety; self and peer rescues; leadership and teamwork.

WHEN? 18 August or 15 September (9am-5pm)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? All adult members and volunteers, 16 spaces

COST? £50 per person

### **Map Reading**

The two-day course designed to develop your navigation skills and help you enjoy the outdoors. This is a nationally recognised qualification.

WHEN? 6 to 7 October 2012 (9.30am-5pm every day)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? All adult members and volunteers, 12 spaces

COST? £50 per person

### **Level 1 Climbing and Abseiling**

Over two days you will look at equipment care and maintenance, belaying, climbing and abseiling techniques, instructing techniques, running sessions, group control and games. The course is perfect for Leaders and volunteers who are keen to gain a qualification to supervise climbing and abseiling sessions for young Girlguiding UK members.

WHEN? 7 to 8 January 2012 (9am-5pm every day)

WHO/HOW MANY CAN GO? All adult members and volunteers, 8 spaces

COST? £100 per person