



HAMLET WOOD SCOUT CAMPSITE

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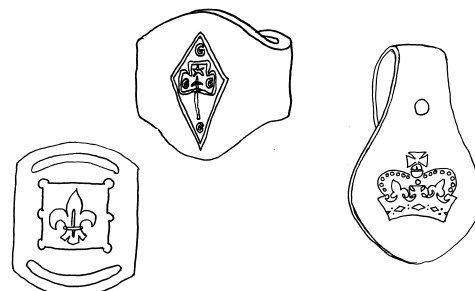
Leather Craft 3D Stamping

Make your own leather woggle or key ring, perhaps stamp your belt. Use one of the many metal stamps or use the sets of letters we have available. This is like branding, but safer, without heat.

The cost of a 3 hour session is £40 + the cost of leather etc. (£2.50 per item) and 50p per impression on your own belts etc.

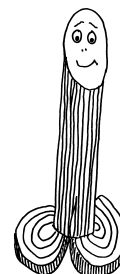
This includes sight and touch of many animal hides to show what can be used for clothing etc, along with samples of horns, antlers etc..... Over 40 examples....our own zoo

NB – warning – This will mainly be ANIMAL SKINS



“Hamlet” the woggle-guard kits

Make your own little man while in camp. Kits and all materials can be supplied along with instructions. They cost just £1 each plus £5 for special pen and glue.

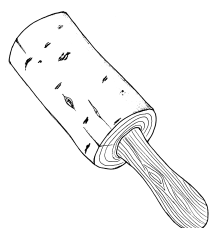
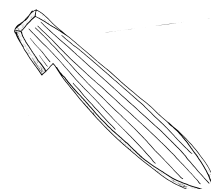


Woodland coppice crafts – Talk & demonstration

By prior arrangement we can give a 1 hr talk and demonstration on the craft of cutting coppice woodland. We discuss how and why this is done and then show how the raw timber is then converted into fence posts etc and demonstrate the tools and equipment that are used.

This can then be progressed onto a further 2 hr session, first showing how to make one-piece mallets and tent pegs, then set to and make your own.

These sessions are very much subject to the availability of staff and subject to good weather, as they both need to be outdoors and in the dry.



Mallet and peg making is only suitable for the older groups because of the need to use very sharp tools, saws, hand axes and draw-knives. The group would also need to provide a number of adults to assist and supervise. The size of the group should not be more than twelve, in pairs, each pair with an adult.

The charges for this are:- Talk and demonstration £30

Mallet and peg making £40 plus £1 per person

Nature Talks - £30

Talks lasting 1 to 1½ hours can be arranged with the Warden. Tailored to the age and requirement of the boys, he will explain about bird life and other wild life of the woodland along with information about the flora & fauna, supported by many examples of nests and other natural things found in the woodland itself.

These must be arranged with the Warden in advance of your camp to ensure that we have the materials and where necessary staff to deal with it. Please don't forget that we do not live on site and are all unpaid volunteers just like you.

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A small providore is run from behind the Warden's Office, selling mainly small gift type items like Badges, Woggles, Key-fobs, Book-marks, Hamlets, Soft Toys and much more, including some Scouting items. This will only be open for a short time each weekend while Staff are on site. Sorry! No sweets, food or drinks.