# Guide to Parents returning to Face to Face Scouting in Bedhampton.

SCOUT EXPLORERS

Dear Scouts, Explorers and their Parents and Guardians

We hope you are all safe and well. I’m sure you can understand that there will be some changes so we can all enjoying face to face Scouting in a Covid safe way. The purpose of these pages is to lay those changes for Scouts, Explorers and their Parents and Legal Guardians.

Returning to face to face Scouting is entirely optional. If there are any additional needs or concerns (either by you or your children) please do not hesitate to get in touch with your Scout or Explorer Section Leader (communication details are at the end). We will work with you on the best solution.

Please do not attend if you or a member of your household are self-isolating but please let us know.

At the moment all the meetings will be outside. The first meeting will be a short meeting (max 90 minutes). In addition we may need to shorten or unfortunately cancel meetings in the event of poor weather. Scouts and Explorers do not need to wear uniform.

In order to keep numbers within the guidelines. We will be running Scouts one week and Explorers the other.

For the safety of all we all will need to adhere strictly to these rules. In particular, can I ask you to understand that spitting will not be tolerated in any way. Breaches of this nature will unfortunately result in a call asking for the Parent to collect (I am sure this will not happen!)

For Scouts we will be holding a Zoom meeting to take you through everything on these pages and to answer any questions . This is scheduled for Wed 9th Sep (Normal Scout time) at 7pm. The meeting Passcode is 532089 and the meeting link is [here](https://zoom.us/j/97260281636). You don’t need to have the Zoom App (but you can use it).

**Before you first meeting** please can you register your request to return to face to face by completing the following form and sending back to your section leader. A copy of the form was in the email sent to you to help. We will then assign

Name of Young Person \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact person and telephone No \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Details of any additional needs including any respiratory issues such as Asthma.

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Are you willing/able to help us if we need additional Adult support? Note please don’t just turn up as Adult helpers also count in our maximum numbers.

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Please write your name here to indicate **both** the Young Person and their Parent/ Legal Guardian have read the information on these pages

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**Checklist of items to brief/ do before heading off:**

* Have you been to the Toilet?
* Have you got suitable clothes including a coat for poor weather?
* Have you got your water bottle?
* Have you washed you hands thoroughly (2 sings of Happy Birthday)
* Have you got a towel for hand washing throughout evening?

Please do not car share with anyone when travelling to site.

**When you first arrive** there will be a cone system. Please queue by the cones which are 2 meters apart until invited forward by a leader.

We will wash hands on arrival and leaving. We may also wash hands at other times in the evening (depends on what we are doing).

**Please exit via the cone system.** Please note any badges they have earnt will be placed into an envelope and handed out the following week.

**Contact Information**

Please feel free to contact us on any of the information in these pages or if there are any concerns or issues. In particular please note the request to minimise chatting to the leaders at the beginning and end.

* For Scouts please contact: Nigel Vosper, nigeljvosper@sky.com 07979736459
* For Explorers please contact: Elspeth Ringrose, elspethringrose@hotmail.co.uk 07833438146

**More Information**

The information on this page is just a part of our overall Covid 19 Risk Assessment. You can find the full version on our website [here](http://www.1stbedhampton.co.uk/site/covid19-information/) when it has been fully approved.