

WELCOME TO LUCTON - HR6 9PN

Getting to Lucton

Head for the A49 between Ludlow and Leominster. From the south take B4361 SP Richards Castle then left on B4362 for 3 miles. From the north take B4362 right 4 miles south of Ludlow (Salwey Arms) then 2 miles left at T, further 2 miles bear right, still on B4362 thro Bircher and on for 3 miles. From east straight across at A456/A49 junction on to B4362 and then as above. From the west - work it out for yourself!

On arrival please drive in through the main school gates, park and enter the premises via the blue double door on your right. You will find the reception team somewhere within.

The School

We have the use of the school hall, dining room, one classroom, toilet and shower block, activity hall, cricket pavilion, tennis courts and the sports field. There is limited use of the swimming pool. The school buildings will normally be open from 7.30 to 23.00.

Please take care to wear suitable footwear in the school buildings to avoid causing damage to the floor.

Badges

Please wear your badges – they are not just for decoration but identify you as bone fide members of the Club and will help to avoid embarrassment when the organisers and others can't remember your name. They are also a means of identification for concessionary admission charges.

Reception

During the week this will be in the marquee unless the weather is particularly bad in which case we will retreat to the school hall. The usual obligatory tea making facility will be in the marquee.

First Aid kit

This will be kept in Reception together with the names of the First Aiders.

Toilets, Showers and Washbasins

These are segregated and situated in the building to the left of the main building. The showers are communal. Campers will also be able to use the facilities in the Boarding House but may need the door lock code. There will be 8 portable toilets on the sports field for the added and principally night time 'convenience' of the campers.

Refuse

We wish campers to take their domestic waste home with them (IF PRACTICABLE). Anybody who can't do so please contact the organisers.

Caravan toilet waste

An inspection cover will be lifted to allow access to the drains. This is situated to the right of the dwelling house opposite the main field entrance.

Recyclables

There will be a container for such items which will then be smuggled away to wherever. It will be appreciated if they can be rinsed or washed before disposal.

Water

There is only one water point on site to the left of the cricket pavilion where there will also be basic washing-up facilities.

Freezer and Refrigerator

It is hoped to provide these facilities in the cricket pavilion or, failing that, in the school. Please take care to label your items.

Laundry

There is a small laundry on the ground floor of the Boarding House with two washing machines and driers – and an ironing board for those who wish to show the rest of us up!

Tennis Courts

There are two tennis courts which may be booked at reception for, say, hour long sessions. Rubber soled shoes must be worn and children must be under adult supervision.

Swimming Pool

Arrangements and times are not yet finalised. Supervisory help, especially any lifeguard help, will be much appreciated

Activity Hall

This is the large timber clad building adjacent to the swimming pool and may be used for games and a safe area for children. There is a climbing wall. Please use with care and wear soft rubber soled shoes.

Route Sheets and Maps

Ordnance survey maps of the area (OS. Landranger 137, 148, 149) will be for sale in reception. Route sheets can be printed off under protest for those who have lost or forgotten to bring them!

Sports Field

Please avoid the roped off cricket square in the centre of the field

Overnight Tandem and Cycle Storage

There are places in the buildings where machines may be kept securely and in the dry overnight - especially useful for commuters. Please enquire at reception.

Bar

The bar will be in the cricket pavilion serving local real ale, cider and wine at very competitive prices. It proved impossible to obtain a licence for the whole week, 96 hours being the longest stretch for which a licence can be granted. However with a 24 hr gap it proved possible to have another licence for another 48 hours. Therefore the bar will be officially closed on Wednesday!

Meals

These have been prebooked but if anybody who hasn't ordered a meal wishes to do so please let Norman or Margaret know the day before for breakfast and immediately after breakfast (9.00) on the same day for dinner. Meal times will be as follows – Sunday brunch - 9.30 to 10.30, breakfast - 8.00 to 9.00, evening meal - 6.00 to 7.00, Saturday breakfast - 7.30 to 9.00. Packed lunches may be ordered and paid for (£3) in the dining room by 10.00am the previous day. Last orders for the Weds picnic pack by 6.00pm on Tuesday

BOARDING HOUSE

Door Lock

You should make sure you have been given the code for the lock on arrival.

Common Room and Café Areas

Please be particularly quiet in the common areas on the first and second floors to the right of the main stairway. These areas are adjacent to staff accommodation which is occupied.

YARPOLE COMMUNITY SHOP & POST OFFICE

Please let Norman or Margaret know if you require any food items to be ordered before you arrive and delivered to the school. There will be some milk available on site. Please do visit our award winning shop and café in St Leonard's Church. The café is open from 10 00 till 12.30 for coffee, cakes and light lunches.