

Cub Uniform



Where to buy the uniform? The Scout Shop

The Scout Shop details -34/35 Upper Liffey Street, Dublin 1

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**The Porterstown Neckerchief** – The neckerchief is purple/blue on one side and green on the other side. Tell the Scout Shop that you want the neckerchief for the 70<sup>th</sup> Dublin Group.

**Cub book** – The cub leaders sell the cub books for €9.00 at the cub meetings.

### Where do the badges go?





#### What to buy for the Cub uniform and the cost –

# Wednesday Cubs – General Information

#### Leaders and contact details -

Brian Harvey (Section leader) – 0866077803	Lisa Harvey – 0876144274
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### Cub Meetings -

- Meetings are held on Wednesday evenings from 7.30pm 9.00pm.
- All cubs must wear their full uniform to meetings (unless otherwise instructed).
- The full uniform consists of cub jumper, cub trousers, neckerchief, woggle, black/navy shoes, black/navy socks.
- Cubs are inspected at the start of the meeting so please make sure their uniform and shoes are clean, hands are clean (no nail varnish), and their neckerchief is ironed.
  Please encourage your cub to clean their uniform and shoes and iron their neckerchief.
- Cubs must bring their cub book, a pencil and note book to every meeting.
- Cubs should bring a change of clothes (preferably a tracksuit) to change into after the inspection. Cubs can wear a t-shirt under their cub jumper if they wish.
- Some cubs like to bring a water bottle with them to meetings but this is not essential.
- Please make sure your cub has their inhaler with them if they require it at meetings.
- When cubs achieve a badge these will be presented to them at the meeting. Please ensure that you sew the badge onto their uniform.

### Activities –

- We will supply you with an activity calendar at the start of the year. Please note that all activities are subject to change.
- Closer to the date of each activity we will email you a note giving further details about the activity. Notes will also be on the website <u>www.porterstownscouts.com</u>
- We cannot accept cheques for payment for any activities, cash only.

## What to bring on all activities

### General notes -

1. All cubs **must** wear their group neckerchief on **all activities**. They only need to wear their woggle with their neckerchief if they are wearing their uniform.

2. All cubs will need to bring their own personal equipment and cannot share with others.

3. Please allow your son/daughter to pack their actual bags. They will have to do this at the end of the activity and it always helps if they actually know what is in their bag.

4. A rucksack or a large sports bag is sufficient for camps. No suitcases please.

5. Please place wash-proof name labels on all clothing and mark all of their equipment with a permanent marker.

6. A small rucksack or schoolbag is ideal for a day hike. It is extremely important that this bag has proper shoulder straps, as it may need to be carried for a considerable amount of time.

5. Please pack gear into single plastic bags- putting socks, vest, pants t-shirt, tracksuit bottoms into individual bags (their name clearly marked on each plastic bag) This makes it easy for cubs to find their gear in their bags. We would also suggest packing several plastic bags for dirty/wet clothes.

**Medication** - Please inform the leaders of the medication that your cub needs to take. You will also need to fill in a form to provide consent for leaders to administer medication and details of how to administer.

**Sleeping** - If your cub has any issues with sleeping, bed wetting, sleep walking etc. please inform the leaders of this prior to the activity.

**Mobile phones and** electronic equipment - No mobile phones or electronic equipment (i.e. PSP's, Gameboys, DS's, I Pads, etc.) are allowed on any activities. Leaders will have their mobile phones on activities please do not hesitate to contact one of them should you have any queries.

**Layering -** A number of layers are warmer than one thick layer and the warmth can be regulated more easily - do not forget your hands and head.

**Waterproofing -** Please make sure that all of their gear is *waterproof*, not showerproof. A waterproof jacket and rain bottoms are essential pieces of equipment.

## What to bring on a Hike -

- Small rucksack
- Waterproof jacket & trousers
- Warm jacket/fleece
- Hiking boots/wellies No runners. Please wear appropriate socks with hiking boots
- Woolly/fleece hat and gloves (for warmth also to keep off midges)
- Plastic bags to separate clean/dirty items
- Water bottle and packed lunch
- Full change of clothes, socks and underwear in case you get wet

# What to bring on a Camp -

- Small rucksack for day hike
- T-shirts and tops
- Warm sweaters/jumpers/hoodies
- Pyjamas
- Trousers/Tracksuit Bottoms (not heavy material) never bring jeans as they are unsuitable
- Waterproof jacket & trousers
- Warm jacket/fleece
- Pairs of socks and underwear
- Runners and hiking boots/wellies Please wear appropriate socks with hiking boots
- Shorts (weather pending)
- 1 large towel and one hand towel
- Swimwear and water shoes (if doing water sports)
- Baseball cap or similar
- Woolly/fleece hat and gloves (for warmth also to keep off midges)
- Personal wash kit (toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, soap, hair brush, tissues, wet wipes)
- Torch with batteries (don't forget spare batteries)
- Insect repellent, sun cream
- Plastic bags to separate clean/dirty items
- Water bottle
- Sleeping bag, roll mat, pillow, blanket No airbeds
- Book(s)/deck of cards/cuddly friend
- Knife, fork, spoon, plastic/enamel plate, bowl & mug.
- Some sweets and minerals no excessive amounts please

# What to bring on a Sleepover -

- Pyjamas
- Personal wash kit (toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, soap, hair brush, tissues, wet wipes)
- A towel
- Torch with batteries (don't forget spare batteries)
- Water bottle
- Sleeping bag, roll mat, pillow, blanket No airbeds
- Book(s)/deck of cards/cuddly friend
- Knife, fork, spoon, plastic/enamel plate, bowl & mug.
- Full change of clothes, socks and underwear
- Some sweets and minerals no excessive amounts please

### What to bring on a day activity -

- Small rucksack
- Waterproof jacket & trousers
- Warm jacket/fleece
- Woolly/fleece hat and gloves if appropriate
- Water bottle
- Packed lunch if required