



**Greater Manchester East County Scout Council**

**Camp Site Services Badge Training Weekend**



**Dates:** 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> February 2017  
**Start time:** 7:30pm.

**Venue:** Linnet Clough Scout Camp, Gibb Lane, Mellor, Cheshire SK6 5NB  
**Tel. No. 0161 427 1688 Email: linnetcloughcamp@aol.com**

This is a camp based training weekend so you will need to bring a tent with you. All meals, drinks and eating utensils will be provided. All requirements of the Camp Site Services badge will be covered during this weekend.

This weekend is open to all Scouts with the permission of their Scout Leader and Parent/Guardian. A completed 'Health Form' and permission to shoot form should be completed and brought with you. For a copy of the forms see the download section of our county website: <http://www.gmescouts.org.uk>

**Cost:** £15 per person including all meals, drinks, handouts, camp fees and badge

If you wish to attend please complete and return the Booking Form below to:  
The Manager, Linnet Clough Scout Camp, Gibb Lane, Mellor, Cheshire SK6 5NB enclosing the weekend fee of £15. All cheques to be made payable to GMECSC. Closing date for bookings: A.S.A.P

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**BOOKING FORM**

**(To be sent to Linnet Clough Scout Camp at the address above together with the Weekend Course fee of £15)**

**Name:** .....

**Address:**.....

..... **Post Code**.....

**Tel. No**..... **EMAIL Address**.....

**Group:** ..... **District**.....

**Scout or Explorer ?**

**Special dietary/ health provision requirements**.....

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I give permission for the above named to attend the Campsite Services Badge Training Weekend

I enclose the Weekend Course fee of £15

Signed..... Parent/ Guardian

Signed..... Scout Leader

Scout Leader Name:..... Home Contact.....

Address..... Address.....

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Post Code ..... Post Code.....

Scout Leader Tel. No..... Tel. No ..... Mobile.....

EMAIL Address.....



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## CAMPSITE SERVICE BADGE



Complete the requirements below:

1. Hold the Camper badge
2. Have worked for at least five days at a permanent District, County/Area or National Scout Campsite or similar Activity Centre, helping the Warden or Manager to their satisfaction.
3. Explain and where possible demonstrate the maintenance required for some campsite equipment.
4. Explain and where possible demonstrate four of the following:
  - a. The reasons for having clean toilets
  - b. How to unblock a drain
  - c. Prevention of frozen pipes and the steps to be taken when over ground pipes burst or leak
  - d. The need for good site drainage and clear ditches
  - e. Refuse disposal, including how to maximise the retention of recyclable materials
  - f. Respect for wildlife, balancing the requirements of camps
  - g. The use of computers in campsite management
  - h. Other important tasks as identified by the Warden or manager
5. Become familiar with an activity run on site. Explain the use and maintenance of equipment used for that activity.
6. Demonstrate an ability to competently use three items of equipment appropriate to your role.

Discuss developments and improvements you would like to see at a permanent campsite with which you are familiar.



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## Activity Centre Service Activity Badge



Complete the requirements below:

1. Hold the Explorer Scout Scouting Skills Badge.
2. Work for at least 10 days (on at least two different occasions) at a Group, District, County, Area or National Scout Activity Centre or campsite, helping the warden or manager to their satisfaction.
3. Explain and where possible demonstrate the maintenance required for some key campsite equipment.
4. Explain and where possible demonstrate four of the following:
  - the importance of having clean toilets for health and to maintain a good image of the site
  - knowledge of chemicals used and how to work with them safely
  - how to unblock a drain
  - how to prevent blockages
  - how to prevent pipes freezing during the winter and the steps to be taken when pipes burst
  - the need for good site drainage and keeping ditches clear
  - refuse disposal and how this can be operated to maximise the retention of recyclable materials
  - respect for wildlife but balancing the requirements of campers
  - use of computers in campsite management
5. Become familiar with an onsite activity and explain the use and maintenance of equipment used.
6. Demonstrate the ability to use the equipment appropriate to your role.
7. Discuss some developments and improvements to a known permanent campsite.