



LEADERS INFORMATION

POACHER 2022 – www.poacher.org.uk

This letter is for section leaders to help you answer any questions from parents, and what we need from you to make sure that this event can take place.

Poacher 2022 is open to all members born between 30th July 2004 and 30th July 2012. The cost will be £250 for Scouts and Explorers. A breakdown of this cost is £180 (including deposit) which goes to Poacher. This includes all camp fees and activities, then £50 for food and catering costs, and £20 for miscellaneous costs including travel and insurance.

There are opportunities for Adults at Poacher events, priority on all on-site activities obviously going to the Scouts, Explorers, and Guides in attendance. There are leader challenges to complete through the week, social events, and some opportunities to join some of the offsite activities. Poacher will also have a team running training modules and will be able to validate training on your PLP's.

Poacher for Leaders is a cost of £45. £25 to Poacher for camp fees and the Leaders program, and £20 for miscellaneous costs including travel and insurance. Please use the same booking form to book leaders.

There are other options for Explorers/Young Leaders to attend Poacher if they want to. They can apply to work on staff, either full time or half on activities or half as staff. **For these options they need to apply directly to Poacher and will not be as part of the district contingent, details are on the Poacher website.**

*Any young leaders wanting to attend as part of the district contingent will need to attend as either as leaders or as Explorers. As leaders they would pay just £45, but they will **not** be counted as adults on the ratio. Young leaders in that role will only be able to take part in the adult program as much as they are allowed due to age restrictions. If places are becoming limited, priority will have to be given to Explorers doing the activity plan.*

The Hull district Poacher 2022 contingent is a district led event but will only be able to happen with enough adult support from across the city. We will need to ensure that our child-Leader ratios are compliant, so we ask that all groups which have Scouts and Explorers taking part are able to have adults come along to Poacher 2022. We fully understand that not every volunteer is able to commit to a 7-day event, and as this event is so close to Hull it will be easy for us to have Leaders come for part of the week and swap with others part way through.

As part of this, we will need all groups to ensure that for every 12 Scouts/Explorers attending from that group that there is at least one adult each day for the duration of Poacher 2022. The total cost for adults attending Poacher will be £45. If any adults are splitting the week, then groups need to split the cost between them. Only 1 deposit is needed if the week is being split, please make a note that it is split attendance on the booking form.

Over the summer, the district team will run a presentation (either online or in person - to be confirmed) for section leaders about this event. More information about this will follow.

If you would like someone from the district team to come and see you and your section about this event, please send the enquiry to the district Poacher email address below.

Payments from groups paid by cheque to 'City of Hull District Scouts'. Bacs details available on request.

Please direct all enquiries and questions for Poacher 2022 to the district email;
poacher2022@hullscouts.org.uk