



### Wednesday 22nd – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2020





The North Pennines Activity Centre, Barhaugh Hall, stands in 9 acres of

grounds and is set amongst the rolling hills of the North Pennines. The centre is

just north of Alston, in an area designated of 'outstanding natural beauty'.







#### 11) Suggested Clothing List

There is no need to go out and buy anything special for a trip to Robinwood, all specialist equipment is provided for our on-centre activities.

The clothing list given includes clothing being worn on the journey, so for example assuming you are wearing socks and underwear on your journey to Robinwood, you only need to pack 5 pairs of each!

- 3 T-shirts (not vest type)
- 3 Sweatshirts/(long sleeved) tops
- 3 Pairs of trousers
- 2 Pairs of shorts (mid thigh or longer for harness comfort)
- 6 Sets of underwear
- 6 Pairs of socks
- 1 Pair of trainers
- 1 Pair of outdoor shoes/boots
- 2 Towels
- 1 Coat (ideally waterproof, required for walk to and from centre)
- 1 Warm hat/sun hat
- 1 Pair of gloves
- 1 Set of nightwear
- 1 Bag of toiletries (including suntan lotion/insect repellent in warm weather)
- 1 Black bin liner

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR CHILD IS DRESSED APPROPRIATELY WITH SUITABLE FOOTWEAR FOR AN INITIAL WALK TO THE CENTRE/INITIAL ACTIVITY (APPROX 1-2 MILES DEPENDING UPON CENTRE)

clothing

orm and also provide a laundry facility for children's clothing at Robinwood. Wet and/or dirty clothing a 30 degree cycle and dried in a tumble drier. Please do not bring any new or expensive items, or annot be tumble dried. Please note that for water activities on the last day we cannot always offer

e provision of specialist Robinwood clothing and the laundry facility offered, children do not need to original clothing with them. Keeping the clothing brought by children to a minimum helps us to reduce lost

to **characteristic** the activities it is possible that clothes may occasionally get damaged. All clothing should be ble for use in an outdoor, and often muddy, environment. Old clothes are best, not new or expensive clothing. All personal details are taken into consideration. Robinwood staff are first aid trained and have all the appropriate qualifications for all the activities the children undertake.

School:	Langley Firs	t School			
Course Dates:	25-Jan-17			Activity Centre:	Barhaugh Hall, Alston
Name of child:			-	-	f Birth:
Hobbies / Interests:					
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No time to be homesick...





# Crate Challenge



# Climbing





## **Sleeping arrangements**

• After Christmas we are informed of the dormitories we have been allocated

• Dormitories are heated, have toilets and call buttons for emergencies

• There are separate dormitories for boys and girls

- Dormitories sleep 6 12 children in bunk beds
- •All the bedding is provided
- Night shift on duty throughout and in constant contact with group leader

# Food

- •Variety of food on offer
- •Breakfast normal toast and cereal
- Lunch choice of sandwiches
- •Evening meal choice 2 3 options
- •Cater for dietary requirements
- •Able to get pieces of fruit and drinks of juice / water throughout the day as and when needed
- •Tuck shop on one day of the stay where can buy sweets / pop / souvenirs etc.

Do we split the classes up?

Should I bring my travel sickness tablets?

Are we going in our normal clothes?

I'm afraid of the dark!

Will we be with our friends?

What will we be eating? / I might not like the food.

Are all the girls in one room?



How many people are sleeping in the same room?

The Piranha Pool

I am scared of heights

Will we go on a zipwire?

Can you bring sweets in your suitcase?

Can you take a teddy?

Are you allowed to not go if you are frightened? If there is **anything** that is concerning you or your child about the trip, please talk to us so that we can put everyone's minds at rest

Please let us know of anything you think may affect your child when they are away from home

Please complete and return the personal information form when it is sent home as soon as possible and put everything on that is requested especially the water sports section

A final request...

Please, if your child has never slept out / been away from yourselves overnight, try and do this before the trip.

