



Dear Parents

## Application to Join our Scout Group Waiting List

You have expressed an interest in your child joining our Scout Group.

The core age ranges in Scouting are: Beaver Colony (6-8 year old), the Cub Pack (8-10 ½) and the Scout Troop (10 ½-14). Our Scouts then join a District Explorer Scout Unit (14-18) - many joining the "Trogz" Unit at Wesham - and, in addition, some also help us as Young Leaders (14-18). We are able to take Beavers at 5 years 9 months.

In order to ensure the maximum flexibility in the activities that we can offer your child and the support that parents can provide, it is a Group requirement for your child joining our Scout Group that you are willing to accept the following conditions:

- That you are prepared to offer occasional help to the Scout Group at events, if asked, given reasonable notice.
- That Leaders at Scout events may take photographs and video of activities showing your child, for use only at Scout meetings or for publicity purposes.
- That you pay 6 subscriptions of £18 during the year, at the start of every half term - £108 total per year.
- Failure to pay within one month of the subscription being due, or your child being absent for three consecutive weeks without explanation, will be taken as termination of your child's membership of the Scout Group and their place will be offered to someone else.
- When a place becomes available for your child, you complete a more detailed "Registration of Scout Group Members" form and, if you are an eligible UK tax payer, a "Gift Aid Declaration" allowing the Group to collect Gift Aid on subscriptions and any donations.

These conditions enable us all – both Leaders and parents - to offer your child the fullest range of supervised activities and, above all, the most fun in their Scouting life.

If you are happy to accept these conditions could you please complete the details on the attached form and post to the address at the foot of the page. We will then confirm that your child has been added to the waiting list and we will contact you if and when a place becomes available.

Please note that we cannot guarantee that a place will become available owing to the ages of existing members and those waiting to join. We will, however, do all we can to enable as many children to join as possible.



### 2<sup>nd</sup> Kirkham (St Michael's) Scout Group

Contact: c/o 60 Dowbridge, Kirkham PR4 2YL

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I accept the entry conditions specified to enable my child to join the 2<sup>nd</sup> Kirkham Scout Group and would like my child's name to be added to the Group's waiting list.

Child's name .....

Date of Birth .....

Address .....

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Postcode .....

Signed .....

Your name .....

(Please Print in BLOCK CAPITALS, your FULL name)

Telephone .....

E-mail Address .....

(if you wish to receive confirmation by e-mail - please ensure any 'dots' are clear)

Date .....