



Nowhurst Information Pack



Welcome to Nowhurst

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Nowhurst Lane

Guildford Road

Broadbridge Heath

West Sussex

RH12 3PJ

O/S Grid Reference Sheet 187- 135 324



Directions

From A24 (North or South bound) follow directions for Guildford (A281) Go past Rapkyns Care Village, when you reach Nowhurst Lane, turn left into the lane. (If you reach Farlington School you have gone too far!)

From the West on A281 go past Farlington School and turn right into Nowhurst Lane. Go up Nowhurst Lane and turn left into the entrance to Nowhurst Campsite car park.

SITES

There are three unequipped sites at Nowhurst, situated in fourteen acres of beautiful Sussex woodland. Each site has a large solid Shelter with some chairs and tables available, a permanent covered fireplace, a mains water standpipe and a campfire circle. There is ample wood to be found in the woods and gadget wood may be carefully cut.

A freezer is available for use by all sites, it is situated beside the hut on Pond Site.

POND SITE

This site has 4 flush toilets (toilet tissue, towels and soap are not provided) There is also a 3 cubicle wash shelter. Electric light is available in the hut and toilets, the hut also has electric power with a kettle, fridge, freezer and cooker. (The fuel cost is included in the site fees)

Recommended maximum number of campers is 48

Fees

Guiding members

- £6 per person per night
- £28 per half-day
- £16.50 evening use

Outside hire (including Cubs and Scouts)

- £80 per day
- +£7 per person per night (in addition to day rate)



STUMPS SITE

This site has 3 flush toilets one of which has disabled access (toilet tissue, towels, soap and rubbish bins are not provided) There is also a 3 cubicle wash shelter. A lat pit is already dug. Solar powered lighting is available in the toilets and the hut

Recommended maximum number of campers is 36

Fees

Guiding members

- £5.50 per person per night
- £22 per half-day
- £16.50 evening use

Outside hire (including Cubs and Scouts)

- £66 per day
- +£7 per person per night (in addition to day rate)



SPIDER SITE

This site has 4 flush toilets (toilet tissue, towels, soap and rubbish bins are not provided) There is also a 4 cubicle wash shelter. A lat pit is already dug. Solar powered lighting is available in the toilets and the hut

Recommended maximum number of campers is 40

Fees

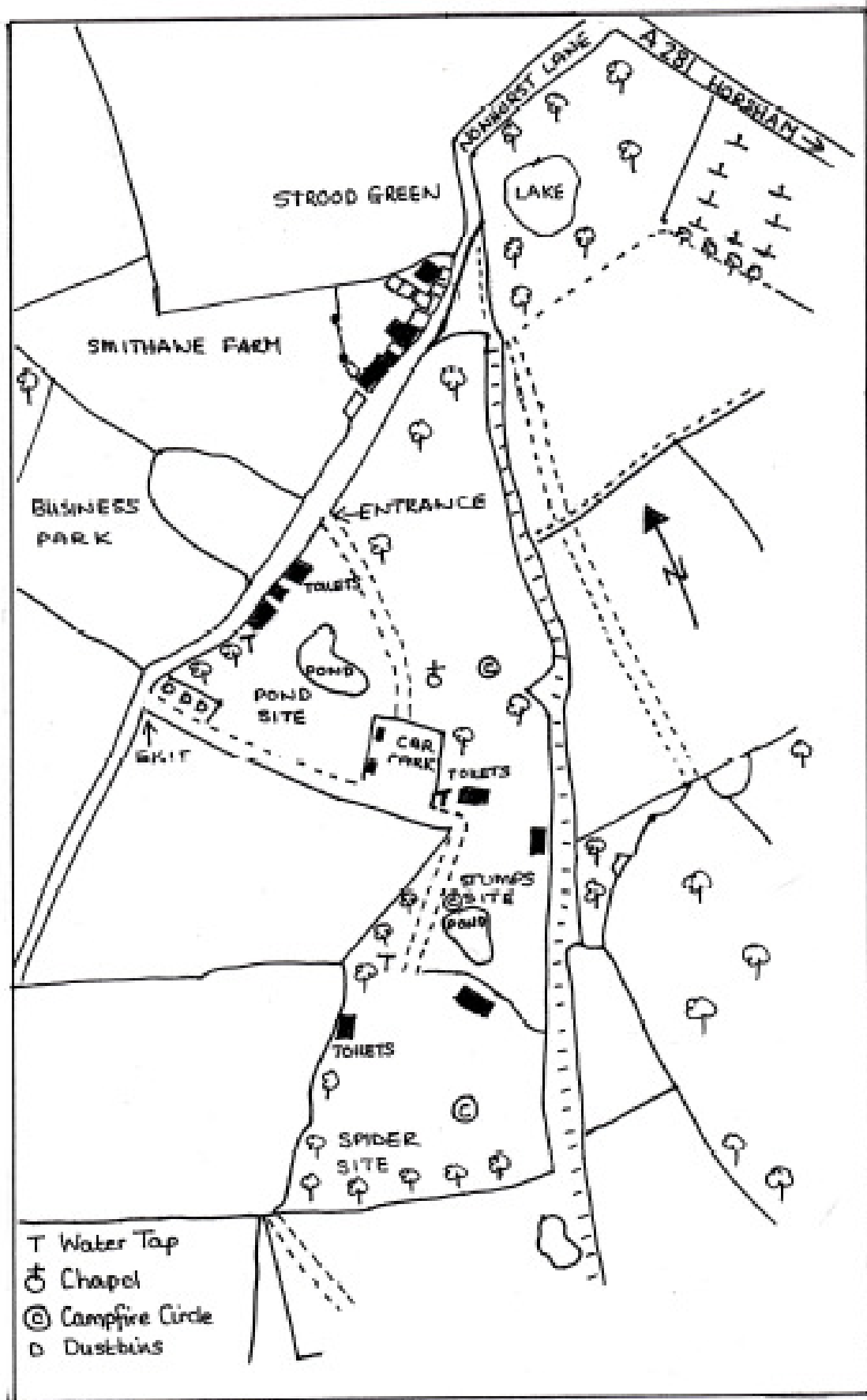
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- £16.50 evening use



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- £66 per day
- +£7 per person per night (in addition to day rate)



GENERAL SITE INFORMATION

You are welcome on your site after 1pm on the day of arrival and it is requested that you leave by 12pm on departure day (Special arrangements will be made for weekend camps)

We ask for your co-operation with the following:

- **NO VEHICLES MAY BE DRIVEN ONTO THE SITES** except for one leader's car which may remain on Pond or Stump site or in Spider car park during the camp for emergency use. Please make sure all your drivers are aware of this rule.
- The lane is privately owned with residents so please drive slowly.
- A speed limit of 5MPH applies to all vehicles on site
- Ensure parents follow traffic instructions
- Two trolleys are available (beside the garage in the car park) to push your equipment from the car park to your site. Please return immediately after use for others to use. Please **DO NOT** allow any children to ride on the trolleys
- **All** fires except in the designated campfire sites must be altar fires with a bucket of water to hand for emergencies
- Please **do not** move the log seating around the camp fire circles
- At the beginning of the camp please draw off two buckets of water to clear any stale water in the pipes, this could be used for your emergency fire precaution. Please turn off taps after use as our water is metered. **Do not** tip wastewater, grease, oil or food down the drains
- Please empty any chemical toilets into the pits and cover with soil and the lid. **No** chemical toilet fluid is to be emptied into the toilet blocks (chemical toilets and fluids are not supplied)
- Please dispose of all hygiene products appropriately, **do not** flush these or wet wipes down the toilets
- Refuse disposal- ashes may be put in the lat pits to use as cover soil but nothing else please. Food scraps and cartons etc. should be burned. All tins should be burned and bashed or washed and squashed and placed in the blue topped recycling bin. Washed and squashed plastic bottles and glass jars and bottles should also be placed in the recycling bin
- Please leave woodpiles well stacked and place any unwanted gadget wood neatly on the piles
- **No** late noise please- ensure that your group is on its own site and quiet by 11pm each night
- Dogs will be allowed on site with prior permission from the site chairman

SITE SAFETY RULES

Traffic

A speed limit of 5MPH applies to all vehicles on site

The site operates a one way system, entrance gate is the first one to the campsite

To avoid traffic congestion in Nowhurst Lane please ensure parents follow the following:

- Ask families to share transport to/from the site in order to keep traffic movements to a minimum
- When reaching the car park please wait until everyone has arrived before leaving site by the exit gate (leaders to advise)
- At the junction of Nowhurst Lane and the main A281 please turn left and then round the small roundabout at the entrance to Farlington School to return to Horsham. Please **DO NOT** turn right out of Nowhurst Lane

Fire procedure

All fires except in the designated campfire sites must be altar fires

With all fires please ensure you have a fire bucket ready and are as vigilant as possible when using fires and putting them out

If a fire gets out of hand

- Do not take any risks
- Get everyone away from the area and go to the meeting point of the car park
- If it is safe to do so, try to put the fire out
- Call the fire brigade

Out of bounds

Both the pond areas are **OUT OF BOUNDS** unless doing an adult supervised activity

ACTIVITIES ON SITE

SOUVENIR SHOP

The shop is held in a caravan in the car park (open Tuesday evenings 7.30-9pm or upon request) Nowhurst badges are on sale as well as many other items.

EQUIPMENT FOR HIRE

- Parachute games silk and instructions for use
- Pioneering equipment (with full instructions) to make
 - Rope Ladder
 - Swing Bridge
 - Monkey Bridge
 - “A” frame transporter

All equipment will be hired for the periods:

- Saturday to Tuesday
- Tuesday to Saturday

Rate £5 per item per session. The equipment will be stored under the garage lean-to in the car park for you to collect from and return to. Please make sure the rope is neatly coiled ready for the next group to use



ACTIVITIES OFF SITE

Horse riding

Vale Stud Riding School Dorking Road Kingsfold RH12 3SA 01306 627023

<http://www.valestudridingschool.co.uk>

Horsham

Horsham is a medium sized market town dating from Saxon times and has a good variety of shops including some undercover in Swan Walk.

One of the oldest parts of the town is Causeway with the parish church of St Mary's parts of which are Norman and a lot of centuries old houses.

Horsham Museum is also situated here and is well worth a visit

Monday-Friday 10am to 5pm Free admission <https://www.horshammuseum.org>

Horsham Park is a large park with a children's play area and The Pavilions in the Park which includes a swimming pool and a soft play area

The Capitol Theatre is a multi-purpose arts venue in North St, Horsham RH12 1RG

<http://www.thecapitolhorsham.com/>

Southwater Country Park

Open every day 8am until dusk. Parking charges apply

This 90 acre site has level surfaced paths which provide an easy-going lakeside walk. It offers a selection of outdoor activities including an adventure-style play area, orienteering course, tuition in canoeing and sailing. The 'Dinosaur Island' adventure play area, has dinosaur bones to discover in the sand, aerial walkways, jungle swings and a climbing volcano all set within a prehistoric swamp landscape.

The park also includes a beautiful wildlife area 'The Quarry', which is managed for nature conservation and supports wildlife such as lizards, kingfishers, nightingales and various butterflies and dragonflies.

<http://www.horsham.gov.uk/parks-and-countryside/southwater-country-park/find-southwater-country-park>

Swimming

Pavilions in the Park Hurst Road, Horsham, RH12 2DF

Main pool, leisure waters

<http://www.placesleisure.org/centres/the-pavilions-in-the-park/>

Ten-pin bowling

The Rec 2 Albion Way, Horsham RH12 1AU 01403 274642

<https://therec.io/ten-pin-bowling-in-horsham>

Warnham Nature Reserve

Warnham Road, Horsham, West Sussex, RH12 2RA

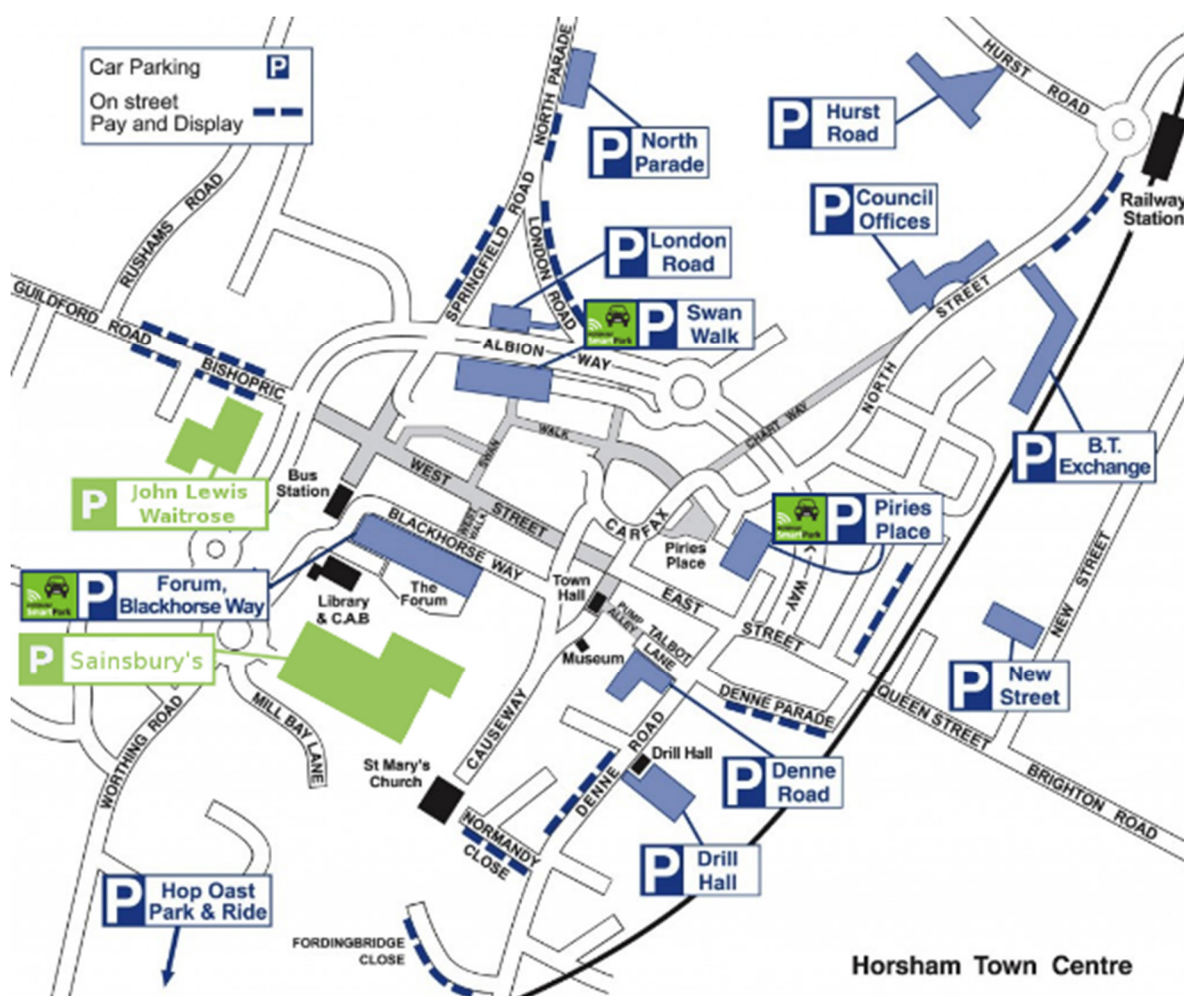
<https://www.horsham.gov.uk/parksandcountryside/parks-and-countryside/parks-and-countryside-sites/warnham-nature-reserve>

Water activities

Southwater Water Sports Southwater Country Park RH13 9UN 01403 734424

<http://www.southwatersports.co.uk>

HORSHAM TOWN CENTRE MAP



SHOPS

Tesco Superstore Wickhurst Lane Broadbridge Heath RH12 3YU

Petrol station & pharmacy

Open: Monday to Friday 6am to midnight, Saturday 6.00 till 22.00, Sunday 10.00-16.00

Tesco will deliver to site or you can click and collect from store

Sainsbury Superstore Worthing Road Horsham RH12 1SQ

Petrol station & pharmacy

Open: Monday to Saturday 07.00-21.00, Sunday 10.00-16.00

Waitrose Albion Way, Horsham RH12 1AJ

Open: Monday to Saturday 07.30-21.00, Sunday 10.30-16.30

LOCAL COACH COMPANIES

Arun Coaches	07768 595959	http://www.aruncoaches.co.uk
Hardings Coaches	01737 842103	http://www.minibushiresurrey.com
Worthing Coaches	01903 505805	http://www.worthing-coaches.co.uk
Sussex Coaches	01403 741976	http://www.sussex-coaches.co.uk

LOCAL CHURCHES

Church of England	St Peter's Church	Slinfold	RH13 0RR
	St John's Church	Broadbridge Heath	RH12 3LD
Catholic	St John the Evangelist	Horsham	RH12 2PJ
Methodist	London Road Methodist	Horsham	RH12 1AN
Baptist	Brighton Road Baptist	Horsham	RH13 5BD
URC		Horsham	RH12 1PT

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Call 111

If you're not sure which NHS service you need, call 111. An adviser will ask you questions to assess your symptoms and then give you the advice you need, or direct you straightaway to the best service for you in your area.

Emergency Department 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

East Surrey Hospital

Canada Ave,

Redhill

Surrey

RH1 5RH

Urgent Care Centre 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Crawley Hospital

W Green Drive

Crawley

West Sussex

RH11 7DH

Minor Injuries Unit 9am-5pm Monday to Friday

Horsham Hospital

Hurst Road

Horsham

RH12 2DR

Emergency dental treatment

Appointment only at Crawley Hospital Tel: 01293 518541

Weekday evenings: Appointment line live between 5.30pm - 10.00pm /
Appointment slots are between 6.30pm - 9.00pm

Weekends and Bank Holidays: Appointment line live between 8.30am - 1.00pm /
Appointment slots are between 9.30am - 12.00pm

AT THE END OF YOUR STAY

Please ensure you leave the site and all equipment as you would wish to find it

Make sure that you:

- Perform a litter sweep across your site and ensure that the site is left clean and tidy
- Place your recycling in the blue topped bin (if this is full please take it home with you)
- Remove all food, food waste and rubbish from your site
- Dispose of any remaining ashes in the lat pits
- Please leave woodpiles well stacked
- Ensure that the toilets (if used) are cleaned and FLUSHED
- Ensure that all lights are turned off in the huts and the toilet blocks
- If solid shelter has been used, please sweep and leave clean and tidy
- Ensure that all taps have been turned off in toilet blocks and at standpipes
- Ensure that both gates are padlocked
- Report any damage to Margaret Dines on return of keys

**We hope you enjoy your stay at Nowhurst and we welcome any
feedback**

BOOKINGS

Bookings to:

Mrs Margaret Dines

3 Fairview

Horsham

West Sussex

RH12 2PY

01403 266993

maggiedines@hotmail.co.uk

Please complete the booking form attached with all the appropriate details and enclose a S.A.E

Please make cheques payable to:

Horsham Guide Campsite Management Committee

REN forms: please submit to

Lorraine Vinall

36 Guildford Road

Horsham

RH12 1LS

lemvinall@aol.com

Emergency contact

John Leadbeater (Camp site chairman)

01403 253099 or 07973913437.