



Brecknock Scouts Ty-Hir Activity Centre - Black Mountains

Located in the unspoilt and picturesque Grwyne Fawr (Valley of the Grwyne), the area around Ty-Hir is completely unspoilt Black Mountains of South Wales. The hostel comprises a pair of converted semi detached stone built houses with sleeping accommodation for forty six on the first floor. The ground floor accommodation includes kitchens and mess rooms. The five acres of camping ground are adjacent to the Grwyne (stream) and Mynydd Dwu forest. An ideal location for a Cub Scout Pack holiday or Scout camp.

The cottages are available for use by Scouts and Guides, throughout the year. Camping is normally only permitted during the season Easter to October.

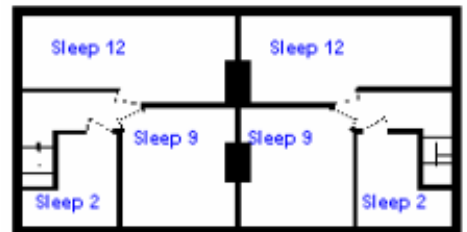
Ty-Hir consists of a pair of semi-detached cottages, Glan yr Afon (*Welsh-Riverside*) and Ger y Ffordd (*Welsh-Roadside*) with five acres of grassland for camping, toilet block, drying rooms and washrooms. Each cottage will sleep a maximum of twenty-three in the three bedrooms, see plan. The bunk beds are of wooden construction, no mattresses are provided, please bring your own roll mats and sleeping bags. The kitchens are equipped with gas cookers, refrigerators and water heaters; you should bring your own cooking pans and plates knives and forks etc. The mess rooms have electric heaters and all rooms have electric light. Each of the two camping areas will accommodate up to forty campers with six patrol size sleeping tents. There are two fields;

the first is to the south of the cottages, the second is to the north. Wood fires are permitted in the camping field and there is plenty of fallen timber available locally. There is an area set aside for a campfire. Additional hike ampers can be accommodated; it will be expected that these hike campers will not camp on the flat areas but on the elevated area between the cottages and the road. The water supply to the toilet blocks is turned off during the period November to Easter, to prevent it freezing, please do not turn it on and only use the toilets in the house during this period.

A Payphone is installed - 01873 890393 - **THE COIN BOX IS EMPTIED EVERY WEEKEND AND PHONE REMOVED WHEN HOUSE EMPTY.**



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Ger y Ffordd Glan yr Afon



As you will see from the above description, Ty-Hir is basic accommodation and you will need to bring your own; Sleeping bag, and carry mat / thermo-rest as the bunk bases are hard ! There is also no crockery or cutlery at the centre so you will need to bring a plate, bowl, knife fork and spoon – if you want to eat !

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