

International Deaf Camp for Deaf Scouts, Guides and Leaders. Larch Hill International Scout and Guide Campsite, Dublin 16



31st July to 9th August 2006

Ireland Deaf Camp will possible the biggest Scouting and Guiding Event in Ireland for 1st time for the Deaf community. It is ten actions – packed days of new challenges and new friends from 31st July to 9th August 2006 at Larch Hill International Campsite, Ireland.

(Larch Hill is the National Campsite and Training Centre of Scouting Ireland. Situated in the picturesque valley between Kilmashogue and Tibbradden Mountains in Dun Laoghaire Rathdown, and only 7 miles from the centre of Dublin City, the campsite has lots to offer Beaver Scouts, Cub Scouts, Scouts, Venturers and Leaders alike. Larch Hill is also situated near the start of the Wicklow Way and is an ideal base for hiking)

With participants interesting in registering for International Deaf Camp, the event promises to be the experience of a lifetime for Deaf Scouts, Guides and leaders from all apart of countries.

The Ireland Deaf Camp aims to thrill you, challenge you, and get you going:

It all starts with an amazing **Opening Ceremony** with all Deaf Scouts, Guides and leaders together using International Sign Language.

Your Troop, Groups or Contingent will be camping together into one area, - living next to Deaf Scouts, Guides and leaders from different countries, cultures and backgrounds.

Then the activities start.

- **Dublin's Viking Adventure** allows you to experience, in an exciting and interactive way, the sights, smells and sounds of Dyflin. Dyflin, the former Viking village, built one thousand years ago, laid the foundations for Dublin as we know it today. Visitors travel on a Viking trade ship through stormy seas, rain and wind to arrive at Dublin Docks as they were over ten centuries ago.
- **Dublin Castle** is located in the centre of historic Dublin. Situated close to the junction of the River Liffey and the Poddle, it is thought that the area was once an ancient Gaelic Ring Fort, and subsequently a Viking Fortress. The South Range is home to the stunning State Apartments.

And there's more...

- **Plenty of indoor Swimming**
- **Night hiking and survival**
- **Day outing hiking to Wicklow**, the garden of Ireland, is a natural scenic wonderland, a landscape rich in breathtaking scenery. There are long sandy beaches which stretch enticingly along the length of the east coast. Wicklow is also a land of majestic mountains and spectacular valleys like Glenmalure, Glencree, Glenmacnass and the magnificent Glen of Imaal. But famous worldwide is the beautiful Glendalough, the valley of the two lakes, a monastic settlement built in the 6th century and still exuding a sense of peace and tranquility.
- **Dublin Bus Sightseeing Tour** - Hop on any red open top bus and our friendly award winning staff will ensure that you leave Dublin with the fondest of memories.
Explore Ireland's capital city at your leisure with your 24hr valid City Sightseeing ticket. With over 20 stops at Dublin's most popular visitor attractions and departures every 15 minutes there is no better way to experience this trendy European capital city.
- **Choice Zones** provide you with areas around the Larch Hill campsite to chill out, meet new friends, and try out a range of activities such as archery, abseiling, rock climbing and a lot of more.

Finally, the **Closing Ceremony** is the place for memories, of adventure, friends, and Ireland Deaf Scout Camp.

Programme Outline

Here's the latest plan for the Ireland Deaf Camp programme outline:

Date	Daytime Activity	Evening Events
Monday 31 st July 2006	Arrival	Arrival
Tuesday 1 st August 2006	Set up camp	Opening Ceremony
Wednesday 2 nd August 2006	Programme activities	Food Festival
Thursday 3 rd August 2006	Programme activities	Street Party
Friday 4 th August 2006	Programme activities	camp evening
Saturday 5 th August 2006	Celebrate Europe	Celebrate Europe party
Sunday 6 th August 2006	Programme activities	camp evening
Monday 7 th August 2006	Programme activities	Theatre Land
Tuesday 8 th August 2006	Programme activities	Traditional Entertainment
Wednesday 9 th August 2006	Pack up camp	Closing Ceremony
Thursday 10 th August 2006	Departure	

Programme Activities

The programme activities are run on a rotating basis – everybody gets the chance to take part in everything, just on different days and in a different order. Here's the latest plan for the Ireland Deaf Camp activities:

Programme Activity	Duration	Location
Viking Adventure tour	1 day	Off-site
Indoor Swimming Pool	3 days (6 x ½ day)	Off-site
Dublin Bus Sightseeing tour	1 day	Off-site
Day outing hiking to Wicklow	1 day	Off-site
Choice Zones	1½ days	On-site

International Camp Registration fee for Ireland Deaf Camp attendees includes*:

- Attendance Larch Hill campsite fee
- Neckerchief / Polo - shirts with logo
- Participation at the Opening & Closing Ceremony
- Participating into ten days programme activities and tour

*Subject to change without notice

Registration (1 March 2005 – 31 March 2006)	€200 EURO
Late Registration Fee (31 March 2006 – 15 July 2006)	€250 EURO

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