

T.S. GANGES

NATIONAL SEA CADET TRAINING CENTRE, HOLYHEAD BOATING STATION,
NEWRY BEACH, HOLYHEAD, ISLE OF ANGLESEY, LL65 1YB
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CHESTERFIELD SEA CADET UNIT VISIT TO HOLYHEAD, TS GANGES

Saturday, 15th to Saturday, 22nd August 2009

SCTC Holyhead (TS GANGES) is based on the sea front at Holyhead, the largest town of Anglesey in North Wales. Holyhead is located on Holy Island. At TS GANGES personal development and new experiences is what the centre is all about. It is perfectly located for outdoor adventures both off and on the water!

The centre is staffed by 6 experienced RYA instructors/senior instructors in fields including first aid, sailing and power boating. It provides instruction in a wide range of water based courses with nationally recognised qualifications. There are a wide range of crafts such as Toppers, Picos, ASC's, 32ft Keelboats, Bosuns, 27ft whalers, 24ft Chevertons and rigid inflatables.

Other outdoor pursuits that we will participate in will include walking, beach games and bushcraft skills.

Courses are residential with food and equipment, like buoyancy aids and spray suits provided.

Costs:

£100	1 Week at TS Ganges, including accommodation and food.
£13	Sailing log book (for those wishing to sail that do NOT already have a log)
£7	Powerboat log book (for those wishing to do powerboating that do NOT already have a log book)

Departure Saturday 15th August
Meet at 11:00hrs at Chesterfield Sea Cadet Unit to leave by 11:30hrs
Bring a packed lunch

Return Saturday 22nd August.
Approximate time of arrival will be 16:00hrs

Dear Parent/Guardian

If you would like your child to accompany the Unit to TS GANGES please return the attached T1 [Consent Form] with a £10 deposit to the Unit as soon as possible.

A payment card will be given to your child to record the outstanding balance, this must be produced each time a payment is made. The balance will need to be paid by no later than Thursday, 6th August, 2009.

TO HELP WITH ADMINISTRATION PLEASE SEND PAYMENTS BY CHEQUE MADE
PAYABLE TO "CHESTERFIELD SEA CADET UNIT"

We do hope your child will be able to join us on this fun-packed week of sailing activities in a fantastic setting.

CADET KIT LIST - SEA CADET MALE AND FEMALE

All clothing must be clearly marked with the Cadet's name and Unit number [80]. The Corps does not accept liability for any loss of personal belongings. Cadets must only bring ONE suitcase, holdall, etc. plus ONE piece of hand-held luggage.

NOTE - UNIFORM IS NOT REQUIRED - Cadets must provide:-

1.	Appropriate pirate rig for a week's waterborne activities; [suitable cotton headgear is advisable, ie baseball cap to guard against strong sunlight.	
2.	Suitable Plimsolls / Trainers for Powerboat activities	
3.	Another pair of trainers for evening	
4.	Towel for use after water activities	
5.	Change of casual clothing for evenings	
6.	Changes of underclothes and socks - <i>enough for one week</i>	
7.	Nightwear	
8.	Toiletries and towel for washing NB: AEROSOLS ARE NOT ALLOWED: ROLL-ON DEODORANTS ONLY	
9.	Sun/Wind Cream is <u>strongly</u> advised	
10.	Swimming Trunks/Costume - Swim wear must be <u>appropriate</u> for mixed company	
11.	Sleeping Bag	
12.	Pillow Case	
13.	Padlock for bag	
14.	RYA and SCC Boat work Logs, [if issued.]	
15.	Notebook - Pen - Pencil	
16.	Waterproof Jacket for evenings only	
17.	Small amount of spending money £30 maximum- small denominations please.	
T S GANGES will provide Safety and waterproof spray wear		

MOBILE PHONES are permitted but remain the owner's responsibility. No responsibility is accepted for loss or damage. Mobiles will be collected and stored in a locked area and released to cadets between 1800-2100 hrs each day. If you cannot adhere to this policy phones should be left at home.

HEALTH AND SAFETY WARNING - In the interests of Cadet welfare AEROSOL cans are not permitted and will be confiscated.

SMOKING - Trent District SCC adheres to a strict NO SMOKING policy for everyone engaged on District activities.

For more information, please speak to CI Dominic Frazer.

CONTACT DETAILS FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS/NEXT OF KIN: TS GANGES: 01407 763666.

IN AN EMERGENCY: For Chesterfield Sea Cadets: CI Dominic Frazer - 07837 876225.
However these phones will be switched off throughout the day during waterborne activities.