

# Woodland Birthdays in Shining Cliff Woods

Hosted by...



## Celebrate your child's special day in the great outdoors!

Our children's birthday parties offer a magical and unforgettable experience in the heart of the woodland.

Your child and their friends will explore the beauty of nature whilst enjoying a variety of fun and exciting activities.

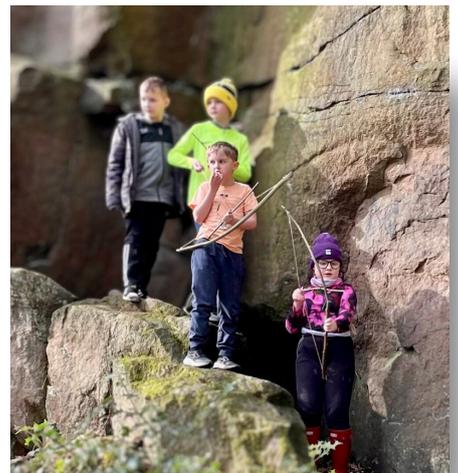
From creating fairy homes and following unicorn trails to fun games, challenges and bushcraft skills, there's something for everyone to enjoy!

Each party is designed for a maximum of 12 children.

Parents can relax in the woods whilst we take care of everything, or join in the fun too!

"My daughter had her birthday party here today and it was fantastic! Bonnie & Kate are wonderful and so full of fun and adventures. Highly recommend if you're looking for a birthday party alternative to soft play"

"My daughter recently had her birthday party with Woodland Connections. Bonnie and Kate's communication was excellent. The kids were well supervised and supported the whole time. Plenty of crafts and woodland activities, the time flew by. Lots to do whatever the weather. All the kids had a magical time, thank you."



Choose from five magical themes on the next page ...

## Wonderful Wizards

Find the wizard's lost spell book, search for the missing ingredients and make a magic wand to complete the potion.

With lots of fun and games included, the Wizarding birthday is for 5 years and over.



## Pirates and Mermaids

Ahoy there land lubbers! Come and make a mini pirate ship to sail down the stream, help us search for the mermaids treasure, but don't you be stealing my gold!

The pirate and mermaid fun and games are for 5 years and over



## Fairies and Unicorns

Make a fairy wand to help you as you follow the unicorn's trail of clues.

Create a fairy village of dens to keep them safe from the sneezy dragon!

A birthday full of magic and fun for 5 years and over.



## Into the Wild

Includes den building, free flow play, discovery and adventures in the woods. With team games and challenges and guided fire lighting skills at the campfire.

Perfect for children who love being outdoors and active! This is suitable for children 5 yrs and over.



## FIRE & WATER!

Prepare to get wet as this birthday session includes defending the trees in the Tree Guardian water spray game! Spend time exploring the stream and creating mini rafts to race.

We then head to the campfire where you can practice your fire lighting skills using natural materials and enjoy some tasty treats around the fire.

This session is for ages 8 years and over.



## Times and prices...

Once you have chosen a theme, decide how long you would like the fun to last!

- **2 hours 30 minutes - From either 10:30am - 1pm OR 2pm - 4:30 £195**

These sessions will include the fun and games as described in the themes. Feel free to bring along your own birthday picnic to enjoy after the session has ended. You may be interested in hiring the hut and firepit for your picnic (see information on hut hire)

- **3 hours 30 minutes - From 10:30am - 2pm £250**

This session will include an hour at the firepit, with hot chocolate, marshmallow toasting or popcorn popping included! You are welcome to enjoy your own birthday picnic during this time, but please inform us if you choose to do so.

## Your hosts...

Woodland Connections birthdays are organised and supervised by two members of staff.

Your birthday session may be led by either Kate or Bonnie who are both experienced and qualified level 3 Forest School leaders.



Both Kate and Bonnie are also DBS checked, outdoor first aid trained and have all relevant safety procedures in place. If you would like to discuss any of this further please get in touch.



The sessions will be supported by either Claire or Kyla.

Both are experienced in working with children and families and are DBS checked.

Rest assured that when you join us in the woods, you are in safe hands.

# FAQ's

- **Can adults stay?**

We know that you want to enjoy this special day with your child and parents are more than welcome. We also understand that some children can be very nervous about being dropped of in an unknown place or they may need a little extra support, so of course, an adult can stay with them. But we also find that children enjoy getting stuck in without grown ups there cramping their style! So, when it comes to birthdays we are very flexible and we just want everyone to have a great time. Just let us know what suits you and your group best and that's fine with us!

- **How do I pay for my booking?**

If a suitable date is available we will invoice a request for a 20% non-refundable deposit with confirmation of booking. This payment will secure your booking and payment in full should then be made 4 weeks prior to the event.

- **What if we have to cancel?**

A 20% non-refundable deposit is required to secure your booking and the remaining balance is paid 4 weeks before your booking date. If you book less than 4 weeks in advance, then full payment is required on making the booking.

We charge the following for cancellations:

- 20% if the booking is cancelled more than 4 weeks before the party date.
- 50% if the booking is cancelled 20-8 days before the party date.
- 100% if the booking is cancelled 0-7 days before the party date.

To ensure safety for all participants and leaders, a session can be cancelled or postponed at very short notice due to forecast high winds or thunderstorms.

If a suitable alternative date is not available, we will refund the full cost of the session.

- **How many can attend?**

Including the birthday child you can have a maximum of 12 children in the session (this does not include other children/siblings who might be coming along with you but not part of the party group)

- **What do we need to bring?**

When you book a birthday we will send out an information pack that you can share with those that you invite. This will include a suggested clothing list suitable to the time of year. Sturdy footwear is always a must due to the uneven and often muddy woodland paths!

You may choose to bring along a birthday picnic to enjoy after the session ends. If you are having a 3hr 30 min session we will provide hot drinks and marshmallows or popcorn at the firepit.

(See next page for separate hut hire option.)

Other than that just bring along a sense of fun and good imagination to enjoy your day and we will sort the rest!

## Optional – Book the Beech Hut...

### Why not enjoy your special day for longer by hiring the Woodland Hut?

This is a perfect place to store your belongings and picnic food until you're ready for them. Or a place to shelter if the weather takes a turn.

This will include sole use of the hut, a composting toilet and a fire pit area.

You might want to cook sausages at the firepit, or spread out your picnic on the benches or just explore the woodland further with this as an ideal base.

As you will have use of the hut from 10am until 4pm you are free to stay and enjoy the woodland after our session with you ends with the hut as your base.



The hut and compost toilet are available from 10am - 4pm for the reduced price of just £10.00\*

## Ready to book?

We're so excited that you've decided to choose a woodland birthday experience for your child. But spaces are limited, so please don't delay, get in touch to make a reservation as soon as possible.

**Contact us: [info@woodlandconnections.org](mailto:info@woodlandconnections.org)**

We look forward to helping you with your booking and making sure you have a great experience. Please let us know if you have any questions or need any assistance. We are here to help!

