

Girlguiding Hertfordshire Walking team

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Mountain Experience

Fri 15 - Sun 17 March 2024

One of the most exciting events offered by the walking team to Girlguiding and Scouting members aged 14+ is **Mountain Experience**, a residential weekend of day walks & navigation in the Peak District.



In small groups, with the help of qualified walking leaders, you'll learn to navigate and improve your skills with a map & compass. You'll likely be walking along the edge of Kinder Scout, Bamford Moor & Stanage Edge. However, if you're a returner you'll explore two new routes; White Edge Moor & Hathersage Moor.



Some participants just come for the joy of being in the hills, others use it as training for DofE or for walking qualifications and some go on to compete in the Hertfordshire Scouts Peak Assault competition; a challenging orienteering competition in a secret mountainous location!



We travel by minibus from several pick-up points and the food is fantastic (including lots of cake). We just do day walks so there are no huge back packs to lug around and we sleep in the warm, in bunks. Saturday night is yours for hot chocolate, chatting, a film, games, whatever you choose.



The cost for Rangers is being held (subsidised) at £70, the pre-Covid figure, to include all travel, food and accommodation. Note: financial assistance can be given if needed and some kit can be borrowed.

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