



FOLK CAMPS

Site information

HALL CAMP CATERED WEEK 2020

(Saturday to Saturday) at **Welbourn Village Hall, Nr Lincoln.**

| | LEADERS | MUSICIAN | WARDEN | CATERERS |
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| 8 Aug – 15 Aug | Emma Daniel Steve Porritt | Chris Jewell Ass. Jonathan Ginn | Graham Clements | Jenny Hopper Anne Guthrie |

The area

Our hall camp will be in the village hall at Welbourn which is situated just south of Lincoln. There are 2 good sized rooms in the hall, which also has showers and a children's playground.

Features of the village include St Chad's Church; an ancient monument - Castle Hill; the Beck (village pond) which is spring fed and flows into the Castle moat. As well as the Village Hall, there is a village shop, Post Office, a forge (now used for demonstrations) and a pub. On the north western boundary of the village are the remains of a Roman encampment, thought to have been a marching camp.

Site address

Folk Camps Society Ltd
c/o Welbourn Village Hall,
Beck Street, Welbourn, Lincolnshire.
LN5 0LZ

OS Map ref: SK 968 542

Coordinates N 53.0766339 S -0.5553809

How to get there

Please do not arrive until after 2pm.

Leave the A17 and follow the signs to Leadenham. Turn on to the A607 heading northwards in the middle of the village. As you reach Welbourn turn left on to Hall Lane which leads into Beck Street. After the crossroads (Little Lane and Cow Lane) the village hall will be approx. 100 m on the right.

On arrival

The camp runs from Saturday 2 pm until 10 am the following Saturday. Please check with the warden when you arrive who will advise you where to pitch and tell you when to expect a drink. The leader will arrange a camp meeting in the early evening at which staff will be introduced, safety information given out and workshops planned. It is most important that you and all your party attend the meeting.



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About Folk Camps Society Limited

Folk Camps Society is a registered charity and non-profit making organisation promoting traditional folk song, dance and music.

Our camps are informal and fun and you don't necessarily need a partner to join in. There are no strings (apart from the ones on the instruments) and the only condition is that you help with jobs that need doing to make the camp run smoothly. These will be allocated by the camp warden and cannot be "reserved" in advance.

Without everyone's co-operation folk camps could not run because there are no paid staff – everything we do is done with voluntary labour.

The staff

The camp leader is in charge of the camp's social activities, the musicians take responsibility for organising music, the wardens for domestic arrangements & the caterers oversee the kitchen and food supplies.

The site & facilities

The camping site is an attractive peaceful spot set in quiet farmland. Hot and cold water and toilet facilities including disabled access are provided. Showers, washing up and some laundry facilities are provided

What to bring with you

Your tent, campervan or caravan, personal toilet requisites, a set of cutlery and crockery per person, tea towels, a box for packed lunches and drinks container, wellies and a torch are all essential items. Please also bring a fire extinguisher or a fire bucket to keep by your tent or caravan.

Catering arrangements

Breakfast Cereal, hot dish, bread & spreads, and hot drinks.

Lunch Normally a choice of cold meats, cheese, salad etc and the option of a packed lunch if you want to head off for the day.

Evening Meal A wholesome 2 course meal plus bread and spreads and drinks.

The daily programme

Mornings are usually taken up with workshops. Afternoons are generally free for

sightseeing but more activities might be organised later on. In the evening there may be singing games and dancing for children, which will be followed by dancing and singing for everyone.

Health & Safety on site

Parents are reminded that all children under 18 remain their responsibility at all times.

Dogs must be kept on leads and under control at all times and inadvertent messes must be cleared up immediately.

There are specific areas which have added dangers on catered camp sites. These include the kitchen, washing up areas and areas around the toilets and shower areas. Great care should be taken to ensure safety in these areas.

Washing up area / showers – children under 16 are not allowed to collect water from hot water boilers. Care should be taken when water is taken from the boilers and boilers should be refilled to marked levels each time hot water is taken.

Kitchen – no under 16s allowed in the kitchen areas at any time.

There is a 5mph speed limit on the camp site. No uninsured or learner driving allowed on site at any time.

Vehicles are not allowed near the hall unless delivering or collecting materials at the warden's discretion or specifically for access for people with limited mobility. Great care should be taken when driving close to the hall and parking should be in marked bays or parallel to the side walls.

Additional safety information will be given at the camp meeting and also will be displayed on a board in the hall with site specific information.

Updates and Accuracy of information

The Folk Camps brochure and camps update information can be found at:

<http://www.folkcamps.co.uk>

While Folk Camps Society Limited endeavours to ensure the information on this sheet is correct, it reserves the right to amend, substitute or alter facilities, location or staff as necessary.