



Under the stars – 107th Pentland Scouts

We are requesting funding for a group shelter and some tarps. The group shelter is a sturdy tent which will take 6-9 scouts and will allow us to provide a secure base when wild camping on the hills. It is suitable for 4 seasons meaning we can be on the hills in any weather!!

The tarps will allow the scouts to experience the outdoors without canvas walls! They are quick to erect and have minimal impact on the environment.

We have 30 scouts at any one time all from the south west area. We would hope that this tent and tarp will last for a number of years therefore hundreds of young people will have the benefit of this experience. Allowing young people to experience the outdoors at this age will encourage youngsters to stay fit and active as they develop into adult life.



Scouts across the world are connected by the same common principles of loyalty, trust, friendship, caring for others and, above all, fun! Much of what we do in 107th Pentland Scouts is based on getting outside, whether locally on Craiglockhart Hills or the Water of Leith or camping and expeditions, which we do 10-12 times a year: from the local Pentlands to international trips.

Scouts are open to anyone aged 10-14: no matter religion, gender, race, disability or anything else. The tent and tarps will allow us to get outdoors even more often and make being a scout even more rewarding.