

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Bracknell



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## Scout Discipline System



Dear Parents,

We want Scouts to have an enjoyable and safe time when we are together at meetings and out on activities and trips. Bad behaviour can mean that many of our planned activities cannot be run as intended due to the leadership team having to deal with unnecessary behaviour, which demoralizes both the Leaders and the Scouts and can result in some scouts leaving simply because they are fed up with the behaviour of the troop.

To help with our aim to make Scouts Safe and Fun, 2<sup>nd</sup> Bracknell has a system of discipline in place for both Belfast and Victory troops.

If a Scout misbehaves they will be asked to stop. If they have to be spoken to a second time they will receive a warning. If a scout receives three warnings in a term, a letter will be sent home and they will be suspended for two weeks.

As a result of this suspension, their name will be removed from any trip they are down for and they will not be allowed on any further trips during that term. If a Scout accumulates a total of three suspensions in a year (from their first suspension) they will be asked to leave the 2<sup>nd</sup> Bracknell Scout Group.

Please note, trips between terms are considered part of the previous term (Summer camp is part of Summer Term). Any deposits paid for a trip are non-refundable unless we can fill the place.

No one expects the Scouts to behave perfectly all the time and it is appreciated that sometimes they do get carried away, but we have to keep certain behaviours to a minimum. Leaders need to know that a Scout will behave appropriately for the situation and listen to instructions, because when they are out and about on activities some of the situations are potentially dangerous. If it is felt that a Scout cannot behave in a suitable manner they will not be taken on any trips/activities.

All members are reminded that they have all made the Scout Promise (or will do) and following it will help the Leaders in running a Scout troop that is fun, exciting and enjoyable for all.

If you have any concerns about this system of discipline, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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