Please read the following useful information.

Directions:

Scammonden View is located off Lower Road at Scammonden.

The nearest postcode is HX4 0EB.

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From Barkisland/Ripponden area continue past Ringstone reservoir on Saddleworth Road then immediately after passing over Scammonden Bridge turn left into Ryefield Lane and continue down to where the road forks. Take the right fork and drive on Lower Road (please be aware that it is a narrow single-track road and please be mindful and courteous of pedestrians) and park in the small public car park (owned by Yorkshire Water) on the end which is next to Scammonden View. Alternatively, you can park on Ryefield Lane and walk on Lower Road to Scammonden View. Please do say hello to the goats as you pass, they usually love a bit of attention.

If you are coming from Outlane side be mindful that your sat nav may take you down some narrow roads. To avoid these don't turn right when it signposts Scammonden reservoir but continue on New Hey Road until you reach the junction with Saddleworth Road (car park opposite), turn right onto Saddleworth Road until you reach the motorway bridge. You need to turn right before the bridge onto Ryefield Lane and then follow the directions above.

Please be careful if you come down Church Lane instead as there are large ditches on each side of the road that are hidden by the grass verge.

Please gather in the field in front of the car park where someone will meet you and take you through to Scammonden View.

What to wear:

Whilst we are lucky enough to benefit from fabulous views here at Scammonden View that also means we are somewhat exposed to the weather. We are an outdoor venue and will not cancel sessions unless extreme weather forces us to do so, so please come dressed for the weather and for being outdoors.

In summer we would suggest layering, sun hats and sun cream but also waterproofs where rain is expected.

In the colder months wrap up warm with lots of layers, hat and gloves and again don't forget those waterproofs.

There is some shelter provided, e.g. 'The Big Den', so parties/sessions may be adapted to spent a little more time undercover when the weather is misbehaving but we are an outdoor experience and so we will try and spend as much time outside as we can.

Terrain

The terrain is uneven underfoot and the children will be running, playing and enjoying themselves so please ensure that suitable footwear is worn.

Unfortunately, the site is unsuitable for wheelchairs and prams due to the uneven ground.

Toilet facilities:

As we are 'off grid' here at Scammonden View we are restricted with the facilities that we can provide. However, we do have a portable toilet and hand washing facilities available.

Food allergies:

As we provide hot chocolate and marshmallows at every session can you please make us aware if anyone in your party has any food allergies or dietary requirements.

Biting & stinging insects:

As we are an outdoor venue there is a risk of being exposed to insect bites or stings. They usually cause only minor irritation but in rare cases can cause a serious allergic reaction. If a member of your party is aware that they have allergic reactions to bites and stings then they need to bring the relevant medication with them and you will be responsible for administering it if required.

First aid

There is both a first aid and a burns first kit on site and Chris, who runs the sessions, is first aid trained. He is also DBS checked and we have public liability insurance in place.

Data Protection

We will only collect details that are strictly necessary in order to make the booking (this includes your name and contact details for example) and to provide us with sufficient information to undertake the session and notify you of cancellation if required. This data is securely filed by ourselves and will not be passed on to any third party, unless required by law. The data we collect in this regard is only kept for the minimum period necessary by UK regulations. Should you have any questions regarding what data we keep and for which purposes, please feel free to contact us.

Cancellation

We may cancel due to extreme weather, such as high winds, where going ahead would potentially be unsafe due to the weather conditions. When this occurs, we will do our best to offer you an alternative suitable date. Where this is not possible, we will refund the fee. Unfortunately, we are unable to refund the fee if you decide to cancel for any reason.

Thanks
Lisa & Chris
Scammonden View