

# BRING YOUR UNIT TO PETTYPOOL FOR A DAY OR EVENING AND ENJOY THE BEAUTY -

Book a campsite as a base:









If you want some indoor space, you can also book:

Greenhouse Shelter



Pettypool Lodge



Whilst at Pettypool you can organise your own programme, complete the Pettypool Challenge or use the many of the onsite activities/facilities:

- Aerial runway
- Assault course
- Orienteering
- Nature trails
- Chapel

- Campfire Circle
- Bird hide
- Shelter building
- Habitat area
- Rainbow Ark

- Activity Hut
- Sports & games equipment
- Pioneering
- Fire lighting area

COME AND STAY AT PETTYPOOL: Indoors or outdoors - the choice is yours!

## **CAMPING**

A choice of 5 campsites:

BUTLER - BADGER - GREENHOUSE - WILLOW - JUBILEE GREEN

Alongside Pettypool Lodge, Jubilee Green is perfect for a small camp.



If you need an indoor space alongside your camp or visit why not consider Greenhouse Shelter or Pettypool Lodge?

Pettypool Lodge has a kitchen and large activity room which can be accessed

directly from the outside.





Willow View, Pettypool Lodge and Greenhouse Shelter can also be booked as indoor meeting and training spaces.





#### **INDOORS**

There are 2 accommodation options:

WILLOW VIEW - this is our new fully accessible building at Pettypool and is available to book from January 2023. A flexible indoor space that sleeps 6 young people and 2 adults (in separate rooms). It has a small kitchen as well as a bathroom with an amazing deck at the rear.







**THE LOOKOUT** - our amazing residential building opened in 2019 and sleeps up to 40.

- 2 leaders' ensuite bedrooms sleeping 4 in each
- 5 ensuite bedrooms for girls sleeping 6 in each (bunkbeds)
- Fully accessible bedroom and wet room for one person plus their carer
- Large activity area/dining room with bi-fold doors onto decking
- Leader's chillout room
- 3 separate toilets, including one with accessible facilities
- Catering size kitchen with commercial dishwasher





## A BRIEF HISTORY

Pettypool was officially opened on 8th April 1978. Initially, the land was rented from ICI but by the early 1980's sufficient funds were raised to purchase the land, which along with the acquisition of adjacent woodland forms the 17 acres that are owned by Girlguiding Cheshire Forest today. Guiders and volunteers worked very hard to clear the land to



create safe spaces that could be used for camping and outdoor activities. In 1980 Pettypool Lodge was opened. Further developments between 1988-93 included the toilet block, Warden's Cabin, Ranger Den, Greenhouse Shelter, Bird Hide, zip wire and campfire circle. Olave Field was cleared and the Brownie Assault course was erected.

In the years 1994-2010 the following developments were made: The Rainbow Ark, shelters on Badger and Lookout (then a campsite), activity hut, Badger

toilets, Fitness Trail, extensions to the Lodge and shop including hot water on site.

By 1993 the original Pettypool depot opened and in 2010 fundraising began for The Lookout. In 2016 a new Habitat area was created as well as a shelter building area. The Fundraising Gazebo was also put up.





On 10<sup>th</sup> October 2016 building work started on The Lookout. It opened for residentials in January 2019 and the official opening took place in October 2019 by HRH The Countess of Wessex.

Since then a new aerial runway has been installed and the Pettypool depot has moved to its current position in Pettypool Lodge in 2021 following the pandemic. 2022 has seen the rebuilding of the Ranger Den into a fully accessible building to sleep 6-8.

### How To Book:

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Have a look at the Pettypool website - <a href="www.pettypool.org">www.pettypool.org</a> There are so many options to enjoy time at Pettypool - visit for a day or evening, stay for residential or camp.

