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FIRM FOUNDATIONS



2007

WELCOME TO 'HOT OFF THE PRESS'

Providing you with news and information in the lead up to the 2007 festival, please read through this newsletter and share it with your group . . .

BOOKINGS UPDATE

Over 1000 people have booked for the weekend to date and we are filling up fast! So if there are still people in your group that would like to come then contact the FF Office. There is also the opportunity for those that might not be able to come for the whole weekend to come for a day - with full day and evening tickets available in advance from the FF Office or on the gate during the festival.

For more information ring the FF Office on 0870 092 0174.

SITE ACCESS

Access to the site will be from 1pm onwards on Friday afternoon. Please do not arrive before this time.

CONSENT FORMS

As with all BB/GB overnight events, leaders are required to use the parental consent forms. These are available from BB/GB HQ. It is not necessary to complete a Camp/Holiday Notification form for this event.

CAR PARKING

Car parking will be available locally and a minibus service will run to transport drivers back to the site. No parking is available onsite and all vehicles will have to use the off site parking provided. Information on parking will be available upon your arrival at Firm Foundations.

ARRIVAL & REGISTRATION

All vehicles and guests should report to the registration desk at the site entrance, bringing your registration confirmation with you. If you have paid your final balance, wristbands and confirmation are enclosed in the pack sent to you.

If your group is travelling in a number of separate vehicles, please ensure wristbands are distributed to each person and that drivers have a map and copy of the registration form.

Nobody will be allowed entry to the festival without a wristband, and the wristbands must be worn all weekend and will be checked (broken wristbands can be replaced at the Information Point at cost). Anyone without a wristband will be required to purchase a replacement.

In order to speed up the registration process it will be helpful to us if you have paid the balance of your fees before arrival. If you are unsure of the amount outstanding please call us on 0870 092 0174.

MEAL VOUCHERS

£4 meal vouchers will be available for group leaders to purchase for young people to use in the Oasis. These will be available from the Information Point.

PROGRAMME & PLANNER

Each group will have received a copy of the festival programme and planner in advance to give you a taste of what will be going on over the weekend and allow you to plan ahead!

On arrival at the festival there will be additional programmes available for the group and a Personal planner for everyone. Both the programme and planner are also available on the Firm Foundations website at:

www.firm-foundations.org.uk

VOLUNTEERS

We are still looking for volunteers to help in various ways during the festival, so if you would like to be part of the team contact the FF Office for more information.

FANCY DRESS

Don't forget to bring your fancy dress costumes to take part in the Fancy Dress competition in **Ignite** on Saturday evening, and the **Grease Sing-a-long** in The Plaza on Sunday afternoon.

There will be prizes for the best dressed!!!

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Why not take part in this year's FFactor competition at FF. To do so check out the website for song lists and how to sign up!

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