

# WADDECAR

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### NEW STAFF

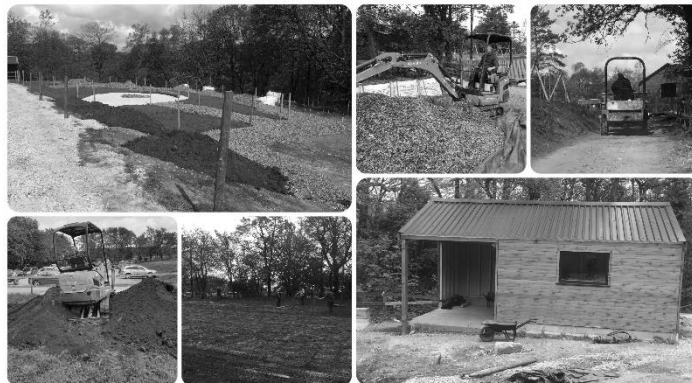
Many of you will know Sandra, our Finance Officer and will appreciate all the hard work she puts into Waddecar and West Lancs Scouts. Unfortunately, after 20 years we are saying a fond farewell to Sandra at the end of June. Although we are pleased to say welcome to Helen Gaskarth who has been working alongside Sandra since February and will take on the reins once Sandra has finished.

We'd also like to say welcome to Michael Head, our Summer Assistant. Michael is an experienced instructor and you'll all see him around site over the season.

We wish them both the best in their time here at Waddecar

### THE ADVENTURES OF BERNARD

Look out for Bernard The Badger, our new Waddecar mascot on our Social Media Channels. You may even be lucky enough to join him on some activities during your stay at Waddecar this year!



### TRAINING FIELD REDEVELOPMENT

Work is progressing quickly on the Training Field Redevelopment Project. The foundation hole has been dug for the new High Ropes Course with work due to start in the next couple of weeks. The second Tented Village is moving on nicely with the new kitchen (on the site of the old Bleasdale) close to completion and the groundworks well on the way. The bases for the tents are being built very soon with the tents already on site ready to be pitched. Training Field itself has been levelled and drained and now re-seeded. We are very pleased with how this large project is progressing, but it wouldn't be possible without the hard work and dedication of our amazing team of volunteers!

### FOUR SEASONS CHALLENGE AWARD



The Waddecar Four Seasons Challenge Award is proving very popular!

This is an Occasional Badge that you can wear on your uniform! Please contact [info@waddecar.org.uk](mailto:info@waddecar.org.uk) for more info.



We are approaching the end of the Spring; Summer officially starts in June! It's time to start planning your next adventure to Waddecar to get the second part of the badge!



### BROCKSIDE BUSHCRAFT

We had a very successful Leaders Bushcraft Skills Day in April. The new Bushcraft Base is open and ready for bookings. Come along and make use of our fantastic new facility or ask us about learning some new skills.

### PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

We have all sorts of events coming up over the year at Waddecar. Add them to your diary.

10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> May – Module 28  
1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Jun – Bushcraft Skills w/e  
1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Jun – Pioneering Course  
17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> Aug – Leader's Skills w/e  
7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Sep – Bushcraft w/e  
18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Oct – Archery Permit  
1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Nov – Rifles Course  
9<sup>th</sup> Nov – Crew Challenge  
13<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> Dec – Winter Challenge Camp

Keep an eye on our website and social media for more information as it becomes available.

Did you know that you can now book onto our courses via the West Lancs County Shop?