

Woolhampton 2: 31st July to 7th August 2022

(If you or your child are too old for Woolie 2 please see the note below)

Woolhampton 2 is a Pathfinder Venture and in our humble opinion the best thing an 11-14 year old can do in the Summer. For those of you who don't know, Ventures are great holidays for 11-14's run by a national organisation (CYFA Pathfinder Ventures) and they have a focus on God. Although run by Christians a good number of those who come aren't. Whoever you are, wherever you are from you are bound to love it! Natalie Williams will be going as a leader and we hope a group of young people from St. Paul's will go too.



Each day is packed full of fun games, activities, craft and sports. There's time to relax and lots to do for non-sporty types too. There is also a big day out which we usually spend at a theme park (for example Chessington World of Adventure!). It's the ultimate fun holiday for all and it gives parents a well-deserved break!

Woolhampton 2 is a great place to find out about Jesus from the Bible; meet friends & make new ones and enjoy fun activities with leaders who care. If you're sporty, arty, dramatic, musical, sensible, energetic, relaxed or simply up for a laugh, join us for a great week! Stunning grounds. Amazing facilities.

Where is it? Woolhampton 2 is held at a boarding school (Elstree school, RG7 5TD) near Reading and it has brilliant facilities including a swimming pool, a sports hall (5-a-side football, basketball, badminton), a squash court, 3 tennis courts, an obstacle course, a dedicated arts and craft room, volleyball pitch, padder tennis and acres of wonderful grounds.

Is it safe? Absolutely. All the volunteers are selected and trained to take the greatest care of the children. All leaders are DBS cleared and wise risk assessment is at the core of all we do.

How much will it cost? 2022's Venture will cost £275 (all-inclusive). Woolhampton 2 is fantastic value for money because the price includes all meals, the day out and many other activities. The only additional money they'll need to bring will be for the tuck and book shops!

How do we book? Bookings open on 1st December 2021. The best way to book and to find out more information is to do so online using this link: [Woolhampton 2 - 2022 | Ventures and Falcons - Holidays worth sharing](#) If you want to know what it is like from someone that has been before please talk to Natalie Williams, who has been a leader there for 18 years and will be able to introduce you to some of the children at St. Paul's Church who have been before.

This venture is incredibly popular and fills up very quickly so the sooner you book the more likely it is that your child will be able to come with us. We recommend booking as soon as online booking becomes available (Dec 1st)

Too old for Woolie 2? We highly recommend Sparkford 2 for those who will be aged 15-18 in the summer (but please note no leaders from St. Paul's are going). Find out more here: [Sparkford 2 - 2022 | Ventures and Falcons - Holidays worth sharing](#). Former members of Woolie 2 are given priority IF they apply for a place early. If you apply towards the end of January it is likely you will miss out as the Venture is very popular. You should mention your child attended Woolie 2 on your form.

