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What's On - Young Adventurers to Answer the Call of the Wild at Leith Hall's Wilderness Skills Session

Event: Wilderness Skills at Leith Hall

Date: Thursday 20 July 2017

Time: 11.00am - 2.30pm

Venue: Leith Hall, Garden & Estate, Huntly, Aberdeenshire, AB54 4NQ

Calling all budding young Bear Grylls and Ray Mears... do you want to learn how to survive in the wild?

Guided by the National Trust for Scotland rangers at Leith Hall, this family event will teach children aged 5-11 the skills they need to survive even the harshest of conditions. Learn how to build shelters and make sleeping mats out of old rushes, and discover the secret to lighting the perfect campfire.

Young bushcraft enthusiasts will also learn tracking techniques in order to discover which animals call the area around Craigifall Hill home.

Families are encouraged to bring packed lunches to enjoy round the campfire - along with some marshmallows for toasting!

Booking for this event is essential, and costs £10 per child. Accompanying adults go free. Visit <https://nts.cloudvenue.co.uk/leithhallwildernessskills> to book now.

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