

# Girlguiding Anglia's Cosmic

## Brownie takeover

### 11 – 13 September 2026

## Frequently asked questions:

### When is the takeover event happening?

The event is being held from **Friday 11 to Sunday 13 September 2026**. Tickets can only be purchased for the full event.

### What section is this event suitable for?

This weekend event is **exclusively for Brownies**.

### What will the event involve?

A jam packed weekend of unmissable adventures, activities and crafts alongside other guiding members from all across Anglia region. This event is exclusive to Girlguiding members.

### Where are the locations?

We are excited to announce that Cosmic will be taking place across 4 venues in and around our region:

- ★ **PGL Liddington** – Foxhill, Liddington, Swindon SN4 0DZ
- ★ **PGL Marchants Hill** – Tilford Rd, Hindhead, Surrey GU26 6RF
- ★ **PGL Bawdsey Manor** – Bawdsey, Woodbridge IP12 3BH
- ★ **PGL Caythorpe Court** – Caythorpe Heath Lane, Caythorpe, Grantham NG32 3ER

### How much are the tickets?

#### 🔖 **Brownie ticket – £145**

Includes: 2 nights of accommodation, all activities, catering\*, event badge and exclusive Cosmic branded bucket hat.

#### 🔖 **Leader ticket (includes young leaders) – free place for every 6 Brownies booked. Additional leaders charged at £100.**

Includes: 2 nights of accommodation, catering\* and event badge. Activities are not inclusive.

\*Catering is included from breakfast on Saturday 12 September through to lunch on Sunday 13 September. An optional dinner is also available on Friday 11 September at an additional cost of £6 per person. Please add on at the time of booking.

### Will there be discounted carer tickets?

Unfortunately the venues do not offer discounted carer tickets so these will not be available.

### Can parents or non-guiding members attend for safeguarding ratio purposes?

This is an exclusive Girlguiding takeover event, there will be no other members of the public invited to attend across all 4 centres.

### When can we book?

**Tickets are on sale now!** A non-refundable deposit will be required upon booking. Deposits are £50 per Brownie and £30 per leader.

Book your places here:

**<https://girlguidinganglia.cinolla.com/course/cosmic-aim-for-the-stars>**

Alternatively, contact **events@girlguiding-anglia.org.uk** to make a booking if you are unable to make payment online. Manual bookings will require a deposit payment to be supplied within 14 days to secure places.

### When do I have to pay for my ticket?

Upon booking, there will be a £30 deposit payment for leaders and a £50 deposit payment for girls. This is non-refundable, and will help you to secure your space on the event.

Your final payments will not be due until Tuesday **19 May 2026**.

### What are the timings of the weekend?

You can arrive from 4pm on Friday 11 September. Programme will begin that evening with entertainment starting at 7.30pm. All girls will be scheduled to take part in 5 adventurous PGL activities, 1 craft session and 1 free time session. Sessions will last 75 minutes each.

On Sunday, departure is planned following the final session at 3.15pm. However, if travel arrangements are required earlier, we can schedule your free time session at the end of the event, allowing for departure from 12.30pm once you have collected your packed lunches.

### What's included in my ticket price?

Tickets include accommodation, catering, all activity sessions, craft session and evening entertainment. Everyone will also receive an event badge and girls will receive a branded Cosmic bucket hat.

Bedding is provided for all adults, girls will be required to bring a pillow and sleeping bag.

### Do I need a license or qualification to attend this event as a leader?

We recommend that at least one adult in each group holds a Going Away With license. However, we anticipate that there will be enough qualified leaders across the event to support all groups.

If no one in your group holds a Going Away With license, please let us know after booking by emailing us. This will allow us to place your group in accommodation alongside others who do have the license, ensuring everyone is well supported.

### Is there a Facebook group?

We have set up a Facebook group to allow members to engage with others looking to attend Cosmic to help arrange transport or answer any additional questions you may have. You can join the group by searching "cosmic 2026" or following this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1782839499038174/>

### Is this a uniformed event?

Uniform is not required during this event, but traditionally girls are asked to wear uniform on arrival and departure.

### Will photos be taken at the event?

Our marketing and events team will be capturing photos and filming throughout the event. Wherever possible, images/footage will be non-identifiable. If anyone in your booking does not have photo consent, please let a member of our team know ahead of the event.

### Will there be template risk assessments/consent form available?

We will provide a template risk assessment, consent form, and kit list. These will be sent closer to the event to the person who makes the booking

### Will there be a travel bursary available for this event?

Yes, we are glad to announce that this will be made available to everyone attending. The amount you receive will be dependent on the number of **girls** you have attending and the distance from your typical **unit meeting location** to the PGL venue. The amount you will receive per girl is as follows:

- 25-50miles: £2.50
- 50-75miles: £3.50
- 75-100miles: £5
- 100-125miles: £7.50
- 125-150miles: £10
- 150miles+: £12.50

This value will be paid into your account once your final value has been paid.

### Who do I contact if I need help with my booking?

Our events team are happy to help with any questions or queries you may have. Please **contact us on events@girlguiding-anglia.org.uk**.

**We hope to see you and your Brownies there for a**  
**★ Cosmic weekend, aiming for the stars! ★**