

4th NEW FOREST NORTH (Eling) SEA SCOUTS

WAITING LIST POLICY:

On occasion, the number of people wanting to join the group in any section exceeds the number we can sensibly take on and still deliver high quality Scouting, so we need to hold waiting lists. With the need to manage these waiting lists and to enable the group to manage the peaks and troughs of children moving between the sections within the group the following waiting list policy has been agreed:

Spaces within the group will be allocated in the following order of priority to children:

1. **Who** are existing members moving between sections (this is implied)
2. **Of** current uniformed leaders and formal section assistants instructors and other key roles within the group, including new adults joining the group in these roles
Note: Parents coming into the group need to commit to taking up their role before their child is accepted
3. **With** siblings already in our scout group
4. **Who** are already in sea scouting and have moved from another area
5. **All** others

The group membership secretary will hold the records of all children who are on the groups waiting list and will regularly liaise with the leaders of all sections