

Cheltenham and Gloucester Woodcraft Folk

Woodcraft Golden Moments

Ever been "wowed" by a special Woodcraft "moment"?

If you would like to add to the growing list of "moments" below, email your suggestions to website@thewoodcraftfolk.org

Adam Hosler: Gloucester Viney Hill weekend camp in a damp dark scout tent. Leaders have been preparing a "black lights" puppet show for weeks, complete with fluorescent painted scenery. The audience are hushed and the UV lights are switched on... That first, awed, in-take of breath from the entire audience, followed by silence...

Adam Hosler: Being gently woken by Dorothy Curtis singing the Morning Herald.

Boo Hook's legendary comment in circle, "Upcote's better than Christmas."

Adam Hosler: Waking up to face the fourth successive day of unbroken rain on wet camp to hear happy whistling. It was Duncan Siret happily mending the kitchen store tent that had collapsed again in the night...

Duncan Siret: At the first Ringsted Bay camp near Weymouth. Oxford and Cheltenham Venturers did a Bivvy, sleeping under the stars in an old quarry at Whinspit Bay - the Oxford lot cleared off to sleep early in the evening, our lot stayed up and sat under the stars on a cliff singing Woodcraft Folk songs at the tops of their voices out to sea. It was a lovely moment!