

## **Terms & Conditions of Short Term Beach Hut Hire**

Feb 2019

1. Hire **begins at 2pm** on the commencing Saturday and **terminates at 12 noon** on the vacating Saturday (unless day hire – see below).
2. Keys for all locations: **Proof of hire**, e.g. confirmation email will be required before keys are issued. (NOTE: For Access to Leisure bookings we will also need to see your valid card at this time)

### **Key collection:**

**October to March:** All keys should be collected from Sandbanks Beach Office (see times below).

**April to September:** please collect keys from the appropriate office below (see times below):

- Huts at Sandbanks – Sandbanks Beach Office
- Huts at Shore Road – Shore Road Beach Office
- Huts at Canford Cliffs – Branksome Chine Beach Office (July & August only Canford Cliffs Beach Office)
- Huts at Branksome Chine & Branksome Dene – Branksome Chine Beach Office

**Day hire** - keys can be picked up at **9am** and returned at **5pm**.

**Weekly hire** - keys should be picked up **between 2pm and 4pm** on the day that your hire commences. If you will be delayed and wish to pick your keys up at a later time, please contact the Sandbanks Beach Office.

### **Key return:**

Keys should be returned **no later than 12 noon** on the last day of the hire period **to the office where the key was collected**, unless otherwise instructed.

3. Beach huts should only be used during the hours of daylight and should never be used for overnight accommodation.
4. Please note that a maximum of 8 people can occupy a beach hut at any time.
5. Valuables should not be stored in the beach hut. The Council cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage to the hirer's property. The hirer will be responsible for any loss or damage to any Council property and/or equipment during the hire period.
6. All litter and personal belongings must be removed from the beach hut upon departure and the hut left clean and tidy.
7. **This booking is not transferable** to any other person except at the discretion of the Sandbanks Beach Office.
8. **Cancellation** or change of booking with more than one (1) month's notice will incur a 20% cancellation charge (£10 minimum). No refund will be made if less than one (1) month's notice is given cancelling a booking.
9. You are permitted to barbecue near to your beach hut, although you must be considerate to other beach hut users.
10. Dogs are allowed in the beach hut.
11. Please be considerate of neighbouring beach hut tenants regarding music, noise and the number of people using the beach hut.

### **Useful information**

Weekly car parking permits can be obtained by contacting the Car Parking team on 01202 634240.