

Code of Conduct

Your Commitment to the Gang

We are delighted that you are considering being in the cast or band for the next Southend Gang Show. Our goal is to provide you the opportunity to perform in a professional and successful show, to achieve this we need your assistance and commitment.

Therefore, we request you to agree to the following to make it as easy as possible:

- 1) Attend rehearsals punctually and regularly. Should this not be possible to inform the Cast Administrator on support@southendgangshow.org
- 2) Attend all rehearsals and performances the week of the show (Show Week is Mon-Sat, 16th – 21st February 2026). Cast will be required on Monday and Tuesday from 4pm for dress rehearsals, from midday on Wednesday for the matinee and evening performance, from 4pm Thursday and Friday and again midday on Saturday for 2 performances.
- 3) Pay the membership fee of £100 for Main Gang and £90 for Junior Gang. Registration fee of £50 paid at time of booking to cover insurance, admin and rehearsal costs. Subscription fee of £50 for Main Gang or £40 for Junior Gang (payable by January 2026) to cover scarf, woggle & badge, ongoing administration and costume costs including an event-specific t-shirt worn for one of the items (not a GS polo).
- 4) Provide items of costume as required and have them checked prior to the show or let the costume department know if they cannot be supplied
- 5) Have the correct Scouting or Guiding uniform including trousers etc
- 6) Notify us of any change of contact details as soon as possible
- 7) Be an active member of Scouting/Guiding during the rehearsal period for It's a Date (leader confirmation required)

Your Conduct

You are also agreeing to the Gang's code of conduct:

- 1) No different to any group meeting, your behaviour should be positive; pay attention during rehearsals and not be disruptive, do not use mobile phones. This will assist in the learning of lines/dances and ensure the smooth running of the rehearsals. Please keep conversations for break times, not during rehearsals
- 2) When you arrive at rehearsals, please book in and collect your name label, wear it during rehearsals and hand it in before you leave
- 3) Please wear suitable and appropriate footwear and clothing to rehearse in
- 4) Please look after your word books and scripts and bring them to each rehearsal, replacements will be charged for
- 5) The school grounds, theatre grounds, rehearsal rooms, dressing rooms, the green room and backstage are all non-smoking/non-vaping areas for everyone
- 6) Please remain within our allocated areas in the schools and the theatre and respect the facilities which we are kindly allowed to use
- 7) Please do not chew gum or sweets while rehearsals are in progress
- 8) Please put all rubbish in the bins provided

Should you have any questions regarding the It's a Date 2026 Code of Conduct please contact manager@southendgangshow.org