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The Youth Hostel at Bellever.

The Youth Hostel has actually been here in Bellever since 1934, the forestry when they took over the Duchy barns had no use for one of the actual barns and a group of ramblers, Dartmoor enthusiasts, got together along with the Youth Hostel and set it up. It's changed quite a bit over the years, where it started off as being very basic accommodation in two big dormitories it's now split up into seven rooms, four of those rooms for families, but we still have the bunk beds for dual purpose use, lots of school groups we get and lots of families and individuals.