



1st Cuddington & Sandiway Scout Group Newsletter September 2010

AGM

The Annual General Meeting kicked off with a slide show highlighting the many activities and events the Scout Group have been involved in throughout the year.

Presentations were also made to the following people:

Sean Foster, Max Finney and Ben Sykes from Monday Beavers were all presented with their Bronze Chief Scouts Award.

Becky Womersley announced that she was standing down from Group Scout Leader but would be keeping involved by becoming Assistant Leader with Thursday Beavers, however this has now changed – see item on Thursday Beavers.

Ian Smith also announced that this will be his last year serving as Chairperson and we need to find a replacement to take over.

Thank you to all the parents who have come forward and volunteered to take on new roles.

Thursday Beavers

Lisa, Kit, from Thursday Beavers is moving to a new job in London and therefore will be unable to continue as leader. We all thank her for her time and effort in setting up and running the Thursday Beavers Group. Becky Womersley will be taking over as Leader – Beavers get your thinking caps on for a name for her, several suggestions have gone out in the recent letter to parents.



Pictured – A Beaver being presented with his Bronze Chief Scouts Award.

Camps

During May the Scouts attended the District Camp at Forest Camp Site enjoying many activities including raft building, cooking on open fires and took part in Jamboree on the trail amongst other challenging and exciting activities.

Cubs attended the District Mini Hike at Tatton Park, hiking round the park and completing check point activities followed by overnight camping and the following day taking part in a variety of water activities on the lake.

WANTED

Due to the popularity of our Scout Group and the extra meetings we are running we need more people to help. If you can spare a few evenings a term or more please speak to your Section Leader.

Chamboree

The beginning of August saw the Scouts camping for the week at Tabley, the Cubs stayed for the weekend and the Beavers just went for the day on Sunday. There were many and varied activities for all to enjoy. All those who attended are not world record holders for wobble boarding. Visit the Chamboree web site to see video footage and photographs of the event.

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Take a look at our relaunched web site which has been updated and redesigned. You'll find all the information on it that you need to know including up to date pictures of what's been happening in all the groups and details on badge requirements and where to sew them on the uniforms.



Group Fun Day

Scouts, Cubs and Beavers spent the day at Hartford Scout Hall carrying out a number of activities to gain their Big Adventure Badges 2010 which can be worn on their uniform for the next 12 months. Anybody who still has the 2009 badge on their uniform can they please take it off.

The activities included good sports, making bird feeders and enamel keyrings, potato printing, baking cookies, testing the senses and planting seeds.

A big thank you goes out to all the parents who helped on the day as this day could not run as smoothly without all your help and support.

A selection of photographs from the Group Fun Day



St George's Day Parade

The entire District paraded down the main dual carriageway in Northwich from the Memorial Hall to the church where the service was held and had an introduction to the ShelterBox appeal.



2 teams from Monday Cubs entered the District Kick Start competition and Won. The event is an afternoon of riding bikes over a course set up with obstacles.

Village Gala Day

Cuddington and Sandiway Scout Group ran the BBQ and a catapult game at the Gala Day which raised in excess of £500 for the Group.

Once again thanks to parents for their help.

Jumble Sale

The next sale will be held on Saturday, 16 October. Can we please ask for volunteers to help set up on Friday between 7 and 9pm and on the day.

A District cyclothon was held at Oulton Park on a wet evening which was attended by some of the Cubs and Scouts.



CHRISTMAS FAYRE

This year's Christmas Fair will be held on Monday, 29 November, 6.15 - 8.15pm

If you are able to help or donate anything for the event please contact Becky.

