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THIS IS IT - NORTON CAMP '62 - NOW AN ANNUAL EVENT - THE
SCOUT DISTRICT'S SHOW CAMP! Successor to the unforgettable Norton Common
Festival Year Camp 1951 - Jubilee Year Camp 1957 - and the one you've all seen on the
District Newsreel 1961. And NC62 should be the best yet. Scouters know all about it,
of course; but we just thought we'd run over the general outline here for quick reference.

CAMP WARDEN: ASM RS John Foster (3L and LDRC) DEPUTY: ASM RS Richard Watson (3L & LDRC)
These will allocate sites to all the troops who turn up, and their decision is final.
WHO CAN TURN UP? Any Scouts in our District. No camping fee. Water and firewood are free.
WHAT DO THEY BRING? Standard stuff for a weekend camp, but no latrine screens (these are provided) and no hole-digging gear. NO HOLES WILL BE DUG. Altar fires must be constructed, and dustbins will be provided. Bicycles are strictly forbidden, and motor vehicles will not be allowed to enter the Common with equipment unless we happen to have had a drought all this week. Visitors' cars will use the Swimming Pool car park.
WHEN CAN THEY ARRIVE? Any time from 6 pm on Friday.
AND THEN WHAT HAPPENS? Anything you like on Friday evening, after you have got everything in order and your supper organized. Bring your own milk for this, but remember to place your orders for SATURDAY APD SUNDAY MILK with ADC Les Collins NOT LATER THAN THURSDAY, or you won't get any. His address is 96 Bedford Road, telephone Letchworth 2776. He will expect Scouters to pay their milk bills to him before leaving camp on Sunday.

SATURDAY MORNING flagbreak is at 10 am. SENIORS, who will probably form a sub-camp of their own, will be busy building an aerial runway and monkey bridge; some SCOUT troop who are good at pioneering will be given a special project; and there will be a non-dress rehearsal of the CUB pageant, between 11 and 12. CUBMASTERS PLEASE NOTE: as many performers as possible, please, but ordinary uniform.

AFTER LUNCH, the Cubs will be allowed on that aerial runway. Cubs only. Scouts and Seniors will be invited to take part in the beginning of the ANNUAL SPORTS for the District Sports Shield. District Sportsmaster Ken Hart (GSM, 7L) has a hexathlon (6 events) planned, which may develop into a heptathlon or octathlon. Anyway, it all starts at 2 pm on Saturday with a mass Cross Country lark. There'll be the pillow fight championships, seven-a-side football caber-tossing, tug of war, and shot-putting. At least.

AFTER TEA, the Cubs will change into their pageant costumes, using where possible the patrol tents of their own Scout groups. Failing that, some may use headquarters tentage provided. The Pageant of the Saints goes on from 6 to 7, and all mums and dads are invited. Straight after that, the BARBECUE is on, with all hot-doggery looked after by the B-P Guild, and cups of tea by the Girl Guides Association. Hooray. Have your money ready, please. And then at about 8.30 the CAMPFIRE starts, directed by District Songmaster Jim Bruce. You have one week to be sure your boys (or girls) know "All together again", "Battered elm tree", "Soap & towel", "Ging gang", "Back to Gilwell" (2 verses only), "One-bottle beer", "In my father's house" etc. All over by 9.15 and visitors GO HOME.

ALL RADIO SETS ARE PROHIBITED from operating during any camp activity.

SUNDAY MORNING flagbreak is at 10. At 11, the SCOUTS' OWN is conducted by the Rev. J.Catter-
ick, Scouter Rector of Ashwell, and everyone is invited. AFTER LUNCH? The Obstacle Race;
FOOTBALL FINALS at 3.30 are followed by presentation of shield and so on, and FINAL FLAGDOWN
at five o'clock.

CAMP BRANDS will be on sale at times throughout the weekend, and coloured felt badges very cheaply as souvenirs for camp blankets. District Squashmaster Roy Pynches (SM, 4L) will be in charge of a Providore selling chocolate, sweets, nuts and soft drinks at standard retail prices; opening times will be announced in the "COMMON NEWS" - a camp newspaper which will be written, typed, duplicated and sold by Letchworth District Rover Crew on the site, in three editions - Saturday morning and evening, and a lunchtime edition on Sunday. It will sell at a loss, probably subsidized by sales of badges. Profits from the barbecue go to the Baden-Powell House endowment fund. Profit from the Providore will be returned to Scout troops pro rata, depending on the number of boys they have CAMPING, THERE, THEN.

FIRST AID is in charge of District Plastermaster Ernie Hall (SM, 2L).

TROOP COLOURS will please be brought, to be displayed under guard throughout daylight hours; and PACK COLOURS, please, for the time that the Cubs are there for the pageant.

IF IT RAINS, we carry on, as we thought that putting a large plastic dome over the eastern half of the Common would spoil the fun, so we shan't.

BADGE EXAMINERS

In answer to an increasing number of requests, we reprint the list of official examiners for Cub, Scout and Senior proficiency badges. It is about as up-to-date as we can make it, but if you know of any more amendments or additions, please let us know.: Groups or sections who have their own traditional examiners in any subject may care to ask them if they would help to fill any gaps on the official list. In applying to examiners, please give adequate notice (weeks, not days) and provide your candidate with his certificate beforehand:

C·U·B·S

ARTIST: SA K.Johnson, 80 Spring Road, L
 ATHLETE: arrange with games master of the boy's school
 BOOK READER: Miss A.C.Cunningham, Public Library, L
 COLLECTOR: DC L.R.Brown, 31 Lytton Ave., L
 CYCLIST: local police - to be arranged through DC
 ENTERTAINER: Mr J.Baker, 47 Highfield, L
 FIRST AID: Mrs D.Blewchamp, 32 Souberie Avenue; Mrs D.Bowman, 17 Bowershott, or Mr D.Greenshields, 74 Archers Way, L
 GARDENER: Mr A.E.Talbot, 21 Woodhurst, L
 GUIDE: as Artist
 HANDCRAFT: Mr A A.Hoye, 146A Wilbury Road, L, or Mr K.Martin, Pixmore School
 HOUSE ORDERLY: Mrs I.Foster, 7 Campfield Way, L
 OBSERVER: as Artist
 SIGNALLER:
 SPORTSMAN: as Athlete
 SWIMMER: Mr Scott or Mrs Pooley, Swimming Pool, L

S C O U T S (UNDER 15)

AIR APPRENTICE:
 AIR GLIDER:
 AIR SPOTTER:
 AIRCRAFT YODELLER:
 ANGLER: RS T.Favell, 52 Station Road, L
 ATHLETE: Mr B.J.Spokes, 2 Midhurst, L, or arrange with games master
 BACKWOODSMAN LDR
 BASKET MAKER:
 BELLRINGER:
 BOATSWAIN'S MATE:
 BOOKBINDER:
 CAMPER: SA D.Turner, 90 Bedford Road, L, or ASM C.Phillips, 23 Holmecroft Ave., Biggleswade, or ASM J.Robson, 67 High Avenue, L
 CANOEIST: Mr P.G.Lawrence, 20 Willian Way, L
 COOK: own Scouter, or LDR
 COXSWAIN:
 CYCLIST: arrange a group at a time with local police
 DESIGNER: RS P.Wey, 40 Mullway, in committee with SA K.Johnson, 80 Spring Rd., L
 EXPLORER:
 FIREFIGHTER: arrange a group at a time with local fire service
 FIRST AID:
 GARDENER: LtCol.A.Gavin Jones, 62 Baldock Road, L
 GUIDE: SA K.Johnson, 80 Spring Road, L
 JOBMAN: Mr A.Jump, 195 Nevells Road, L
 JOINER: ADC L.Collins, 96 Bedford Road, L
 LEATHER WORKER: arrange with own teacher
 LIFESAVER: parts 1, 2 and 3 with Mr Scott at L Swimming Pool, after passing parts 4 and 5 with own Scouter
 LINGUIST: arrange with own teacher
 MARKSMAN: Mr L.Page, 21 Valley Road, L

MASTER-AT-ARMS:

METAL WORKER: arrange with own teacher
 MISSIONER: SM E.Hall, 12 Station Road, B, or Mr A.Jump, 195 Nevells Road, L
 MUSIC MAKER: arrange with own teacher
 OARSMAN:
 OBSERVER: LDR
 PHOTOGRAPHER: Mr D.Brunst, 21 Willian Way, L
 PIONEER: ASM C.Phillips, 23 Holmecroft Ave., Biggleswade, or ASM J.Robson, 67 High Avenue, L
 PIPER:
 PRINTER: Mr P.Norton, 6 Waysbrook, L
 READER: SA K.Johnson, 80 Spring Road, L
 RIDER:
 ROPE SPINNER:
 SCRIBE: ARSL M.Vines, 18 Norton Way North, L
 SIGNALLER:
 SMALLHOLDER (Poultry):
 (Rabbits):
 (Bees):
 (Pigeons):
 SPEAKER: Mr K.Spinks, 32 Sollershott East, L
 SPORTSMAN: arrange with school games master
 STALKER:
 STAMP COLLECTOR: Mr R. Sax, 15 Heathermere, L
 STARMAN: SM E.Hall, 12 Station Road, B
 SWIMMER: Mr Scott, L Swimming Pool
 WEATHERMAN: Mr G.Collinson, 163 Baldock Rd., L
 WIRELESSMAN: Mr G.Mather, 76 Bedford Road, L
 WOODCRAFTSMAN:

S C O U T S (OVER 15)

*AIRCRAFT CONSTRUCTOR:
 AIR MECHANIC:
 AIR NAVIGATOR:
 AIR OBSERVER:
 AMBULANCE:
 *ARCHAEOLOGIST: Mr J.Moss, L Museum
 *ARTIST: as Designer
 ASTRONOMER:
 BOATSWAIN:
 *BOOKMAN: as Reader
 CAMP WARDEN: as Camper
 CAVE EXPLORER:
 CIVICS: DSSL to arrange as required
 CONSERVATION:
 DESPATCH RIDER:
 *ELECTRICIAN:
 *FARMER:
 FIREMAN: as Firefighter
 FISHERMAN:
 FORESTER:
 GLIDER PILOT:
 *HANDICRAFT:
 HANDYMAN:
 HELMSMAN:
 HIKER:
 *HORSEMAN:
 *HORTICULTURIST: as Gardener
 INTERPRETER: as Linguist
 *LEADING PIPER:
 LEADING SIGNALLER:

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BADGE EXAMINERS (continued)

*MAP MAKER:

MASTER CANOEIST: as Canoeist

*MASTER COOK:

*MASTER SWIMMER: as Swimmer

*MECHANIC:

METEOROLOGIST: as Weatherman

MOUNTAINEER:

*MUSICIAN:

NATURALIST:

*ORATOR: as Speaker

PATHFINDER: as Guide

*PHILATELIST:

PILOT:

PUBLIC HEALTH: Mr A.Jump, 195 Nevells Rd.,
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*QUARTERMASTER:

*RADIO MECHANIC: as Wirelessman

RESCUER: as Lifesaver

SENIOR ATHLETE: as Athlete

*SENIOR BELLITNGER:

SENIOR EXPLORER:

*SENIOR PHOTOGRAPHER: as Photpgrapher

SENIOR PIONEER: as Pioneer

*SKIER:

TRACKER:

VENTURER:

*WORLD FRIENDSHIP:

L = Letchworth. B = Baldock.

* Scouts under 15 may gain and wear
any two of these badges.,

NEW DISTRICT COMMISSIONER

for Letchworth and Baldock Girl Guides Association is Mrs Margaret Drylie, of 21 Newlands, Letchworth. All readers of CO-ORDINATOR will want to congratulate her on this appointment, and we add our best wishes, particularly for a complete quick recovery after her recent operation.

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NEW DISTRICT SECRETARY

for Letchworth and Baldock Boy Scouts Association is Mr Eric R.Cree, of 179 Baldock Road, Letchworth. Formerly County Secretary of Nottinghamshire, he has many qualifications for this job, including working in the next office to the DC.

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NEW MAN IN CHARGE

of the bookings for DHQ is Mr John Baker. He may be found at the Eastern Electricity showrooms in Station Plae, Letchworth, but not on Wednesdays.

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NEW PRICES FOR BADGES

previously costing fivepence. Scout District Badge Secretary informs us sadly that the cheapest badge is now sixpence

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NEW IDEA FOR SENIORS

or Scouts over 15 is Jim's Mystery Tour. Probably on a weekend in September, teams of two will be blindfolded, and dumped 30 or 40 miles away, to hike or otherwise get to a secret rallying place in two days. Vast scores of points will be awarded for certain things done or collected on the way, the winners to get a completely useless trophy. Several enterprising types already say they will have a bash. Any others interested - Rover Squires? Rangers? - see Jim. Jim the Bruce, of course. 21 Green Lane.

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NEW ASSISTANT DISTRICT COMMISSIONER

asks us to thank on his behalf all those well-wishers at his recent appointment. Les Collins says he will endeavour to carry out the duties of ADC to the best of his ability, for all the Scouters and for the District as a whole.

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NEW ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION

- the mouth-to-mouth method, popularly known as the "Kiss of Life", will be introduced into the training programme of the Boy Scouts Association from 1 June. The Ministry of Health and voluntary aid societies have agreed on the best and safest methods of teaching, and instruction courses are being arranged by local branches of the St John Ambulance Association and Brigade, British Red Cross Society and St Andrew's Ambulance Association. It is hoped that Scouters will take advantage of the courses run in their locality. (HQ Information Bulletin)

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NEW IDEA OR NOT,

9 to 16 June this year is Covenanter Jobs Week, and the Letchworth lads' are expecting to be busy. (Baptist Church news.)

E X C H A N G E & M A R T

BLACK'S Pal-o-mine sleeping bag, as in Scout Shop catalogue at £6:17s.6d., for sale at £5. Mrs L.Brown, 51 Lytton Avenue, Letchworth.

EXCHANGE: 111B petrol stove, v.g.c., for any type Gaz. Brian Watkins, 88 Southfields, Letchworth.

14-FOOT singleseater canoe, with seat and paddles, for sale very cheaply. ASM Bert Crouch, 21 Lammass Way, Letchworth.

UNEX (UNiform EXchange, 7 Campfield Way, Letchworth) has in stock 2 navy blue Cub jerseys, 4 Cub caps, 2 plain gold neckerchiefs, 1 maroon neckerchief, 2 dark green neckerchiefs, 2 royal blue neckerchiefs, 1 green beret (not bound), 2 Scout berets, some large shorts, 1 pair shorts (suitable for camp), 2 pairs small shorts. Sorry - no shirts. Suggestion: If Scouters will let Mrs Foster know addresses of boys who have left, she will follow them up and see if any items can go through UNEX to someone who may be needing them.

O P E N L E T T E R

"I should like, through the medium of CO-ORDINATOR, to express my sincere thanks for the beautiful bouquet of flowers presented to me, through my husband, by members of the First Letchworth Group committee on the occasion of the birth of our third daughter, recently.

This I felt was a very nice gesture, and one that I can assure the committee and the Group was very much appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs (formerly Rikki) SCOTT."

GUIDERS' PIECE

DISTRICT CAMP EQUIPMENT: -This has been booked for the following dates. 30 July - 7 August: 1 Baldock. 10-17 August: 1 Letchworth, 18-25 August: 2 Baldock. Any other company-wishing to use it must contact Miss Brenchley at Baldock Rectory immediately, giving dates required. NB: Whitsun is still free.

THE COFFEE EVENING on 10 May at Grange Junior School raised £15 - a very good effort by those concerned.

THE COMMONWEALTH GOOD TURN - THE RANFURLY BOOK SCHEME: Please get your books to either Mrs Hiles or Mrs Kelly as soon as possible so that a County total can be estimated, to be included in the June Hertfordshire Newsletter.

THE DIVISION COMPETITION: Results of only two sections have been received so far:-

<u>Cook</u>		<u>Knitter</u>		
Stevenage South	78%	Knebworth	80%	Averaging these out puts Stevenage North first, Stevenage South and Knebworth equal second, and Letchworth fourth, followed by Royston, then Hitchin.
Stevenage North	77%	Stevenage North	75%	
Letchworth	76%	Stevenage South	73%	
Knebworth)		Letchworth)		
Royston)	71%	Royston)	70%	
Hitchin	57%	Hitchin: no competitor		

CAMP TRAINING for Guide Guiders will take place on Tuesday 5 June (probably 7-9 pm) at The Grange, Stevenage (opposite junction of A1 with Hitchin Road). I hope lots of you will manage to get there. Would those taking cars please give lifts to the others, as transport to Stevenage is often difficult (although The Grange is only about 5 minutes walk from Stevenage station),

THE BROWNIE GUIDERS' MEETING on 5 June to discuss arrangements for Brownie Revels will be in the Ranger Hut at 7.30. We were unable to arrange a meeting place in Baldock.

M.C.D,

Y A C SPORTS DAY

Friday 15 June, 6.30 - 9.30 pm, Norton Secondary School playing field. All Scout and Guide units should by now have received a letter and entry form for this. Will each unit

P L E A S E send its entries back direct to Mr Vandyke, and TRY to get them in by 31 May, the closing date.

THE TOUR OF HERTFORDSHIRE

This year's round-the-county cycling event for Seniors was cancelled, because there were not enough entries. There were not enough entries because the forms did not reach the various LA secretaries in time. These forms, prepared by the annual organizers, LDRC, were sent to the County secretary in mid-March for distribution, but unfortunately missed the monthly despatch by two days and so did not get to the districts till mid-April. Hearing about this, ACC Melville Balsillie wrote: "I was so sorry to hear that the Tour had to be cancelled. Pity! I never cancel anything!! But you will have no difficulty starting it again next year - but see you say so at this year's Gathering."

ONE TEAM

was all that our District could muster for this year's County Marathon, happening this weekend. Every Group must surely be keeping fingers crossed, therefore, for the gallant few sallying forth to maintain our District's honour. Bravo and best wishes to the 11 team of David Ralston, Stephen Lindsay, Roy Murden and Roy Flint. Look for news of the result in next Friday's local papers. If they don't win, these four former Cubs have done their best on our behalf:

LA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Each Scout Group must now nominate one Scouter and one lay member to act as its representatives on the LA Executive Committee, which next meets on 4 Jun;. Will each Group

P L E A S E see that the District Secretary is informed of the names and addresses of its members by then.

ROBIN EDMETT'S ANSWER

to his crossword in CO-ORDINATOR 35:

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THE GANG SHOW MADE A PROFIT!

And this is the "Income" half of the account (still to be audited):-

Cash in hand 61/62	£ 4	-	8
Cash at bank 61/62	15	19	6
Adverts in programmes.. . . .	5	9	6
Jumble sale	24	10	4
Programme sales	12	4	-
Ticket sales,	179	7	6
Chocolates and ices	8	12	0½

Deducting all expenses, balance in hand and bank for '62/63 is £114:16s.2½;

Going Up FROM CUBS TO SCOUTS

When you leave the Cub Pack and join the Scout Troop, you must then learn the Tenderfoot tests before you can be invested as a Scout. If you can learn and pass your Tenderfoot before leaving the Pack, then the going-up and investiture can take place at the same time. But usually there is a few weeks' gap in between.

For GOING UP, it is best if you can wear Scout uniform (with no badges) underneath your Cub uniform. All that is different is a khaki shirt instead of the jersey; a Scout belt for your shorts; and a green beret instead of the cap. You must not wear a knife on your belt until you have passed the second-class Scout test.

On the evening of the going-up ceremony, the Pack forms its circle at one end of the hall, with the Troop at the other end in horseshoe formation. There is a line across the middle to separate them, which may be formed by the Pack and Troop flags, or a rope, or even a chalk line on the floor. After taking part in the last Grand Howl, the boys who are leaving say goodbye to Akela, who may ask them to repeat their Cub promise once again. Then they step forward to the line and are welcomed by the Scoutmaster, or "Skip". Cubs who have the Leaping Wolf badge may leap over; others must step across. Then, if they have their Scout shirts underneath, they strip off their old jerseys and throw them back into the Pack circle. Skip puts their berets on their heads and introduces them to their Patrol Leaders, and they take their place in the horseshoe.

Before the investiture ceremony can take place, you must pass these tests:-

- (1) Know the Scout Law and Promise, and their meaning.
- (2) Know the salute as explained in the book "Scouting for Boys".
- (3) Know the composition of the Union Flag, and how to hoist, break and fly it.
- (4) Clean a wound, and make and apply a dressing.
- (6) Make the woodcraft signs given in "Scouting for Boys".
- (6) Show how to tie the reef knot, sheet-bend, clove hitch, bowline, round turn and two half hitches, and sheepshank, and explain their uses.
- (7) Whip the end of a rope.

The INVESTITURE ceremony is the most important part of your whole career in Scouting. With your left hand on the Troop flag, and your right hand making the Scout sign (the salute, level with your shoulder) you repeat the Scout promise:-

"On my honour, I promise to do my best to do my duty to God, and. the Queen;
to help other people at all times; and to obey the Scout law."

Then, after your investiture, you can begin to work for the second-class badge, and later on your first-class, the Scout Cord, Bushman's Thong, and if you are really keen enough to stick to it, the Queen's Scout badge by the time you are 18.

THE SCOUT LAW

- 1 : A Scout's honour is to be trusted.
- 2 : A Scout is loyal to the Queen, his country, his Scouters, his parents, his employers, and to those under him.
- 5 : A Scout's duty is to be useful and to help others.
- 4 : A Scout is a friend to all, and a brother to every other Scout, no matter to what country, class or creed the other may belong.
- 5 : A Scout is courteous.
- 6 : A Scout is a friend to animals.
- 7 : A Scout obeys orders of his parents, Patrol Leader, or Scoutmaster, without question.
- 8 : A Scout smiles and whistles under all difficulties.
- 9 : A Scout is thrifty.
- 10 : A Scout is clean in thought, word and deed.

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The outline given above has proved useful for some Scouts who recently moved up from a Letchworth Cub pack. If any other Cubmasters think it may help their boys who are soon to go up, copies may be obtained from LDRC at ninepence a dozen. Ask Max Vines, at 18 Norton Way North, Letchworth, or any member of LDRC.

CO-ORDINATOR this month celebrates its third birthday. Founded in June 1959, it is still produced as a service to the District by LDRC - that is, Letchworth District Rover Crew. Distribution is free to all Scouters, their assistants, Group Committee officials, and Guiders, but we are always grateful for small donations to ease the burden on the District Treasurer. Crew Treasurer is RM John Collins, 96 Bedford Road. ARSL (Assistant Rover Scout Leader) Max Vines maintains the Crew's own duplicating machine, which will produce the "Common News" at the camp next weekend, and is ready to do any similar printing jobs for you. RS Tony Gray (38 Haselfoot) is one typist; honorary members SA Kenneth Johnson and SA David Turner also keep their fingers in.

BOOKS

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This month: "PUBLIC OCCASIONS" edited by Leslie Arkill and Rex Hazlewood (Boy Scouts Association, 5/-)

This is quite an old book and probably out of print, but it's well worth reading if you can get your hands on a copy.

Quoting from the front page: If you are at any time likely to help in organising an AGM, sports day, swimming gala, film show, cycle marathon, Scout fete or any other type of Public Occasion, this book will give you the answers to most of your problems.

This is an absorbing book with a variety of contributors giving practical suggestions about the type of meeting where Scouts are brought into the public eye.

A bad impression from one group can cause untold harm for the whole Scout movement, but a good impression can be the start of valuable friendships and incalculable help.

Suggestions for parents' evenings, film shows, displays and camp fires - the list is unending, and it's all in this book. It is very well illustrated with humorous sketches which hold one's attention if it begins to wonder.

Next month, a book for Scouters.

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DATES

*** MAY 1962 ***

- 27 SSLs Council, DHQ, 11 am
- 27 Finish of County Marathon, Gorhambury, St Albans
- 31 Orders for Norton Camp milk must be in to ADC. (see page 1)
- 31 Entries for YAC Sports Day must be in (see page 4)

*** JUNE 1962 ***

- 1-3 NORTON CAMP '62 (see page 1)
- 1-3 International weekend, Gilwell Park, Essex
- 2 County Rover gathering, Well End
- 2 Rover-Ranger dance, St Paul's Hall, 7.50: admission 3/- including refreshments
- 2 District barbecue and campfire, Norton Common, 7.15 - 9.15
- 4 LA Executive Committee, DHQ, 8.0 (see page 4: IMPORTANT)
- 5 5L annual general meeting, Westbury School hall, 7.15 for 7.30
- 5 Camp training for Guide Guiders (see page 4)
- 5 Brownie Guiders' meeting, Ranger Hut, 7.30
- 8-11 Combined Whitsun camp for Scouts of Roman Catholic groups, Well End
- 9-11 (subject to alteration at SSLs' Council) Operation Tarzan '62
- 10 Whit Sunday
- 15 YAC Sports Day (see page 4)
- 16 District Brownie Revels, Norton School field
- 16-17 and 23-24 Senior Wood Badge preliminary training course, Sandridge
- 23 4L group Summer Fair, St Paul's hall
- 23 1L jumble sale, DHQ
- 27 Last items in, please, for CO-ORDINATOR 38
- 30 SOMETHING NEW: a sort of potted Pothunter for practical PLs

*** JULY 1962 ***

- 1 Distribution of CO-ORDINATOR 38
- 7 Cubs' open afternoon, Gilwell Park, Essex
- 7-8 County CMs: Get-together, Well End: theme, "London comes to Hertfordshire"
- 7-8 National Rover Moot, Walesby Forest, Nottinghamshire
- 14-15 National cooking competition finals, Gilwell Park, Essex
- 13-25 2L troop camp, Yowlbury near Oxford.
- 19 or 20 District Cuh athletic sports, Norton School field
- 28-11 August 1L troop camp, Broadstone Warren, East Sussex
- 28-8 August 7L troop camp, near Lyndhurst, Hampshire

*** AUGUST 1962 ***

- 4 Chief Scout opens Lochearnhead Scout Station, the Hertfordshire Highland Headquarters
- 3-18 Explorer Belt expedition, Germany, Austria and Liechtenstein
- 4-11 Berkshire International Camp, Windsor Great Park
- 20-30 1B troop camp, Shalfleet, Isle of Wight
- 25-1 September National Scout canoe cruise, Avon and Severn

*** SEPTEMBER 1962 ** .

- 1-2 Thirty-sixth Gilwell Reunion
- 3 District Cub and Scout swimming snorts, Letchworth Swimming Pool, 6.15
- 9 CMs' Wayfaring, Hertford
- 15 Rock Council, DHQ, 8.15
- 14-16 Boy Scouts Association national conference, Skegness
- 20 District Gang Show committee, 47 Highfield, 8.0
- 29 Rover-Ranger dance, St Paul's hall, 7.30: admission 3/- including refreshments