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51B B)125 61L(B)124
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SCOUT SWIMMING SPORTS 1963
24L12 33L9
45L6
51L, 1B,5 77L3
CUB SWIMMING SPORTS 1963 14L9 25L

I am interested in going to the Brownie Training at St Albans on 9 November. Please reserve a seat on the coach for me and send me further details when available. PTO

THE B-P GUILD CUP ("Winter Patrol Competition.

This takes place again at Westbury School on Saturday afternoon 16 November, and for general reference we reprint the rules:-

Teams are composed of five Boy Scouts, under 15, who will report in uniform, but without staves or equipment. They must be genuine standing patrols, but may if necessary borrow from another patrol one boy who is not a PL or TL. An officer in charge will be appointed, together with a number of stewards. Judges setting the tests will be Group Scouters from our own District. 50 points each will be awarded for inspection and for tests in pioneering, observation, public service, explora tion and first aid. The winning patrol will receive the B-P Guild Cup for one year, and also a Scout Shop voucher for £1, presented by Letchworth & District B-P Guild.

PREVIOUS WINNERS		THIS YEAR'S JUDGES
1958 (7 teams)7L E	Eagles264	Inspection 3L
1959 (12 teams)1B P	Peewits215	Exploration 2L
1960 (14 teams)3L K	Kingfishers245½	First aid 1L
1961 (12 teams)2L R	Ravens221	Public service - 4L
1962 (10 teams)1L P	Peewits233	Observation 7L
		Pioneering 1B,2B



GUIDE GOSSIP by MCD

Census and annual reports: Can I please have the census-forms back promptly and can Guiders send me a report of their pack or company activities for the past year at the same time as I am preparing the report for the AGM.

 $\underline{\text{AGM}}$ is definitely confirmed for Monday 11 November at Hillshott School at 7.30 pm to be followed by entertainments concocted by several Guide companies.

<u>Jumble sale</u> on 14 September made £45 - and enough quality jumble left over to hold another one in late October. Further details later but collect any more jumble you can in the meantime.

 $\underline{\text{Badges}}$: The lists should be in now. Any Needlewoman candidates - Captain having seen the 2 completed garments is to send their names to Mrs Hiles by 14 October.

 $\underline{\text{Uniforms}}\colon \text{Any Guiders wishing to dispose of uniforms, please}$ bring them along to future committee meetings and we'll run an exchange and mart.

<u>PLs' training</u>: It is now hoped to hold this one Saturday in October, but no date is yet settled.

Trefoil Guild has been reshuffled and dealt out as follows: Chairman, Mrs D.Ellard, 5 Manor Way; Secretary, Mrs Stewart, Wilbury Hills Road (2254); Treasurer, kiss K.Lake, 56A Icknield Way - all in Letchworth, but their next meeting is in Baldock at the Rectory when Miss Brenchley is showing slides of Lorne the Guide training centre in Northern Ireland. Guiders welcome - and ex-Guides, if Guides and Brownies will pass the message on to their mums. Future provisional programmes include: Christmas table decorations, and the "kiss-of-life" demonstration.

<u>Training expenses</u>: The LA has agreed that all expenses incurred by Guiders going to trainings will be paid out of District funds. A claim form is being drawn up but in the mean time could those Guiders who went to Royston recently let me know how much it cost them?

Albans on 9 November. Please <u>Brownie Training</u>: Saturday 9 November, St Albans: Brownie reserve a seat on the coach for me and send me further Newlands, Letchworth.

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GUIDE GOSSIP CUNTINUED

<u>Warrants</u>: Mrs B.Wells has received a Captain's warrant for 4L (St Paul's) Guides.

Changes of address: Mrs Wells (4L G) from 68 Lawrence Avenue to 8 Green Lane, L. Mrs Marshall (2B B) from 30 The Close, B, to 203 Baldock Road, L.

Miss Stormont (2B G) from 3 Orchard Road to 8A Jackson Street, B.

<u>Welcome</u> to Mrs Thompson, 2 Byrd Walk, B, who is taking over 3B Guides now that Mrs Armitage has moved to Leicester.

Next District meeting (Guide and Ranger
Guiders only): Ranger Hut, Tuesday 29
October, 8 pm:

Fire Fighter badge: A course has been arranged for Wednesday evenings, starting on 9 October, 7 pm at Letchworth Fire Station. Names of girls to me immediate-ly. Priority will be given to those who applied in January

STAMP COLLECTORS

Several packets of foreign stamps have been given to the District. Any Scout or Cub collector may inspect them and take some free, any Wednesday afternoon at 80 Spring Road, Letchworth.

GOING TO THE CONFERENCE?

Scouters or others with car seats to spare are invited to co-ordinate through Mr Hodge (Letchworth 2734).

NEW SCOUT L A SECRETARY

Mr Eric Cree having left Letchworth, the new secretary is Mr Arthur Wood, 25 Cloisters Road, Letchworth (5948).

SCOUT MARKSMAN CLUB

A lay friend of Scouting offers to help run a pistol shooting club for boys interested in the Marksman badge. It would be expensive (probably a 10/- subscription) but would give opportunities not otherwise available. Anyone keen to try (Seniors and Rovers also eligible) please give names to SA Ken Johnson.

KON-TIKI 63

Letchworth UDC have agreed to lend the Swimming Pool to the Senior Scouts of the District on 12-13 October for the raft-dwelling contest. Television companies have been notified.

WORLD JAMBOREE 1967

Should we start a fund now? This idea, raised at the last LA Executive, will be discussed at the next one on 4 November.

"HERTFORDSHIRE Scout News" begins publication this month, with 1,700 copies being distributed free, to every Scouter in the county. Distribution is through LA Secretaries, and already, locally, there is some talk of a possible co-ordination with the posting of CO-ORDINATOR. It may not work; but we'll let you know.

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- 4 First rehearsal of Baldock's own Scout Show, Park Drive
- 4-6 Thirteenth County Senior Scout Gathering, Kinsbourne Green, Harpenden
- 5-6 Luton Rover-Ranger Conference
- 9 THE JAMBOREE STORY in films, slides, tapes and live first-hand accounts by the Men from Marathon David, Chris and Pete; John and Dick: DHQ, 7 pm (Silver collection)
- 12-13 KON-TIKI 63 for District Senior Scouts, Letchworth Swimming Pool
- 19-20 COUNTY SCOUTERS' CONFERENCE, Stevenage College of Further Education
- 20 "How to Cope with the 1960s".- 3: National Government, by Martin Maddan, MP. A Crew meeting of Letchworth District Rovers, to which all readers of CO-ORDINATOR are warmly invited, DHQ, 8 pm.
- 21 2 November : The Gang Show, Golders Green Hippodrome
- 21-27 Rover Wood Badge course, Gilwell Park
- 26-27 Scout Wood Badge preliminary training course (first of two weekends), Hoddesdon (see "Hertfordshire Scout News" for details of all PTCs)
- 26-27 London Rover-Ranger Moot, Guildhall
- 27 British Summer Time ends, 3 am
- 29 Scouters' Council, DHQ, 8 pm (AND LET'S SEE A FEW MORE GROUPS REPRESENTED!!!)
- 29 Guide and Ranger Guiders' District Meeting, Ranger Hut, 8 pm
- 50 Last items in, please, for CO-ORDINATOR 54

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- 2-3 Cub Wood Badge preliminary training course, Welwyn Garden City; Scout WB PTC (second of two weekends), Hoddesdon; Uxbridge (Middlesex) Rover-Ranger Conference
- 3 First District Training Session for Cub Instructors, ACMs etc.
- 4 Publication of CO-ORDINATOR 54
- 4 Scout LA Executive Committee, DHQ, 8 pm
- 6 District CUB QUIZ, DHQ, 6.30 pm
- 8 County Evening Rover Moot
- 9 Brownie Guiders' Training, St Albans
- 11 Guide LA Annual General Meeting, Hillshott, 7.30 pm
- 14 Rock Council, DHQ, 8.15 pm
- 16 B-P GUILD CUP COMPETITION, Westbury School, 2 pm
- 16 5L "At Home", Westbury School, 6.30 pm

BROWNIE	GUIDER	TRAINING	SLIP
NAME			
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