

NORTON COMMON CAMP

21-22-25 MAY 1965

SUMMARY OF ARRANGEMENTS

Camp Wardens: M. Murphy & J. Foster.

Pitch camp 6.30 pm. General camp routine as in former camps.

Saturday: Sports to be fitted in as directed by 7L Scouters.

Barbecue: 7.30. B-P Guild.

Camp Fire: 8.30. Leader, J. Bruce.

Barbecue: 9.15 till sold out.

Sunday: Scouts' Own, 11.0. Father Rumséy to officiate.

Sports finals: during afternoon.

Flagdown: 6.30

Working Parties: 1L: Marquee.

5L: Latrines.

4L: Tuck Shop (i/c Brian Watkins).

1-2B: Camp Fire.

SSL Colin Phillips: Water supply.

All other troops to see to general tidiness of the site.

Please note: All troops to provide own means of cooking, whether wood, charcoal, paraffin or gas.

Milk orders to J. Foster, 7 Campfield Way, -Letchworth, by Wednesday 19 May.

It is hoped that we shall have the co-operation of the Guides in many of our activities. This is something new to the District. Given a fair trial there is no reason why we shouldn't learn quite a lot from each other and have a good Scouting and. Guiding get-together.

L. COLLINS
ADC(B)

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Please add to date list on page 2:
7L annual general meeting, St Thomas's,
8 pm, 25 May.

SCOUTERS!

Look here at the results of the new artsandcrafts contest! Come and see the best entries on display this Wednesday at the District AGM, when the Plinston Trophy (the handsomest one you ever saw) will be presented to the winning group, and certificates awarded to the boys named on this page.

Judge of the Best Exhibit in Show was Mr H. Gay: a very difficult choice, he said, the decision going finally for utility as well as practical skill in craftsmanship.

FIRST ANNUAL ART & HANDICRAFT COMPETITION

FULL RESULTS:

SECTION 1 : ART

Senior Class: 1 Silhouette by David Innes (7L); 2 Pencil drawing of leaves by Roger Cooper (5L); 3 Crayon landscape by John Lavery (2L).

Scout Class: 1 Linoprint forest scene by Douglas Rowson (5L); 2 Pen and ink camel by Kevin Hart (7L); 3 Pencil cat by Paul Fitch (5L).

Cub Class: 1 Watercolour boat by David Francis (1W); 2 Poster colour galleon by Christopher Burrell (1L); 3 Crayon elephant by Trevor Cottenden (3B).

SECTION 2 : HANDICRAFT

Senior Class: 1 Toolbox by Jonathan Savage (3L); 2 Loudspeaker cabinet by Colin Green (7L); 5 Copper bowl by Brian Astridge (3L).

Scout Class: 1 Model bridge by Kevin Hart (7L); 2 Folding stool by Geoffrey Hawkeswood (7L); 3 First aid box by Hugh Grant (3L).

Cub Class: 1 Model Stonehenge by Stephen Hudson (7L); 2 Lighthouse by Martin Kemp (7L); 3 Papiermaché tiger by Andrew Lake (5L).

SECTION 3 : WOODCRAFT

Senior Class: 1 Wood dish by Graham Rowson (5L); 2 Wood dish by Michael Steele (5L).

Scout Class: 1 Carved boat lampshade by Melvyn Baker (5L) (BEST IN SHOW).

Cub Class: 1 Miniature garden by David Tyrrell (1L).

SECTION 4 : COOKERY

Senior Class: 1 Cream sandwich by David Ringrow (7L).

Scout Class: 1 Chocolate sandwich by Trevor Hart (7L); 2 Fruit cake by Christopher Brett (5L); 3 Long loaf by Trevor Hart (7L).

Cub Class: 1 Jam sandwich by Graham Allison (1W); 2 Fruit cake by Stephen Allison (1W); 3 Six small cakes by Simon Turner (1W).

SECTION 5 : PHOTOGRAPHY

Scout Class: 1 Edlesborough church; 2 Locomotive; 3 Goat: all by Graham Rose (3L).

GROUP POSITIONS

1.....	7L.<.....	43 points
2.....	5L.....	29
3.....	1W.....	20
4.....	3L.....	18
5.....	2L.....	8
6.....	1L.....	6
7.....	9L.....	3
8.....	3B.....	2
9.....	(1A)	1
	(8L)	

Judges were Mr P. Wey (art), Mr K. Martin (handicraft), Mr Benton (woodcraft), Mr W. Kefford (cookery) and Mr D. Brunt (photography).

Fuller reports will appear in Friday's local papers.

GUIDERS' NOTES

.....from M.C. DRYLIE

The Camp Equipment is already booked for the following camps:

- 21-23 MAY - Letchworth District weekend camp.
 4-8 JUNE - PLs' camp, Susan Furlong, 1L.
 4-12 JUNE - Company camp, Miss Stormont, 2B.
 11-13 JUNE - Baldock District weekend camp.
 31 JULY - 6 AUGUST - Company camp, Mrs Cook, 1L.
 14-21 AUGUST.- Company camp; Mrs Wells, 4L.

Anyone else wishing to use the equipment must avoid these dates.

Since the equipment was checked and listed in 1964 the following items are missing:- 1 green toilet tent, 5 ground-sheets, 1 sitter groundsheet, 1 tent repair kit, 1 axe, 1 blanket, 1 aluminium saucepan, 2-sets of larder boards, a bundle of meat skewers, 1 ladle, 1 strainer spoon, 1 enamel mug, 1 kitchen knife, 1 tin opener, 4 potato peelers, 3 wooden spoons, 3 knives, 11 forks, 2 dessert spoons, 4 tea spoons, 1 salt pot, 1 pepper pot, 1 enamel tray, 6 enamel bowls, 2 enamel basins, 6 enamel plates.

I think you will all agree that this is absolutely scandalous and of course if this continues we shall not-have any camping equipment left before long. If anyone has any of the above items or knows where they are, they should ring Miss Brenchle (Baldock 2201) IMMEDIATELY and then endeavour to return it or them as soon as possible.

FOR LETCHWORTH GUIDERS-ONLY:

Lists of girls requiring testing for proficiency badges to be in by 22 May - earlier if possible. Lists sent in after this date will be returned! Guide lists to Mrs Smith, 9 Bowershott, Brownie lists to Mrs Neal, 7 Lawrence Avenue. Guides who have applied for Child Nurse and Cook toots, please apply again as our list is rather out of date., Remember: girls who don't turn up for a test without notice will not be allowed to try for that badge again for six months.

The Coffee Morning will be on 15 May at the Civil Defence Hall, 10 am to 12: Will each Captain and Brown Owl have a session with their girls writing notices to take to parents. Tickets (1/-) will be available from the LA shortly.

As announced, there will be a wild-flower arranging competition for Guides and Brownies with a small prize in each class. Flowers and jamjar (painted or covered if desired) must be brought to the hall and arranged there between 9 and 10 am on 15 May.

Lanyard making sessions; Wednesdays 5, 12, 26 May, 2, 9-June, at 21 Newlands, 7.30-8.30 pm. Learners will need two 50'

hanks white plaiters line or 3/- to purchase same from me, and a roll of thin string (Woolworth's, 6d.) for practising. (NB: Not 19 May: I have another meeting.)

GUIDERS' DIARY DATES : May

- 10 Guide Guiders' Training, Hertford, 7.15 pm (see County Booklet)
 15 Coffee Morning, 10 am - 12 noon
 21-23 District Weekend Camp
 25 District Committee, Ranger Hut, 8 pm
 26 Brownie Guiders' Training, St Albans, 7.15 pm (see County Booklet)

June

- 18-20 County Training Camp, Hatfield
 21 Guide Guiders' Training, Hitchin
 22 Trefoil Guild, Ranger Hut, 7.45 pm
 26 Brownie Revels

SCOUT DATES: MAY 1965

- 3 1B annual general meeting (postponed from 28 April), Park Drive, 7.30 pm
 5 DISTRICT ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, and handcraft competition awards, DHQ, 8 pm
 7 8L annual general meeting, Grange Infants School, 8 pm
 8 1B open afternoon, Park Drive
 8 5L jumble sale, DHQ, 3 pm
 8 Rover Dance, Baldock Town Hall, 7.30
 8-9 PLs' Weekend, Well End
 11 ROCK COUNCIL (uniform), DHQ, 8 pm
 12 1A annual general meeting, Primary School, 7.45 pm
 12 Letchworth B-P Guild annual general meeting (postponed from 22 April), Library Hall
 14-16: The proposed District PLs' Training Camp has been postponed till the autumn.
 16 County Catholic Cub rally, Ware
 18 5L annual general meeting, Westbury School, 7 pm
 21-25 NORTON COMMON CAMP (see page 1)
 26 Last items in, please, for CO-ORDINATOR 73

- 31 Publication of CO-ORDINATOR 73
 31 SCOUTERS' COUNCIL, DHQ, 8 pm

JUNE 1965

- 2 LA Executive Committee (to be confirmed)
 6 Whit Sunday
 12 4L Summer Fair, St Paul's Hall
 13 SECOND ANNUAL DISTRICT COOKING COMPETITION, Park Drive, Baldock
 18-20 International Weekend, Gilwell
 26-27 Boy Scout County Marathon
 26 District Gang Show party, DHQ, 6 pm
 28 Publication of CO-ORDINATOR 74

JULY 1965

- 3 Cubs' Afternoon at Gilwell

AUGUST 1965

- 2 Publication of CO-ORDINATOR 75
 5-14 Jamboree Cymru, Ruabon, Denbighshire
 30 Bank Holiday
 30 Publication of CO-ORDINATOR 76