



NOVEMBER 1970

GO-ORDINATOR 138

LETCWORTH & BALDOCK DISTRICT SCOUT COUNCIL MONTHLY BULLETIN

Free to Scouters and Group officials,; available free to all Scout Patrol Leaders at the District Scout Shop; 6/6 (32½p) annually to other readers - subscriptions payable to the District Information Officer, 80 Spring Road, Letchworth.

ADC (Cubs)

After many years of invaluable service as Assistant District Commissioner for Wolf Cubs and for Cub Scouts, Mrs Kathleen Tippet has retired, in order to concentrate her efforts on the running of the Fifth Letchworth Pack.

Mrs Audrey Pouton (16 Brandles Road, Letchworth: telephone 6330) has been asked by the DC to take over the duties of ADC (Cub Scouts) and her application for a warrant is going forward. Mrs Pouton is assured of the best wishes and support of the entire District.

DHQ bookings

With the regrettable dispersal of the members of the District Service Team, the problem of completing the reconstruction work on District Headquarters is being urgently pursued by the Executive Committee. Meanwhile, DHQ is usable and available for District functions, and all applications for bookings should for the time being be made through the District Commissioner, 47 Norton Road, Letchworth (3564).

Job Week 1971

Group Scouters are asked to ascertain as soon as possible whether their Scouts and Cubs will be participating in National Scout Job Week next year, and to let the District Secretary know immediately: Peter Norton, 74 Willian Way, Letchworth (4545).

Troop Scouters

Miss Cheryl Bray and Miss Jeanne Thompson have relinquished their joint duties as Secretary of the Troop Scouters' Council, and Mr Leslie Burt (5 Burley, Letchworth: phone 72119) has been appointed Secretary.

TROPHY SHARING

Clarification of the question of a tie in the Barton Shield first aid competition was made at the Scouters' Council on 22 October. It was decided that in the case of future ties, a rule should be made from the understanding that prevailed some years ago, and if two teams finish with equal marks, the trophy will be awarded to the team which has scored the higher marks in the individual questions.

The Mod Trophy

We await the result of the Subuteo match between 7L and 4L Musketeers packs. Whichever pack wins; their corresponding Scout troop will have to defend the Trophy from the 8L Trojan troop in an angling match.

"Champers"

A new edition of the official bulletin of Champion Hills Venture Scout Unit is now being distributed to all Groups, and is of particular interest to Scouts of 15½. Further copies may be obtained from the VS Executive: Secretary, Paul Brazier, 2 Croft Lane, Letchworth; Chairman, Ian Smith, 6 Highfield; Treasurer, Martin Kemp, 28 Rowan Crescent.

THIS MONTH

SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER 1970

First-Third Letchworth Group Council invite you to

DANCE

at the Grange Community Centre, 8-12 pm.
Tickets from Mrs Watson, 65 Highfield.

SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER 1970

Gang Show

Mostly a Reunion Party - plus a little AGM! All your questions answered about last year - with a look forward to 1971! All welcome. DHQ. 1930 hours.

SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER 1970

B-P GUILD CUP Competition

This contest is a day hike, not exceeding ten miles. Points will be awarded for certain tasks and for correct timekeeping. Teams must be of at least TWO Scouts of the same Patrol, subject to the approval of the organizers. Teams will report at DHQ at 0930, in correct uniform (i.e., non-uniform jerseys underneath uniform shirts!) with other equipment as shall be specified on acceptance of the application form. Forms appear on this month's colour supplement, and each entry must reach the organizer (Ken Johnson, 80 Spring Road, Letchworth) not later than SUNDAY 8 NOVEMBER, with the fee of 2/- (10p) a team.

THURSDAY 19 NOVEMBER 1970

IT'S **FAB!** FIFTH'S AUTUMN BAZAAR!

Gifts - games - films - refreshments - all at 5L HQ, Spring Road, from 7 pm. Don't miss the new floor show!

SATURDAY 21 NOVEMBER 1970

FREE Church Hall 11am till 4 pm -

SEVENTH LETCWORTH'S CHRISTMAS

Coffee morning! Hot lunches! All the fun of the fair!

FAIR

THIS MONTH : CONTINUED

THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER 1970

Note the new date for the District

CUB QUIZ

Same time (1830) - same place (DHQ) - teams of four from each Pack. Good luck to every one of them!

SATURDAY 28 NOVEMBER 1970

Assuming that Stevenage Swimming Pool is open and operating, we have it booked for the Letchworth & Baldock District annual

SWIMMING GALA

Events start at 7 pm : full details have been circulated to all sections by the organizer, Jeff Robson, 67 High Avenue, Letchworth (4954).

MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER 1970

is publication day for CO-ORDINATOR 139. Please ensure that all items for inclusion reach the District Information Officer by Friday 27 November at 9 am, at the latest.

MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER 1970

CHVSUAGM

Group Scouters and all Scouts over 15 are most cordially invited to what promises to be a lively evening at DHQ, 2000 hours.

NEXT MONTH

THURSDAY 3 DECEMBER 1970

TROOP	DHQ
SCOUTERS'	2000
COUNCIL	

FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER 1970

to SUNDAY 6 DECEMBER 1970

District Patrol Leaders' Training Course at First Baldock HQ, Park Drive. Places reserved for one PL or APL from each Troop in the District. Full details have been circulated by DSL Jeff Robson.

SATURDAY 5 DECEMBER 1970

First-Third Letchworth

C H R I S T M A S F A I R * * * * *

Howard Hall

SATURDAY 19 DECEMBER 1970

OPERATION NIGHTJAR

The year's toughest competition, for the senior Scouts. Starts at 10 pm, finishes around 5.30 am. Teams of two with bikes. Minimum age normally 14, but in special circumstances those aged 13 may be accepted subject to approval by parents, Scouter, organizer and DC. Entry form (in colour supplement) must be submitted by SUNDAY 6 DECEMBER, with 2/- (10p) a team entry fee. ABSOLUTELY NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED. Other Districts may enter!

FRIDAY 25 DECEMBER 1970

Last items in, please, to the DIO, for inclusion in CO-ORDINATOR 140.

THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER 1970

Every Scout PL and APL has a right to speak in the DISTRICT PLs' COUNCIL

7.30 pm Fifth Letchworth HQ, Spring Road
Visitors' Gallery open to Scouters.

Baldock Guiders

Just a few dates...

***COMBINED MEETING with the Local Association about the Christmas Fair arrangements. Tuesday 3 November, 8 pm, Mansfield Road School.

***GUIDE GUIDERS' TRAINING. Thursday 12 November, 7.30 - 9.30 pm, Barclay School, Stevenage.

***BROWNIE GUIDERS' TRAINING. Tuesday 10 November, 7.30 - 9.30 pm, Welwyn Garden City.

xxxCHRISTMAS FAIR. Saturday 21 November, Baldock Town Hall.

xxxGUIDERS' MEETING. Thursday 26 November, 7.45 pm, First Baldock Scout HQ.

M. MARSHALL, DC
203 Baldock Road
Letchworth

Letchworth Guiders

NOVEMBER 3 TUESDAY : Guiders' Meeting, 7.30, Ranger Hut.

NOVEMBER 7 SATURDAY : Coffee horning and Bazaar, 10 - 12, Free Church Hall.

NOVEMBER 10 TUESDAY : Trefoil Guild Supper Party, 7.45 pm, Free Church Hall.

NOVEMBER 12 THURSDAY : Training for Guide Guiders on "Relationships", 7.30, Barclay School, Stevenage.

Further details:

Coffee morning - further articles to sell are needed. Please bring any money for tickets sold to the Guiders' meeting on Tuesday.

Trefoil Guild supper party - I believe a few places are still available. Please contact Mrs Bain, 9 Station Road, Baldock. Tickets are 16/- (80p) each.

Training at Barclay School will be taken by Miss Sandra Thurgood.

Camp Reunion is being planned - stand by for further details.

M.C. DRYLIE, DC
21 Newlands
Letchworth

G U I D E R S and Scouters

are asked to cut out the small advertisements for the Scout Shop in the colour supplement, and use them to inform parents (especially of new recruits) where the place is!

S P A D S present

JACK AND THE BEAN-STALK
Their Annual Pantomime at St Francis' Theatre
TUESDAY 29 DECEMBER 1970 to SATURDAY 2 JANUARY 1971.

Parties of Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies 4/- (20p) each on TUESDAY and THURSDAY evenings: this price includes ice cream or soft drink, whichever is available. BOOKINGS and enquiries to 206 Rushby Place, Letchworth.

B-P GUILD CUP

WINTER PATROL COMPETITION
SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER 1970
ENTRY FORM

The following members of the _____ Patrol, _____ Troop wish to enter the competition. (Minimum number is TWO, subject to approval by the organizers, but the more members of the Patrol who are involved the better.)

FIRST NAME	SURNAME	RANK	DATE OF BIRTH

I enclose 2/- (10p) entry fee. SIGNED: _____ (PATROL LEADER)

ADDRESS: _____

This is all right by me.

(SL)

This form must reach the District Information Officer
80 Spring Road, Letchworth, not later than SUNDAY
8 NOVEMBER. Teams will be notified of acceptance.

OPERATION NIGHTJAR

SENIOR SCOUT COMPETITION
SATURDAY - SUNDAY 19-20 DECEMBER 1970

The following Scouts wish to take part in this competition, having read and understood the conditions in "Co-ordinator" for November 1970.

FIRST NAME	SURNAME	ADDRESS	DATE OF BIRTH	PARENT'S SIGNATURE

SCOUT LEADER'S SIGNATURE _____

ADDRESS _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

A	B	C	D	E	F	G
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This form must reach the District Information Officer, 80 Spring Road, Letchworth, with 2/- (10p) entry fee NOT LATER THAN SUNDAY 6 DECEMBER. NO LATE ENTRY ACCEPTED



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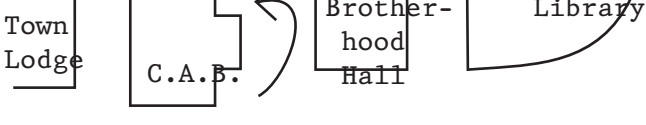
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