

THE OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF LETCHWORTH AND BALDOCK DISTRICT SCOUT COUNCIL

WARRANTS.

Congratulations to the following leaders who have been awarded Warrants:-

James Blacker	ASL 7th. Letchworth.
Graham Hopkins	ASL 8th. Letchworth.
Kevin Smith	ACSL 1st. Baldock.

CENSUS 1992 (1991 in brackets.)

Beaver Scouts	115	(109)
Cub Scouts	236	(220)
Scouts	173	(151)
Venture Scouts	51	(43)
Leaders	78	(73)
District Team	13	(9)
Scout Fellowship	11	(14)

After a period of falling membership it is pleasing to see an increase in all sections. A glance through District records shows that our membership has been just over seven hundred on two occasions 1981 and 1985. However the composition is very different because we did not have Beaver Scouts in those days. With a little more effort I am sure we could achieve a record figure next year.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY PARADE.

This year's Parade will be held on Sunday 26th. April at 3.00pm. and the service will be held at St. George's Church, Letchworth. There will be a rehearsal for full colour parties in full uniform at 10.15am. on Saturday 25th. April.

Full details will be in next month's Co-ordinator.

GROUP ADMINISTRATORS EVENING.

The next meeting for Group Administrators will be held at Norton Bury on Thursday 19th. March commencing at 7.30pm.

Subjects for discussion include the role of Assistant District Commissioners annual census and membership subscription, insurance, the Promise Appeal, the Law and Scouting and A.G.M.'s.

DISTRICT FELLOWSHIP.

WHO, WHAT, WHY, WHEN AND WHERE ARE WE ?.

Come and find the answers at an Open Evening on Tuesday 31st March, at Guide H.Q. 7.30pm. for 8.00pm. Please send a represent-tive from each section. Letters will be sent to each Group.

Coach trip to Thriplow to see the daffodils. Sunday April 12th. Leave Arena Car Park 1.45pm. arrive back approx 5.00pm. £5.00 adults. £2.50 youngsters.

Contact Maggie or Laurie.

HERTFORDSHIRE TRAINING TEAM.

The next training opportunities are :-

Leadership 1 (Cub Scouts) June 12/13/14 and Sept. 25/26/27

Leadership 1 (Venture Scouts) April 3/4/5 and June 5/6/7

Introductory April 11, May 30, June 20.

OR

Introductory April 12, May 31, June 21.

Leadership 2 April 25, June 27/28.

Leadership 2 September 12, October 17/18.

If you require any of this training please get in touch with Colin Phillips as soon as possible.

Many of you have not yet returned the Training Questionnaire to Colin. Please spend ten minutes completing it so that the County Team can plan their programme to meet your requirements.

PROMISE '92.

The County Co-ordinator for the Promise Appeal is D. Nash, 15 St. John's Close, Welwyn, Herts. AL6 9RB. Tel. 043 871 5175.

MOUNTAINEERING OPPORTUNITIES.

Hertfordshire Scouts offer the following opportunities :-

Introduction to the Hills (Orchard Farm. 2 - 4 May. approx £40.00. (Suitable for Scouts over 12 years old with no experience).

Basic Rock Climbing (Peak District) 8 - 10 May. approx £25.00.

Basic Hill Walking for Leaders (Coetmor Mill) 2 - 4 Oct. Approx. £35.00.

Further details are available from the District Mountain Advisor, Paul Miller, 170 Howard Drive. Tel. 682090.

PATROL LEADER TRAINING 1992.

Fellowship Open Evening.

A few places are still available for this training at Norton Bury on 27th.-29th. March. but early booking is advisable. Contact Neil Broughton, County Advisor (Scouts) - Hitchin 435166.

DISTRICT DIARY.

31st.

MARCH.			APRIL
5th. 9th. 11th. 12th. 14/15th. 19th. 21st, 26th. 27/28/29	Initial Training (part 1) Cub Leaders Meeting. Warrants Committee. Executive Committee. Sixers and Second. Training. Administrators Evening. Cub Six a Side. District Team. Patrol Leaders Training Norton Bury.	1st. 9th. 12th. 12th. 25th. 26th.	Warrants Committee. District Executive. Cub Gold Arrow Award Day. Trip to Thriplow. St. George's Day Rehearsal. St. George's Day Parade.