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THE OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF LETCHWORTH AND BALDOCK DISTRICT SCOUT COUNCIL

DISTRICT GANG SHOW

Rehearsals for the 1998 Gang Show will start on Saturday 11th October. They will be held at 1st/3rd Letchworth Scout HQ, Icknield Way from 5pm until 7pm. Everyone will be most welcome to come along and join in - you do not have to be a marvelous singer/actor, enthusiasm is a great asset. Please encourage your Cubs, Scouts, Venture Scouts and Leaders to support the 1998 Gang Show.

Any further information can be obtained from Andrea Soulsby on Baldock 491401.

DISTRICT ARTS & CRAFTS COMPETITION

This Bi-Annual event will this year be held at Lannock School, Letchworth on Saturday 18th October. You should, by now, have seen a copy of the rules and classes - if you haven't then contact your GSL or Chris Parr (Baldock 892001)

All entries to be in by 10.30am on the Saturday morning; Judging will commence at 10.30am; Public viewing from 2pm and presentations at 3.30pm

Welwyn Garden City District Night Hike 1997

This annual event is an incident hike competition over a course of approx. 8 miles. (It is NOT a race!) The route is different every year and takes place in the central Hertfordshire area. Patrols of between 4 and 7 young people can take part. Patrols may consist of Scouts, Guides or both and may be accompanied by an adult or not as they wish. Skills that are needed are being able to read a map, be able to follow instructions and have a working knowledge of basic Scouting/Guiding skills. Cost is £18 per patrol. Rita Hawkins (District Secretary) has a copy of the entry form or alternatively contact the organiser - Tony Cobb on 01707-335046

NORTON BURY

A PLAY PARACHUTE is missing from Norton Bury Scout & Guide Centre.
If you have taken it away by mistake or have borrowed and failed to return same.
Norton Bury would be very pleased to hear from you.

WHAT MAKES A GOOD CUB SCOUT

I think you should be kind and helpful to new Cubs. You shouldn't be rude to the Leaders and if the Leader says something do it. Try hard to get badges and keep the Cub Scout Law. If you lose games don't be a bad sport. If you become a sixer or seconder don't be too bossy. Also try to make friends with other people and don't be horrible to new boys. And if you don't go up to Scouts, you'll miss a lot of good super things.

Adam Cole - 5th Letchworth Cub

DIARY DATES - DIARY DATES**OCTOBER**

1st	Warrants Committee Meeting
2nd	District Scout Troop -1st Meet - 8pm-9.30pm NBury
3rd-5th	County Camping Competition
9th	Patrol Leaders Meeting 7pm-8pm Norton Bury
9th	District Executive Meeting - Norton Bury
11th	Gang Show rehearsal - 5pm-7pm 1st/3rd Scout HQ
15th	DEADLINE FOR NOVEMBER CO-ORDINATOR
18th	District Arts & Crafts Competition - Lannock School
18th	Fellowship AGM - Guide HQ, Licknield Way
19th	District Cub Day Out - Chessington
23rd	Administration Evening - 8pm Norton Bury
27th-31st	HALF TERM - Scout Shop Closed

NOVEMBER

3rd	District Cub Leaders Meeting - 32 The Rowans
6th	District Scout Troop Meeting - Norton Bury
8th	District Scout Cooking Competition
13th	District Executive Meeting - Norton Bury
14th-16th	County Green Beret Competition
20th	DEADLINE FOR DECEMBER CO-ORDINATOR
21st	District Cub Quiz - 5th Letchworth Scout HQ
28th	District Scout Quiz - 7th Letchworth Scout HQ