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**THE OFFICIAL BULLETIN
OF LETCHWORTH AND BALDOCK
DISTRICT SCOUT COUNCIL**

New Leaders

Welcome to the following Leaders who have been awarded their warrants:-

Suzanne Hudson who has joined 11th Letchworth as BSL

Diane Wallis who has joined 12th Letchworth as ABSL

Mervyn Templeton who has been appointed as the SL of the new District Scout Troop

Assistant District Commissioners

It gives me great pleasure to announce the appointments of :

Deb Dilley as ADC(Beavers) with immediate effect

Dave Hawkins as ADC(Cubs) from 9th March 1998

Chris King as ADC(Scouts) with immediate effect

Group Scout Leader

Monica Thomason is to become GSL at 12th Letchworth

I hope you will support them in their new appointments

Bob Williams DC.

Long Service Awards

Congratulations to John Chapman (ADC - Adult Training)

Roger Comley (ADC - Fellowship)

Andrea Soulsby (CSL - 1st Baldock)

who have been awarded their Long Service Decoration for over fifteen years service to Scouting.

Hertfordshire Leader Training

Please find attached a schedule of the Leader Training courses for 1998 as run by the County for Phases 3/4/5 and First Aid. On the reverse of the schedule you will find an application form.

If you wish to apply for any of the courses then send the completed form to John Chapman - ADC(Adult Training)

Wanted - New Editor for Co-Ordinator.

I have been the editor of Co-Ordinator for the past 2 1/2 years and now feel that I would like to pass this job onto someone else. It does not take a great deal of time to do and the majority of the material is supplied from the various groups/people around the District. If you feel that you would like to have a go at this role then please contact Andrea Soulsby as soon as possible. My last issue, as the editor, will be April 1998.

Tolmers Open Day - Sunday 1st March 1998 - 10am to 2pm

All site activities will be running free of charge. Also we have Quad bikes for you to try. These can be available if you are planning a large district or county camp. Tolmers Open Day is a chance for you and your group to come and have a go, see the improvements and have a chat with the New Warden and his team.

Hot food and drinks will be available at a small charge and the shop will be open for sweets and souvenirs. Please telephone to book places.

We look forward to meeting you.

Jeanette Lanham

SITE ADMINISTRATOR

(01707 872900)

District Gang Show

This year's Gang Show will be at Plinston Hall, Letchworth on Friday 20th and Saturday 21st March 1998. There is an evening performance on both days at 7.30pm and also a matinee on the Saturday at 2.30pm. Tickets are priced at £3.50 for the tiered seats and £2.50 for the flat seats. All leaders in the District should have received a booking form for the Gang Show by now.

Please come along and support this year's show - the Gang have been rehearsing very hard since October and are looking forward to presenting a lively and entertaining show.

Further information and tickets can be obtained from Mike Miles on Letchworth 620749

St George's Day Parade and Service

This year's St George's Day Parade and Service will be held at St George's Church, Letchworth on Sunday 26th April starting at 3pm. The parade will assemble at the Paddling Pool, Norton Way South. Please assemble at 2.15pm so that the parade can move off at 2.40pm. On returning from the Church the Parade will dismiss at the Paddling Pool at about 4pm. Please inform parents that this will be the pick-up point.

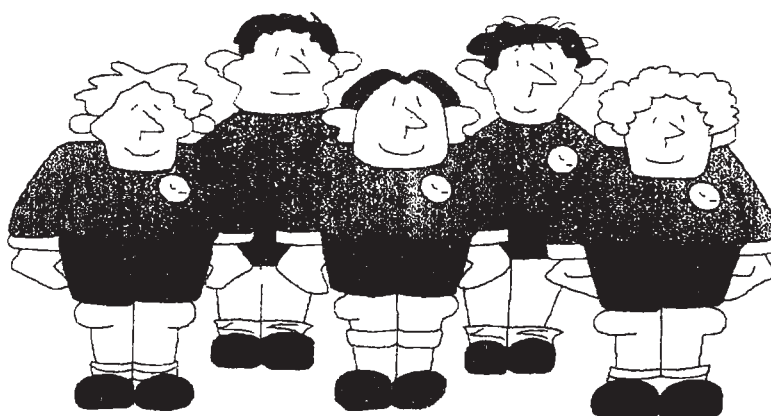
There will be a rehearsal for FULL COLOUR PARTIES IN UNIFORM on Saturday 25th April at 10am.

Note 1: Those units not turning up at the rehearsal or making prior arrangements with John Chapman (01462 686772) will parade without their colours, as will anyone turning up on the day with colour parties not in correct uniform.

Note 2: If the weather is too wet then proceed direct to the Church for a 3pm service.

Note 3: Please rehearse your colour parties before the day so that they are familiar with the routine before they arrive at the main rehearsal.

Meet the District Team



We are holding a cheese and wine evening at 12th Letchworth HQ, Lordship School on Thursday 19th March at 8 o'clock for Leaders and members of Group Executive Committees to meet the District team. This is an opportunity to learn about the support that we can give groups and exchange ideas.

Everyone is welcome and we are looking forward to a good turn out.

PROTECTING CHILDREN FROM ABUSE

By now all Leaders will have received a copy of the booklet “**Protecting Children From Abuse**”. On pages 7/10 and 8/10 there are telephone numbers BUT these should not be contacted directly. There is an insert showing the Scout Association procedure. Immediate contact should be with the DC and Brian Melville (Deputy CC) is the only person to make direct contact with the authorities.

DIARY DATES	FEBRUARY	
	4th	Warrants Committee Meeting -Norton Bury
	5th	District Scout Troop Meeting
	12th	District Executive Meeting - Norton Bury
	15th	DEADLINE FOR MARCH CO-ORDINATOR
	19th	District Team Meeting - Norton Bury
	MARCH	
	4th	Warrants Committee Meeting -Norton Bury
	5th	District Scout Troop Meeting
	6th-8th	Peak Assault
	7th-8th	District Cub Sixers/seconders Weekend - Norton Bury
	9th	District Cub Leaders Meeting - I South Close Baldock
		Please note change of date & venue - tel:491228
	12th	Patrol Leaders Council - Norton Bury - 7pm-8pm
	12th	District Executive Meeting - Norton Bury
	15th	County Cooking Competition
	16th	DEADLINE FOR APRIL CO-ORDINATOR
	19th	Meet the District Team - 12th Letchworth HQ - 8pm
	20th-21st	District Gang Show - Plinston Hall
	28th-29th	Operation Ferret

Correction to District Directory

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PAGE	ADD	DELETE
3	ADC (B) Deb Dilley Wrayfield Farm Stofold SG3 4NR Tele: 01462 730300	
3	ADC (S) Chris King 55 Westell Close Baldock SC7 6RY Tele: 01462 490218	
3	Advisor (Special Needs) Venetia Crowther 5 Ellice Letchworth Tele: 01462 674873	
4		Secretary Carol Wheen
5		CSL (Wed) Dean Parr
7		Secretary (4th Letchworth) Angela Searle
8	Chairman Tele: 01462 624731	
9		Chairman Gill Gibson
10	B.S.L Suzanne Husdon 25 Lawrence Avenue Letchworth SG6 2EY Tele: 01462 484467	ABSL Michael Holt
10	Cubs Meet Wednesday	Monday

11	GSL Monica Thomason 10 Newlands Letchworth SG6 2JE Tele: 01462 683235	Adviser Monica Thomason
	ABSL Daine Wallis 12 Netley Dell Letchworth SG6 2TF Tele: 01462 481655	
12		ASL (Mark Winter) Address Only
14	Fellowship Secretary Margaret Durrant Tele: 01462 624731	
14	Norton Bury Centre Treasurer John Moys Tele: 01462 487847	
14	Girl Guide Association DC Letchworth South Ann Chapman 47 Baldock Road Letchworth SG6 3JX Tele: 01462 686722	DC Letchworth South Dawn Pettit

update 1.20/1/98

Letchworth Baldock District Diary 1998

DISTRICT	BEAVERS	CUBS	SCOUTS	VENTURES
JANUARY	JANUARY	JANUARY	JANUARY	JANUARY
7 Appointments Committee	13 ADC Meeting	12 Leaders Meeting	8 District Scout Troop	10 Deadline Peak Assault
8 District Executive	19 Leaders Meeting		10 Deadline Peak Assault	15 Leaders Meeting
12 Cub Leaders Meeting			15 Leaders Meeting	23 Bacchus 10th Ann
15 Scout Leaders Meeting			24 District Cooking Comp	
FEBRUARY	FEBRUARY	FEBRUARY	FEBRUARY	FEBRUARY
4 Appointments Committee			5 District Scout Troop	16 ADC Meeting
12 District Executive				
19 District Team				
MARCH	MARCH	MARCH	MARCH	MARCH
4 Appointments Committee	3 ADC Meeting	2 Leaders Meeting	5 District Scout Troop	20 -21 Gang Show
4 ADC Fellowship Meeting	20 - 21 Gang Show	7 - 8 Sixers & 2nd W/E	6 - 8 Peak Assault	28 -29 Operation Ferret
12 District Executive	28 - 29 Operation Ferret	20 -21 Gang Show	12 PL's Council	6 - 8 Peak Assault
19 Meet the District Team	28 Beaver Challenge	28 - 29 Operation Ferret	15 ADC Meeting	
20 -21 Gang Show			15 County Cooking Comp	
28 - 29 Operation Ferret			20 - 21 Gang Show	
			20 - 22 Chief Scout's Award	
			28 - 29 Operation Ferret	
APRIL	APRIL	APRIL	APRIL	APRIL
1 Appointments Committee	26 St Georges Day Parade	26 St Georges Day Parade	Nightjar	26 St Georges Day
9 District Executive			2 District Scout Troop	23 Leaders Meeting
23 Scout Leaders Meeting			23 Leaders Meeting	
26 St Georges Day Parade			26 St Georges Day Parade	
MAY	MAY	MAY	MAY	MAY
6 Appointments Committee		11 Leaders Meeting	7 District Scout Troop	19 ADC Meeting
14 District AGM			10 District Football	
			19 ADC Meeting	

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DISTRICT	BEAVERS	CUBS	SCOUTS	VENTURES
JUNE	JUNE	JUNE	JUNE	JUNE
3 Appointments Committee	2 ADC Meeting	8 District Camp Meeting	4 District Scout Troop	15 Leaders Meeting
3 District Team Meeting	13 - 14 County Fun Day	19 -21 District Camp	15 District Scout Leaders	25 District BBQ
11 District Executive	25 District BBQ	25 District BBQ	25 District BBQ	
12 County Fellowship Camp				
15 Scout Leaders Meeting				
25 District BBQ				
JULY	JULY	JULY	JULY	JULY
1 Appointments Committee	15 Bangers & Bash	13 Leaders Meeting	2 District Scout Troop	
9 District Executive			3 - 5 PAW Weekend	
SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER
2 Appointments Committee	Leaders Meeting	7 Leaders Meeting	3 District Scout Troop	5 Beech Spring 21st Ann
10 District Executive	26 Beavers Sports Day	27 Sports Day	22 ADC Team Meeting	17 ADC Meeting
17 District Team Meeting			24 Leaders Meeting	18 - 20 County VSU
24 Scout Leaders Meeting				24 Leaders Meeting
OCTOBER	OCTOBER	OCTOBER	OCTOBER	OCTOBER
7 Appointments Committee	6 ADC Meeting		1 District Scout Troop	2-4 Getting Organised
7 ADC Fellowship	18 National ADC Workshop		2 - 4 County Patrol Camping	
8 District Executive				
22 Meet the District Team				
NOVEMBER	NOVEMBER	NOVEMBER	NOVEMBER	NOVEMBER
4 Appointments Committee		2 Leaders Meeting	5 District Scout Troop	19 Leaders Meeting
12 District Executive		20 District Quiz	13 - 15 Green Beret	28 Chambers Pot
19 Scout Leaders Meeting			19 Leaders Meeting	
			27 District Quiz	
DECEMBER	DECEMBER	DECEMBER	DECEMBER	DECEMBER
2 Appointments Committee			3 District Scout Troop	
10 District Executive			6 ADC Team Meeting	



Hertfordshire Leader Training



ISSUE 3 SCHEDULE OF LEADER TRAINING COURSES FOR 1998

All Courses start at Well End Centre. Subsequent dates may be OOC

PHASE	ACCOMMODATION	CODE	DATES
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PH 3/26	GW		Su 25 January + 01 March
PH 3/27	GW		Sa 28 February + 28 March
PH 3/28	GW		Su 20 September + 18 October
PH 3/29	GW		Sa 24 October + 28 November
PH 4(BS)/07	GW	#	Sa 19 September + Sa 17 October
			Su 25 October + Su 29 November
PH 4(CS)/08	GW/W/C		13/14/15 March + 08/09/10 May
PH 4(S)/05	GW/W/C		20/21 June + 12 + 13 September
			+ 10/11 October
PH 4(VS)/05		OOC	06/07 June + 25/26/27 September
		OOC	+ 08 November
PH 5/18	GW/W/HD		02 February + 21/22 March
PH 5/19	GW/W/HD		20 March + 25/26 April
PH 5/20	GW/W/HD		21 September + 07/08 November
FAC /07	GW		14 + 15 November
TEC /10	GW		31 October + 01 November
FAMW /01	W		21 + 22 March
FAMW /02	W		25 + 26 April
FAMW /03	W		07 + 08 November
FAMW /04	GW		21 + 22 November
RESERVED DATES		GCA	
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24 January GW			
03/04/05 April GW/W/			See separate list - 085 -
29 March GW			
NATIONAL & COUNTY DATES		CODE	
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Peak Assult 06/07/08 March		#	- 4 short days
40 Mile Walk 20 June		OOC	- Out of County or Well End
Easter 09/10/11/12 April		FAMW	- First Aid
Bank Holidays 4 + 25 May			Mountain / Water
Gilwell Reunion 04/05/06 September		FAC	- Facilitator Training
St Georges Day Parades 19 or 26 April		TEC	- Training Techniques
Mothering Sunday 08 March			
Fathers Day 14 June			

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Hertfordshire Leader Training



APPLICATION TO ATTEND A TRAINING COURSE FOR H.I.L.T.S.

For Obligation and Appointments see P.O.R.(1995) rules 15.5 / 29 / 30 / 31

Each PHASE must be fully completed (including Project work) before attending the next PHASE, but application may be made in advance of completion.

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I wish to apply for a place on PHASE.....ON.....

AT.....DATE OF BIRTH.....

Gender

FAMILY NAME..... M / F FORENAMES.....

MAIDEN NAME.....PREFERRED FORENAME/NICKNAME.....

ADDRESS.....

TELEPHONE.....APPOINTMENT NOW HELD.....

OCCUPATION.....RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.....

DISABILITIES/DIET.....GROUP & DISTRICT.....

SERVICE - As a Scout/Guide(yrs).....As a Leader(yrs).....

NAME & ADDRESS OF p.t.a.....

PREVIOUS TRAINING - (Dates)[Basic & Section].....(No.)[L1].....

(Date)[Phase 1].....[Phase 2].....(No.)[Phase 3].....[Phase 4].....

(No.) [L 2].....[Phase 5].....[INTRO].....?

OTHER SPECIALIST COURSES.....

SERIAL NUMBER ON WOODBADGE CERTIFICATES ALREADY HELD.....

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All Course costs are met from the Training Levy except for food. The food fee is required IN ADVANCE with this form. Your application will be rejected without it unless special arrangements have been agreed with your Group or District. The food fee is non returnable or transferrable if your place is cancelled within 7 days of the start of a Course.

[PH3 £6] - [PH4 (BS) £18] - [(CS) £36] - [(S) £33] - [(VS) £33] - [PH5 £18]

Cheques or P.O. payable to >>>>HERTFORDSHIRE SCOUTS - LEADER TRAINING<<<<

DATE.....SIGNATURE.....[Applicant]

DATE.....SIGNATURE.....[ADC(LT)/DC]

This application is to be forwarded to - DEP ACK INS NO. FLB/April'95



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