

# Co-Ordinator

**8th Letchworth Scouts Summer Camp Diary  
Great Tower Campsite Lake Windermere Cumbria**

**Letchworth and Baldock District Scouts**





After much discussion and deliberation and months of planning we opted for Great Tower Scout Campsite on the shores of Lake Windermere, Cumbria for this year's summer camp. Sixteen Scouts, one Young Leader and three Leaders crammed themselves, their kit and all the camping equipment for a week away into two minibuses and a trailer and headed off with high expectations. Halfway through the week we were joined by Chris King and Goodie, neither of whom could resist the lure of a trip to the Lakes (quite understandable really!) We all had an amazing time - the site was excellent, the instructors at Great Tower were fantastic and River Deep, Mountain High Activity Centre which did the sailing, rafting and Gorge walking with us was terrific.

### **Saturday 30 July- The Journey**

The journey to the Great Tower campsite was exhausting and tiring. We had to wake up at half past six to get all prepared and ready. We got up to the Scout HQ at 8 am to leave. We had to listen to Richard's rubbish music for two hours until we got to the first services. We bought sweets and drinks for the two hour journey to the next services where we stopped to have lunch. We got back on the minibus for another three hours to get to the campsite. When we arrived we all said it was worth the long journey. We're in this massive forest where we set up tents. The new tents that I put up look small on the outside and big on the inside. So far it's great!

**Charlie Castle**

### **Sunday 31 July- Ghyll Scrambling**

We set out after lunch to Coniston for Ghyll scrambling. Finding the car park was a bit of a challenge. We followed the directions we were given but we thought that the car park we ended up in wasn't the right one. We drove back down the road and then eventually phoned the number, only to discover we were in the right car park after all! We quickly got into our wetsuits and the shorts they gave us. The shorts were ripped from past Ghyll scramblers and everyone was laughing at the tear in the back of Richard Oldham's shorts. The water was freezing and everyone was shrieking at the temperature. We started up through the river climbing over rocks and finding the sudden drops in the river bed as we were wading through. We got to a waterfall which was interesting to climb as you couldn't see but we all managed it. At the end we reached a pool and we jumped in from the ledges for a while. We then walked back and everyone was tired. It was fun and different but so tiring. Oh well, good night's sleep for us then!

### **Monday 1 August- Rafting**

Today we went rafting on Coniston Water. We were split into three individual teams and we built the rafts that we would be using. It was funny when one instructor tied a knot and then another instructor said it was wrong and re-tied the knot. Once we had built our rafts we went out onto the water to test how lake worthy they were. We had a series of different challenges such as which raft was the strongest and which raft had the bravest crew. Our final challenge was to see who could dismantle their raft the quickest. After all the challenges the overall winners were



Lewis Ryall, Shaun Warren, Stan Reader, Richard Oldham, Charlie Castle and Isaac Platten. Afterwards we had to peel off our wetsuits and we sat down to eat our lunch. It was a very nice lunch but the people who asked for chocolate spread were surprised by how little chocolate spread they had. Overall it was a very enjoyable experience.

**Liam Weaver**

### **Monday 1 August - Sailing**

We started off in the morning which was tiring. We had cereal and egg sandwiches. We set off to go rafting for the morning and when we got out of rafting I discovered I had a tick between my fingers!! Once all the trauma of the tick and the removal of our wetsuits was over we set out to the lake to go sailing. When we arrived we met our instructor. He was very eager to get on the water but he didn't seem too eager to learn our names. He led us up to his car to put our buoyancy aids on and even when the instructor explained it to me, I still don't see the difference between a buoyancy aid and a life jacket. They both help you float. Off that subject, when we got on the water the instructor explained to us all the different ropes. When the instructor finally took us off port he slipped off the end of the jetty and into the water as he was pushing us away! When he got back on the boat we were underway. When we were about halfway through we discovered some Guinness Book of World Records markers. The instructor told us that a guy named Donald Campbell tragically lost his life trying to break the water speed record. When we stopped off at another jetty we had a break for hot chocolate but my team mates only left me about a quarter of a mug full. On the way back we cheated and used the motor to reach the jetty on time. It was a very eventful day but relaxed towards the end.

**Lewis Ryall**

### **Monday 1 August**

Help me!! I'm trapped in Rachel and Rhian's tent! It's such a mess and I have no way of getting out! I waited forever and ended up falling asleep. I woke up and everyone still wasn't back so I had to find some way of having fun. I read a bit of Rhian's book but I gave up because I forgot my specs! But don't worry I found the best thing to do to pass the time away. I played dress up with Rachel and Rhian's clothes! It was fun but then I realised I couldn't fold them up after I was done so I just left them. But luckily you couldn't tell the difference! I had a good day but boy was I glad to see everyone. I was getting hungry and so they saved my life when they returned!

**Brecon Bear**



## Tuesday 2 August- Honister Slate Mine

The first thing we did on the tour was looking around the old miners' houses. They were vile as they were dark, wet and smelly. We then went into the really cold mine into the cavern called Rat Trap. It was called this as the loose rock could fall at any time. We walked through a small, tight path where some people had to duck if they were too tall. We got into a big cavern called Fiddlers. The reason that they called it that is that two men used to play their fiddles in there. We saw a mine shaft that went to the peak of the mountain and some men were working up there and then we went back through to fiddlers cavern. We went down the steps and through a tunnel. We got to the cavern which Mark (the person who reopened the mine) wanted to make into an amphitheatre to remember the people who had worked and died in the mine. Then we left the cavern but before I picked up a bit of slate to take home. We walked out and down to the shop and then we left for Ambleside town to have fish and chips and to go shopping.

**Jack Taplin**



Wednesday 3 August- Hillwalking On Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August a group of 8<sup>th</sup> Letchworth scouts went walking up Old Man Coniston. Those scouts were Jack Taplin; Michael Stocker; Liam Weaver; Lewis Ryall and me, Francesca Stocker. The Leaders who came were young Leader Emma Coulson, Leaders Claire Greener and Goodie.



We had good weather and it wasn't too hot, (which helped a lot!), and the view was amazing! We didn't quite get to the summit, but we went to the tarn which is quite near the top! When we got to the tarn we took off our boots and socks and went paddling in the water. It was icy cold but felt nice on our hot feet. Jack sat Brecon, (our mascot), on a rock and Claire took a photo.

I thought the going up was easier than the coming down but Liam thought the exact opposite! All in all it was a great day and we all enjoyed it.

**Francesca Stocker**

## Wednesday 3 August- Canoeing

Canoeing was really strange because we started with all the canoes connected in twos. First we started off with me, Isaac, Richard and William. We went too fast so we had to change the people around. When we got to the other side of the lake we had a stone skipping competition and strangely I won with 9!! When we set back off the instructor told us to walk round the two canoes. When it was Chris King's go he used me to keep his balance and he pushed me off. Plus while I was in the water a leech hitchhiked on the boat by biting my shin. Isaac freaked out. So overall it was a great activity.

**Stan Reader**



**To be continued in November's edition**

## Scout Network—BALiN Woolenwick School, Stevenage

When year two were asked what they would like to do for their end of year leaving treat before moving on to the Junior School they asked to camp overnight. The teachers thought this would be a good idea as one of the staff used to be a Cub in Baldock and his Cub Leader, known as Baloo in the 1990s also works at the school. With their knowledge and know how a overnight camp should be a walk in the park. You can't have a camp without a campfire, so a plea went out to BALiN to run a campfire in the evening. In true Scouting style they responded by running a whole campfire as well as toasting marshmallows for the young people and parents.

The first task was to light the fire (pallets donated by BuildBase). To everyone's amazement Chris Woor had the fire lit within 60 seconds with just "one match". Chris and Dave kept the fire going, Joe, Hayley and Kim took turns in leading the songs. Everybody was enjoying it so much, including the parents and teachers that it went on a lot longer than planned.

Next morning's assembly was very interesting as the young people were still singing the Button Factory song with the actions.

Everybody had a thoroughly good time and enjoyed both the campfire and the camping. A big thank you to BALiN from year 2, parents and staff at Woolenwick School. The Scout Network were great ambassadors for the District and Scouting.

Last year's year 1 class are already planning next year's camp and hopefully BALiN will be able to run the campfire again.



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## 1st Baldock Scout Camp - Boyd Field

After a hard day of school tests, and a weather forecast of rain, I was still determined to go up to Boyd Field camp site. Before we even got there, we had to load all of our equipment into the van which the Smiths kindly let us use. We had to load ropes, patrol boxes, tents, mini sticks to work with, and our tables and chairs

At Boyd field we started putting up our tents and dining shelters. Then the most unexpected thing happened. We heard thunder. Many people panicked, but many people just found it quite amusing to see other people worried. We comforted them though. We then heard the news that in Letchworth they had hailstones the size of golf balls. 'Ouch'. After we had finished putting our tents up and a long talk about the rules on camp, we chatted about what we might do in the time we had at camp. Many hours had gone by after we had finished putting tents up. It was time for mud (hot chocolate) and we all gathered round for a group photo.

We then all went and had a good sleep.

The next morning. Some of us woke up really early (6.00) that was me and a few others. Brian who's our Scout Leader came and woke the rest of us up at 7.00. We then made our own breakfast. The meat eaters ate bacon, eggs, sausages and beans. While the two vegetarians ate everything the meat eaters ate but vegetarians' version.



We then got the instructions for our first activity. Bearings. To make eight triangles. We had eight bearings and how many steps we need to measure it with. After you had done the two bearings and steps that you were given you needed to work out the last line for the bearings and steps.

Then we were all really, really hungry. So we made our own lunch.

After are lunch had gone down and we were full, we had our next activity. Pioneering. Our objective was to make something that could be

used for  
leisure, work  
and travel  
(anything)  
Here are some  
of the final  
structures  
This sounds  
boring but it  
was really good  
fun.



Before it was time for a wide game it was time we made our dinner. Our dinner was something so amazing that I can't remember what it was.

Then it was time for a wide game which was set up by two Scouts. The aim of the wide game was to get to the king and get a line off him. This sounded quite easy, but oh no Scouts never have an easy task. While running to the King you also had to dodge the capturer (The Leaders). It all went very, very well. Then unexpectedly I changed sides not telling anyone else. We had loads of fun.

Then camp fire time. We sang over 15 songs that evening. We even put chocolate in bananas in to the fire. 'Yum'. After the camp fire it was off for a good night's sleep.

Instead of waking up at 6:00 on Sunday we woke up at 7:15, the time everyone got up at. Unfortunately this was our last day here at camp and we all had two things we wanted to do. Archery and shooting. The Leaders made us breakfast while we packed up and put our tents down. We all ate porridge, well not all of us but everyone tried it. We then set off to do archery and shooting

After we had finished our shooting we all crammed in to the bungalow tent. This caused a debate about world population. Quote "One weekend I try to get away from geography and it comes on camp too ." This debate stopped when we ate lunch. Soon after the debate had started again. Then it was time to go home.

We all had a wonderful time. All of the Scouts would like to thank Brian, Chris, Leanne, Keith and the two parent helpers Vanessa and Pete. This wouldn't have been possible without them. Thank you.



**Dan Barnicott 1<sup>st</sup> Baldock Scouts.**

## **District Beavers Bangers and Bash**

It was that time of year again, when the time came for the DC to dust off his apron , whip out his tongs and fire up the cooker for another marathon afternoon of sausage cooking for the District Beavers' Bangers and Bash.

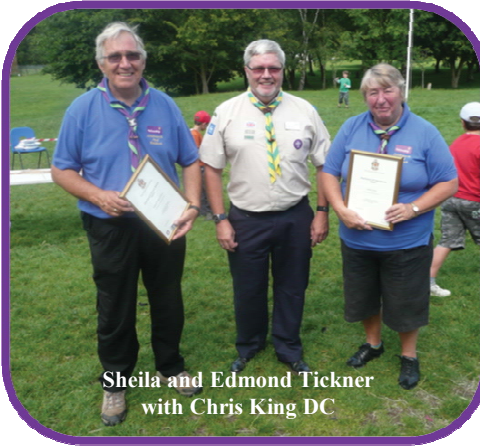
Wymondley Wood staged the event, witnessing an onslaught of 120 Beavers, with attire ranging from shorts and t-shirts to raincoats, long trousers and welly boots!

Everyone joined in with the games laid on by the Leaders; parachute games, penalty shootouts, welly wanging and rounders to name but a few. Hot dogs, cakes, crisps and choc ices were devoured and very little was left at the end. All the Beavers were beautifully behaved and a credit to their Leaders.

Many thanks go to all the Leaders who attended and organised activities which allowed the Beavers to have a fantastic time!

**Vicki Gage – ADC (Beaver Scouts)**

## Scout Active Support Unit



Sheila and Edmond Tickner  
with Chris King DC

Nine not so young Cubs assembled with Akela, Sheila Tickner, at Boyd field for a fun day on Saturday 25 June. After Grand Howl at 10:30 hrs the rest of the morning was spent on making flying saucers, and bows and arrows, as the theme this year was projectiles.

At about 12:30 hrs we went over to the area where fire lighting is allowed. When the fire got going a pallet was placed on top so that those Cubs who had brought food to cook could do so. Before they were allowed near the fire Akela made them either turn their neckers round to their backs or tuck them into their shirts, (yes we do observe health and safety rules). Soon there were burgers and sausages sizzling in pans or cooking in tin foil

in the fire. Myself and one other Cub elected to bring sandwiches (well you know where you are with a good sandwich). Anne Lilley provided dessert in the form of one of her superb sponges.

Then it was back to the hall where Akela just had time to tell us how to make a ballista using garden canes and string, before our guest for the afternoon Akela Fiona Potts with her Cubs from 1st Baldock (Knights) descended upon us. Sheila explained to them who we were and what we did, then they split into two groups to make flying saucers and bows and arrows. As the young budding archers were trying out their bows D.C. Chris King arrived and was able to offer expert advice. During his stay Chris presented Sheila & Edmond with their twenty years awards .

Then someone mentioned horseshoes. Soon the young Cubs were making the peg ring as they hit it, some even managed to get a shoe round the peg.

Meantime the helpers with Edmond's expertise were constructing a ballista using pioneering poles and cord. The Cubs did not want a flimsy toy, only the real thing (or something like) would do for them. Then they had great fun trying to catch water filled balloons shot from the ballista. Like all good things the afternoon had to come to an end. After tidying up Sheila gave Fiona a large tub of sweets for the Cubs to enjoy. We trust that the 1st Baldock (Knights) enjoyed being with us as much as we enjoyed their company.

After a Fish and Chip tea, there was a quiz, then we just sat around the table talking until it was time to clear up and head for home.

Although down in numbers for various reasons this year it was a Cub day that I shall long remember thanks to the young people who put up with us during the afternoon.

**Fred Lovelock**  
**Scout Active Support Unit Member**

## 1st Ashwell - High Ropes

Sixteen Scouts, two Leaders, the Chairman and two parents from 1st Ashwell Scout Group went on a High Rope Course and down the longest zip wire in the county. High Ropes is run by Top Events at Westmill Farm, Ware.

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**Correction to July's  
issue of Co-ordinator,  
Page 7, Alice Winzer  
is a 4th Letchworth  
Cub and not a  
member of the 8th  
Letchworth Cub Pack.**

The Scout Association Operations Sub-committee has agreed improved rules for hillwalking and new rules and guidance for high ropes activities (which includes crate stacking) within Scouting. Details of what has changed and the reasons behind it can be found at [www.scouts.org.uk/activitiesupdates](http://www.scouts.org.uk/activitiesupdates).

The new rules and guidance for high ropes activities are for implementation by 31 March 2012 to ensure those running activities have time to make any updates to their operation. Until then, members should refer to the January 2011 version of POR for high ropes activities.

## District Scouts Barton Challenge Sunday 3 July 2011 - Sandon



Eight teams took part in this year's Barton Challenge. The event took the form of a wide-area orienteering event. It was held in the open countryside of Sandon and required teams to plot the locations of Control Points and then navigate around them collecting points as they went. Additional points were awarded for starting on time and avoiding having to open the emergency envelope. Points were lost if a team arrived at the finish later than their designated time.

The challenge was won by 7th Letchworth: the current holders of the trophy.



## Thank you Gavin Conder

For those of you not directly involved within the Scout section, although I know that news travels fast around our District, Gavin stood down as ADC Scouts at the end of last term. I would like to thank him for his time in the role, which like all roles within the movement can be both extremely challenging and immensely rewarding.

Gavin has revitalised a number of the District Scout challenges during his term, the Barton Challenge and Kon Tikki to name but two and his commitment and enthusiasm for all things Scouting has seen the quality of Scouting delivered improve across the section. Gavin has been a constant visitor around the troops giving support, advice and encouragement to Leaders both old and new.

Gavin now wishes to return his focus to a Leadership role within the District in a Group and Section yet to be decided.

I hope you will all join me in saying a big thank you to Gavin for all he has done during his term as ADC.

**Chris King**

## District Cub Scouts - 10 July 2011

### Bell Boating - Fairlands Lake, Stevenage

The District Cubs had their Annual Bell Boating day at Fairlands Valley Sailing Centre in Stevenage on Sunday 10 July 2011.

There were five teams that took part – 1<sup>st</sup> Baldock (Knights), 5<sup>th</sup> Letchworth, 7<sup>th</sup> Letchworth, 8<sup>th</sup> Letchworth and 12<sup>th</sup> Letchworth. All the Cubs, Leaders and parents had a great time even though two teams had to contend with the sailing boats on the water that got in the way of their race, so to make it fair that race was re-run later in the day.

The Leaders and the parents had their chance to have a race following which they all got out of the boats dripping wet.

The overall winners were 5<sup>th</sup> Letchworth for the third year in a row and the runners up were 12<sup>th</sup> Letchworth.

Well done to all the Cubs who took part and a big thank you goes to Steve, Graeme and Matt Hart who were the helms for the day. They didn't get much of a break as it was two teams out on the water with three teams on the side waiting to go.

Thank you also to Barry for all his help on the day and for helping to keep everything on track.

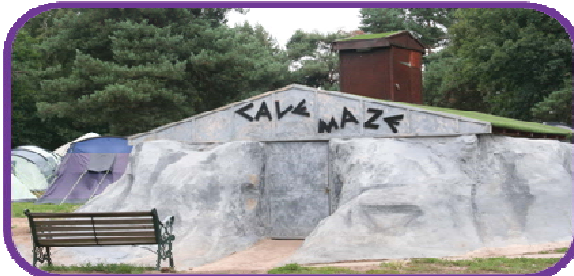
Wendy Tierney - A.D.C (Cubs)



## 2nd Baldock Scout Group Annual General Meeting

2<sup>nd</sup> Baldock Scout Group held their AGM at Wrayfield Farm on the 18<sup>th</sup> June. It was a wonderful afternoon with many activities to entertain the Beavers, Cubs, Scouts and even adults. We were also entertained by a rendition of 'Twinkle Twinkle Little Star' preformed by a few of Cubs, Scouts and Explorers, which was definitely enjoyed by all. The main event of the afternoon was the awards, first of all; Katie Lickfold gained her Chief Scout's Bronze Award; Thomas Ronayne who achieved his Chief Scout's Silver Award and a very well done to Holly Louzado and Conor Stevens who both gained their Chief Scout's Gold Award. Also Diana Marshall, CSL, whom after many years of dedicated work in scouting, was awarded her Medal of Merit, (but unfortunately no-one from county was available to award it so Diana will be given it at a later date). So a very well done to everyone who gave up their time to put on a fantastic afternoon and I am look forward to next years.

### Conor Stevens - 2nd Baldock Scout



## 8th Letchworth Cub Pack Summer Camp Walesby, Nottinghamshire

### Tuesday

After waving goodbye to everyone, we left Letchworth at 11am. Akela was driving our minibus and I sat beside Molly. Baloo was driving the other minibus. We stopped at a service station and had lunch. It was hot and there were wasps everywhere. When we arrived at Walesby we were told which tent we were in. I was going to be sharing a tent with Olivia, Janika and Rebecca. We unpacked and got our beds ready. We looked around the campsite, played quick cricket and rounders.

### Wednesday

In the morning we did the aerial assault course, my favourite part was the rope swing. We then made a catapult. Afterwards we had lunch and did crate stacking and played mini golf.

### Thursday

After breakfast we did shooting and archery. I wasn't very good at shooting. In the afternoon we did kayaking, canoeing and rafting. King Louis pushed us in the water. In the evening we had a disco.

### Friday

I really enjoyed the assault course, before lunch we rode quad bikes. I only crashed 5 times! After lunch we did the cave maze and climbed the 25 foot climbing wall, climbing the wall was fun.

### Saturday

In the morning we did team building, I found the activities hard, but I had lots of fun trying to complete the challenges. Before lunch we did fencing, I won my tournament. In the afternoon we climbed the 45 foot climbing wall, it was scary at the top. I really enjoyed climbing the wall it was my favourite activity of the camp. We had a camp fire and then had a disco.

### Sunday

We packed our bags, which took longer than expected. I was in Akela's minibus again. This time I sat next to Rebecca. King Louis was also in the minibus. We stopped at service station. We were sad, tired and happy.

**Sophie Stewardson**

### What I enjoyed most - by Reece Wagstaff

What I enjoyed most about Cub Camp was the cave maze because we got to go in the dark and some people got scared and some people scared other people! We had to crawl on our knees and find all the exits, We had to start at the top and make our way down to the bottom by either giving directions or holding onto the person in front. There was a really steep drop where you had to go down and then find your way through a tunnel to the exit.

I also enjoyed the quad biking and I didn't crash once during my turn, although one boy flipped over twice! It was good fun wearing the helmet and goggles just like my granddad does on his motorbike. The shooting was good fun and I climbed both walls, the 25ft first and then the 45ft afterwards. I especially liked sitting around the campfire eating marshmallows!

There was nothing I didn't like about camp (except the rain and the flies) and I hope I can go again next year.



Chris King, DC presenting Ellen King , 8th Letchworth Scout with her Chief Scout's Gold Award on top of Helm Crag

8th Letchworth Scouts Isaac Platten and Shaun Warren were presented with their Chief Scout's Gold Award by Peter Ellmer 8th Letchworth GSL.



William Woodhall, 8th Letchworth Cub being presented with his Chief Scout's Silver Award by Wendy Tierney ADC (Cubs)



Louise Baxter and Nic Watson from 1st Baldock Scouts being presented with their Chief Scout's Gold Award by Gavin Conder ADC (Scouts)



**Right hand photo**  
**Congratulations to Andy Clarke, ASL 7th Letchworth who got married in July to Teresa**

**Left hand photo**  
**Congratulations to Sarah Allen BSL 7th Letchworth who married Wesley Cook in August.**



# Achievements

## Chief Scout's Bronze Award



William Brunning	1st Ashwell	Jensen Martin	12th Letchworth
Alfie Duckett	1st Ashwell	Oliver Odton	1st Baldock
Morgan Gibbon	12th Letchworth	Elias Osei-Kissi	12th Letchworth
Miles Giles	1st Ashwell	Cecilia Strickland	1st Ashwell
Mariella Hodson	1st Ashwell	Dominic Taylor	12th Letchworth
Ronan Hunt	12th Letchworth	Joshua Ward	1st Ashwell
Archie Lievesley	1st Ashwell		

## Chief Scout's Silver Award



Charlie Dent	12th Letchworth	Sammy Morgan	7th Letchworth
Alice Frame	7th Letchworth	William Woodhall	8th Letchworth
Adam Long	12th Letchworth		

## Chief Scout's Gold Award



Louise Baxter	1st Baldock	William Smith	5th Letchworth
Ellen King	8th Letchworth	Liam Traverse Healy	1st Ashwell
Hayley Lawrence	5th Letchworth	Shaun Warren	8th Letchworth
Rebecca Maynard	1st Ashwell	Nic Watson	1st Baldock
Isaac Platten	8th Letchworth		



## Congratulations to the following Leaders on gaining their Wood Badge.

Ian Hunt - GSL 12th Letchworth  
Tara Belcher - ABSL 12th Letchworth

# A warm welcome to



Beverley Bates	BSL	1st Baldock
Miriam Greener	ACSL	8th Letchworth
Ruth Kitching	ACSL	11th Letchworth
Leanne Walker	ASL	1st Baldock
Richard Young	ACSL	1st Baldock

# DIARY 2011

## SEPTEMBER

8	Scout & Guide Shop Re-Opens	
8	District Executive Meeting	Wymondley Wood
14	District Team Meeting	Wymondley Wood
16 - 18	County Adult Climbing Weekend	Orchard Farm, Staffordshire
17	SASU Fun and Games Night	Guide HQ, Icknield Way
17 - 18	County Cub Scout Night Hike	Hobbs Hill Wood School
24	County Beaver Day Out	Paradise Wildlife Park
26	Wymondley Wood Meeting	Wymondley Wood
28	District Beaver Scout Orienteering	Fairlands Valley
30 - 2 Oct	County Scout Born2B Challenged	Harmergreen Wood

## OCTOBER

9	6 - 14 County Cyclocross	Well End
11	District Scout shop meeting and AGM	District HQ
13	District Executive Meeting	Wymondley Wood
14 - 16	County Peak Assault Competition - Explorers	
24	Wymondley Wood Meeting	Wymondley Wood

## NOVEMBER

10	District Executive Meeting	Wymondley Wood
13	Remembrance Sunday	
18 - 20	County Scout Green Beret Competition	TBA
27	County Skills Day	Hobbs Hill Wood School

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Brecon, 8th Letchworth Scout's Mascot proudly sporting his 200 Nights Away. Brecon has his own Blog page on the 8th Letchworth Scout Group website.