

3rd Upminster Cubs (Wesley Pack)

Summer Term 2007

April 2007

18th Games night-

22nd St George's day parade. Thank you to all the boys who turned up and renewed their promise.

25th We need to start to make our letter for the AGM which is on 22/6/07. To learn the words to the chorus of "Crest of a wave" and "500 miles" "The boys to entertain you" and "Amarillo". New Sixes to be made up with new Sixers/Seconders. So boys are moving up to Scouts and new Beavers arriving. The art work goes towards a badge.

May 2007

2nd Start the "caring badge challenge": We are going to run a car wash and tea cakes morning as our charitable event, re below 12/5/07: Pet carers badge, your pet at home or birds that visit your garden, keeping a log and reporting back. Handout sheet to follow. Games based on safety-hazards around the home.

9th Art badge continues, potato cuts, car wash sign/tea coffee signs to be made.

12th Saturday 10.30 to 2pm in the back car park for the washing of cars and tea coffee morning to raise funds for St Francis hospice. £5 a car wash with teas and coffee and cakes at a £1. Please turn up on the day or pre book.

13th Church Parade: 10am start and we are taking part. Christian Aid week. Please make every effort to attend, mums and dads welcome.

16th Bike Riding evening. Please bring your bike along-plus your helmet. We shall get into four groups for bike maintenance, bike/road safety, proficiency and a road test for the boys who are good enough.

23rd Bring your bike to Upminster Park, Windmill car park entrance. At 6.30 we shall under take the proficiency aspect of the badge. Plus a game of rounder. Pick up at the same. 8pm Full uniform.

30th Half term week

June 2007

6th Games night with estimations of weight/height and size. We will also review the badges we are undertaking and get the show together for the forthcoming AGM.

9th Saturday: Pencil in the Environmental day at Pages Wood. We hope to undertake a clean up of the brook. We may camp over night if permission can be granted. Beavers and Scouts to be invited. This date may change. Confirmation to come.

13th We will be going to Thriftwood to go canoeing, so please bring a change of clothing and a towel. We shall also “mud sling” and cook some simple food. Meet at 6.30 pick up from 8.30/9pm finish, Arrive in Full uniform.

16th 17th County Marathon hike. This is a Scout event but we will put a team in the novice section. This takes place at Screens Park which is a Scout camp site.

20th We need to prepare for the AGM and the “show” we are putting on. Please note the sale of family tickets. Please buy in advance to assist.

22nd Friday Is the AGM- 7pm for a 7.15 start. £10 for a family ticket-you get fed and watered and enjoy the show and activities – bouncy castle and more.

27th Kaa’s Birthday Walk-from the Headly Arms pub in Warley , meet at 6.30 in the pub car park and pick up at 8pm at the Garden Centre in Nags Head lane. Bring a drink and snack. Good walking shoes. Full uniform.

29th Friday Saturday and Sunday We are off to camp-Belchamps in Southend are you ready for a big weekend of 100 years of Scouting celebrations.

July 2007

4th We are going to have a relaxing week..... after the camp, so don’t expect anything big, A mass game of Pirates.

11th Simple first Aid and first response.

18th Water Fight in the back yard, please bring paper cups, plastic bottles, plastic bags, old sponges etc etc. water guns and buckets are a must. Prepare to get wet!! Bring a change of clothing and a towel. Food and drinks for end of term party.

1st August

The world link up day for Cubs /Scouts. This was going to be the London eye but the times are restrictive. So we are going to have a sleep over on the Tuesday and make the 8am promise before undertaking a day out. Beavers Scouts. Help required on the day. Details to come.

Please enjoy your summer holiday and our first day back is....

Notes:

Pages Wood open park: Clean up day as our Group community Environmental award is to be advised fully, but we hope to clear the brook in the park of rubbish and this will be an all day event with all sections taking part.

Church parade is the second Sunday in the month 9.45 in the hall. Please make every effort to attend.

Archery-3rd Ups won the over 9 events well done lads.

Swimming Gala-We won the Group event and sent three Cubs/Scouts to the County event who again picked up an overall trophy. Well done Charlie Fox and Ed Stannard.

Cub-a-doo Lots of hands on games and activities-re the 100 years celebration. 6th Oct 2007

District Cub Camp 29th June 2007-All cubs can go this year. Southend £40- You have the detail, please complete the form and return. ASAP.

Notes:

- 3rd Upminster T-shirts are still available, see Bagheera (£7.50)
- Subs are £29 per term and payment is by cheque to 3rd Upminster Scout Group as the payee. You can sign up for the Gift aid subs and reclaim the tax which is better for us and you.
- If you have any ideas or events for the cubs please let us know.
- Full uniform unless otherwise stated. Please be smart.

Other events in the planning

Please note the web site for further details of the Group and a copy of this programme. <http://www.3rdupminsterscouts.org.uk>

Also look at the Hornchurch district site for the camp pictures and Scoutbase UK for general Scouting information.

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 - Update: Look out for the Scouts 50p coin and new stamps.
 - **Millennium day** out 1st Aug 2007. The wheel is free to ride for any Cub/Scout, so we are going to get up there and be the first to ride!
 - **Please support the AGM!**