



Easter 2008 - Easter 2009 - Cub Scouts Report

Charity No: 305788

After the centenary year, the cubs return to our usual busy schedule with four camps and many other activities. The year started with mainly outdoor activities including an outdoor challenge with the scouts. The May camp was in Ashdown Forest with abseiling and grass sledding and a visit to the countryside centre. The camp was enjoyable until the wet and windy weather brought an early finish on the last day. The cubs took part in the Redhill Sizzler with a gun run before the sixers and seconders travelled to Nutfield for our own Sixer's camp where they pitched their own tent, planned and completed a hike, cooked their own meals and learnt pioneering. The summer finished with canoeing and our water games.

Autumn started with the very wet but competitive cub and parent camp at Ranmore Common with a Dad Army theme. We all participated in the nation-wide Big Draw and the cubs took part in the district go-karts. The older cubs took part in the scout "Now get out of that" activity. The cubs completed the fitness challenge and learnt more about keeping healthy. We went with the county to Duxford Air Museum and had a Halloween evening with the 24th (Nutfield) cubs helped by the explorers. This term concluded with a bowling evening and the District Carol service.

The year started with a revisit of fitness training and healthy eating. We had a walk in the fog at top of Reigate Hill. We returned to 1916 for the celebration of wolf cubs. The Sixers cooked a Salmon meal and came second in the district cooking competition. We had a successful indoor camp at Pease Pottage where the cubs completed the scientist badge. The pack came fourth in the District Swimming Gala.

Our small leadership team of Akela (Sharron), Bagheera (Robert) and Baloo (Dave) has been helped at various time over the year by Explorers and two Reigate girls doing their Queen Scout or Duke of Edinburgh service. We rely on the help of the leaders from the other sections, explorers doing their service and the parent rota to run activities and provide enough attention to the cubs whilst keeping within the guidelines when we put the out in to scouting. Many thanks to all the people who have helped us this year, especially to Keith (Group Scout leader) Adrian & Angela (Scouts leaders) and Spencer & Robin (Explorer leaders) and all those who have helped at camp. As without their support, it is not possible to run all the activities.

Highlights of Cub Scouts Activities

Easter to Summer 2008

Sun 27 April	St. George's day service
Fri 2 May	Joint evening with the Scouts
W/E 23-26 May	Cub Camp at BroadStone Warren
Sat 14 June	District inter pack Cross Country
Wed 11 June	Orienteering
Wed 18 June	Community work at Woodhatch Park
Sat 5 July	Redhill Sizzler
W/E 5-6 July	Sixers and Seconders camp
Wed 9 July	Canoeing at Mercer Park

September to Xmas 2008

W/E 5-7 Sep	Parent and Cub camp at Ranmore
Wed 10 Sept	Go-Kart practice
Sat 4 Oct	District Go-Kart
Wed 8 Oct	"Big Draw"
Fri 10 Oct	"Now get out of that" with Scouts

Sun 12 Oct	Harvest festival
Sat 18 October	County cub visit Duxford air museum
Thur 23 Oct	Joint night with 24th Reigate cubs
Sat 8 Nov	District Scrap Challenge
Sun 9 Nov	Remembrance at St John's
Sat 15 Nov	Autumn Fayre
Sun 7 Dec	Beaver/Cub carol service
Wed 17 Dec	Bowling Party

Jan 2009 to Easter 2009

Wed 28 Jan	Night Hike
Sat 7 Feb	District Sixers cooking competition
Sun 8 Feb	St John's church parade
W/E 13-15 Feb	Indoor Cub Camp (Scientist)
Sat 14 March	District Swimming competition
Sun 22 March	Mothering Sunday
Sat 28 March	Family Quiz night
Wed 1 April	Wide game with Beavers



34th Reigate (Meadvale)



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Cub Scouts Challenges



5 Chief Scout Silver Award



4 Outdoor Plus Challenge and 9 Outdoor Challenge



11 Creative Challenge



21 Fitness Challenge

Cub Scout Activity Badges

Includes:

3 Swimmer ; 1 IT, 10 International; 13 Air Activity; 12 Scientist

3 Water Activity; 5 Chef: 1 Sportman; 2 Book Reader: 3 Athletic: 2 Equestrian: