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Past Events:

Entertainers Day 2018

Wow what a weekend! So many fantastic adults, young leaders and children, all working as a team to produce a play. Again both plays were amazing last night, making all the hard work over the two days, and many months and days before, worth it.

Thank you to the whole team, you were all great. Thank you to all the children, you also worked so hard, listening so well and performing your absolute best.

"Thank you all the leaders for a fantastic weekend your hard work, fun and energy is so much appreciated and the children are all very lucky to have such dedicated leaders. Cubs is the highlight of E_'s week. Thank you all."

"This is the first time my child has taken part on Entertainers Day, it definitely won't be her last - she loved it. Thank you so much to everyone who organises the event."

"Thank you to all involved in today. S_ has had a fantastic time, having watched his brother participate for the last 2 years he was so excited to be old enough to be able to take part. He is already looking forward to next year!"

"Thank you very much to you all your wonderful team of volunteers for making today such a great day and experience for so many children. My daughter, M_ loved taking part and went straight to bed very happy when we got home!"

Hopefully all the cubs who took part, enjoyed it just as much as these did.

Future Event

Hertfordshire Scouts Against Malaria

Stevenage Activity Day

24th June, District HQ from 10am - 4pm

Cost - £10, need to bring packed lunch

Scouts Against Malaria (SAM) is a multi-county initiative to raise money to purchase impregnated malaria nets for distribution in Africa. By raising money from the UK SAM badge scheme we can provide impregnated mosquito nets for distribution by African Scouts who will be trained to educate the local population in the correct use of the nets.

The SAM badge can be gained by participation in a number of activities. To achieve the badge / award each person should complete the following:

Understand about malaria, through activities and games

and

raise £10 for a mosquito net



To do this, we are going to have an exciting activity day for all Beavers and Cubs in Stevenage. After completing the day, the young people will be able to wear their badge on their uniform to show they have taken part and raised their £10 for Herts SAM.

The day will start off at District HQ, Poplars at 10am. The children will need to first of all book in and then join the rest of their group to take part in over 15 activities based on learning about Malaria, Africa and Mosquitoes.

They will need to make sure that they have a packed lunch, though drinks will be provided throughout the day.

They will need to have weather appropriate clothing, as they will be completing some activities outside, such as the building of a full size African mud hut.

We hope to have over 200 Beavers and Cubs attending, so make sure that your child is part of this extravaganza.

Children will need to be picked up at 4pm.

Dates for 2018

April

28 District Archery 5th Scout HQ Various

June

10 *Cub Water Activities Day* *ESSA Sailing Centre, Nazeing* *am or pm*

24 *District SAM day* *District Scout HQ* *10:00am*

CUBJAM 2019

25th May - 31st May 2019

This is a great opportunity for the cubs to take part in the Jamboree on a delightful campsite in Northamptonshire.

The cost of £325 will include all meals, activities, accommodation and travel there, whilst there and return journey for the 7 day camp, as well as the meals, activities and accommodation on the 2 day getting to know you camp.

The daily programme will include the following activities:

Climbing , Rifle Shooting , Archery, Caving , It's a Knockout , Inflatable Assault Course , Go Karts , Zorbing , Laser Shooting , Wind Yachts, Bungee Trampolines , Last One Standing , Magic Shows , Music Workshops , Craft Activities ,Mini Tanks , Badge Swapping, Campfire , Cinema , Bingo and a Talent Show on a the stage. There will also be one day off site at a local attraction.

The theme of CUBJAM 2019 this time will be Countries of the World. Whilst at the camp they will get a chance to find out about the countries each group is representing.

If you wish to attend, please fill in the form attach, and return it, with a non-refundable deposit of £55.

District Cub Camp

Sun 11th - Sat 17th August 2019

Bournemouth, Butchers Coppice Campsite

This is a fantastic chance for the cubs to take part in the District Camp on a delightful campsite near Bournemouth. The site is packed full of a variety of activities, such as climbing, trampolines, trim trails, crate stacking, etc. The cost of £235 will include all meals, activities, accommodation and travel there, whilst there and return journey for the 7 day camp, as well as the meals, activities and accommodation on the 2 day getting to know you camp.

Sunday, travelling up, stopping at an attraction on the way. Monday, a trip to *Moors Valley Country Park*, a large woodland playground, some structures being over 5 metre high, followed by a *Narrow Gauge Railway* trip. Tuesday, a boat trip to *Brownsea Island*, birthplace of Scouting, followed by a boat trip around *Poole Bay*, that night there will be a chance to go *swimming*. Wednesday, a morning playing *laserquest* followed by the afternoon on the *beach*. That night there will be a *campfire* for everyone on site. Thursday, a day at *Blandford Army camp* where they will be taking part in the *Spies and Codes tour*. In the afternoon they will be using some of the leisure facilities at the camp. Friday, will be a chance to go to the *Adventure Wonderland*, the cubs will have unlimited ride passes to go on the pirate ship, The World of the wild thing, mazes, runaway train, space orbiter ride, adventure playground, etc. Saturday, will be finishing off the camp with some activities on the field, before packing away to come home. On one evening they will be out for a *restaurant meal*.

Evening activities will involve a party, cinema, disco, on site activities (rifle shooting, crate stacking, trampolining, orienteering, archery, climbing, etc.), and camp fire.

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To find out more information, or to book a space, please go to the Stevenage Scouting website at

www.stevenagescouting.org

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