

Harpenden District Scouts Active Support Unit Newsletter – September 2017

Here are the details of our autumn/winter programme which I hope will offer at least something for you!

Further ahead, we are looking to repeat last year's successful weekend away and are hoping to book Brook House Barn, in the village of Scamblesby near Louth in Lincolnshire. The proposed dates are 8-10 June (or, if unavailable, the following weekend) and the likely cost will be about £60/65 per head, assuming we fill the places. Numbers are restricted to 22 so **if you would like to join us, please let me know very quickly and there will be a deposit of £30 per person please.**

Dates for your diary

Fri 8 Sep/ Sun 10 Sep - we have been asked to cater at 1st Harpenden's Family Camp at Phasels, using the facilities in the Cedars. **If you can spare any time at all on Saturday or Sunday can you please let me know asap.**

Sun 17 Sep - pub walk, starting in Tewin with lunch at about 12.45pm at the Plume of Feathers, 57 Upper Green Road, Tewin AL6 0LX. Walkers meet for 9.30am start in the pavilion car park opposite the pub. **If you would like lunch, whether walking or not, please let John Bowers know by Wed 13 Sept at the latest - bowers984@btinternet.com**

Sat 21 Oct - Scouts' Jamboree on the Internet. Possible help needed so watch this space.

Sun 22 Oct - a visit to the Shuttleworth Collection, Old Warden near Biggleswade SG18 9EP. Cost will be £15 or £12 for seniors and suggest we meet in the car park for 10.00am.

Thurs 9 Nov - our "annual" outing to the Abbey Theatre but with a difference - this is the theatre's charity night which this year is organised by Rotary with the proceeds going to help furnish a school in Kenya. Tickets will be £15 to include a drink on arrival. The play is Jerusalem which is described as both funny and shocking! Have a look at the theatre website for more information. **If you would like a ticket, please let me know quickly so I can confirm numbers.**

Sat 18 Nov - Green Beret at Phasels Wood.

Sat/Sun 9/10 Dec - Cubs' Christmas card delivery.

Please keep the above dates free if you can help - details later.

Wed 13 Dec - Christmas "do" with mince pies and mulled wine for just £3 per head. 8.15pm at 3rds'.

Tues 9 Jan - opening night of the Gang Show and if you would like to join our party to see the show, please let me know so I can take advantage of advance booking in due course.

Wed 24 Jan - early notice of our annual post Christmas dinner and present swap. The usual excellent fare for only £7-50 each! Again, 8.15pm at 3rds'.

Plenty to think about I hope!

Dave