

## MINUTES OF CSLs MEETING HELD AT THE 'JOLLY FARMERS' ON 12.1.2017

Chair: Gina Secretary: Mary

Present: 8 leaders / 3 apologies District - Graham Gina John / Apols: Roger Margaret

Kicked off by playing Tenzi - a simple dice game!

1. **Minutes** of meeting on 10.11.16 signed as being a correct record.
2. **Health & Safety problems** - None
3. **ADC's Comments** - Percy reported on the Centenary Event held at Hendon - great venue. There were fewer cubs than expected but everything went well, everyone getting there on time. Credit to Ross and his team for organising the event.

Mike Thurston would like to get some idea as to the young leaders in each group who are helping out. They must be registered but do not have to be in an Explorer unit. Capitation fees have to be paid by the group. They must do their Module A covering safety aspects and then the weekend course and first aid.

#### 4. COUNTY Events

- **Quiz** - Sun 12 March for any packs interested, at Our Lady of Lourdes, Bowes Road, N11, 2-5pm. 6 cubs plus adult scribe
- **Chess competition** - Sun 7 May - venue tba.
- **Sixers & Seconds weekend** (9 and over) - 12-14 May at Danemead. Bases with various skills. Outing to Paradise Park on Sunday.
- **Outing to Chessington** - Sun 24 September (arrange own transport)
- **Cub Activity Day** - Sun 8 October at Frith Grange

#### 5. Nights Away Information - GSLs should have received this from Corinne.

- 'Get started' Sat 30 January at 28th Enfield HQ, Alma Road
- First Response Course Sun 12 February at Tristram Drive - 9am/9.30am start
- Nights Away Residential - Fri 10 - Sat 12 March at Frith Grange, followed by Practical 5-7 May

#### 6. Connect 4 Competition - Mon 30 January at Tristram Drive. 6.30pm for 7pm start, finish at 8pm. Teams of 4 - 2 teams per pack if wished - bring one game per pair

7. **U Shape** - Thurs 2 February at Green Street HQ 7pm - for Sixers and Seconds - 3 from each pack. Hopefully this will give the cubs a chance to say what they would like to do for programmes etc. - an event or activity which would become a reality. A badge is available to wear on their uniform.

#### 8. Monopoly Run - Sat 18 March - details from Martyn later as to times etc.

#### 9. Update on Cub Programme

5-a-Side Football - Sat 6 May at Donkey Lane. Will be combining with Scouts and Explorers this year.

Swimming Gala - would like to hold another one if possible although will have to pay for venue.

There will be no Firework Display in future.

Tracey mentioned that between January and February we were going to organise the World Challenge badge as a district. Will probably now take place in November.

Seminar - Paul has asked if leaders wanted one - answer was 'No'

New Year meal - 17 Leaders enjoyed themselves. Food was good though after a long wait.

#### 10. Round the Packs - The 5th, 3rd and 16th had their own Promise ceremony at the same time as Hendon, as did the 12th pack.

Gina, John, Percy and Margaret are taking over the 5th Pack for a term as Martyn is taking 'time out'

(Percy will be away from 5-21 February)

One or two leaders are giving up in the next year or so so more leaders are required.

Percy said he had details of a minibus which is available if any one is interested.

#### 11. Next Meeting - Thursday 9 March at 10th Edmonton HQ