





SUMMER FAIR

Sunday 23rd June 2019
12noon onwards

ON THE GREEN
OPPOSITE BOUNDARY (WAS WAGGON & HORSES)

Don't miss the fun!



We hope you will be able to join us at our Summer Fair

We will be having

Side Shows, Beer & Pimms Tent, Tombola, BBQ, Plant Stall,
Teas & cake tent, Bouncy Castle, Classic Car Show






Fun Dog Show

at 3.00pm

Plus many more attractions

SUMMER FAIR HELP

We need your help with:

-  **Tombola Items** Unwanted presents, wine, beer, toiletries, stationery, canned drinks, foods and any other spare items for the **Tombola** – *please drop off all alcohol directly to the leader.*
Food & Drink to be inside Best Before date on the 24th June
-  Old crockery in any condition for our smash a plate stall
-  Spare toys, soft toys **All Soft Toys must be machine washed, dried or we can't sell them** and books for the Fair Stalls
-  Bake (or Buy) a Cake and bring it on the day
-  Please save any plants which you, your family or neighbours are splitting or any extra seedlings left over for the **Plant stall**



We really need **volunteers** to make the Fair a success. **Please help for 90 mins**, either setting up on Saturday 22nd, 11am-4pm, during the Fair or to clear up afterwards on **Sun 23rd 4-5.30pm**.

Anyone willing to help, please contact our Summer Fair **Help** coordinator email fair@pgscouts.org.uk

Raffle Tickets – all members (youngsters & leaders) should have received books of tickets to sell – If you require more books to sell, we have some at the Scout Hall or contact our Raffle coordinator **Emma Neeves** on **07909 821307**

WANTED: Classic Cars or Motor Bikes We are going to run a Classic Car show this year

Mums/dads/grandparents do you have a model to enter if so please contact Fair Coordinator fair@pgscouts.org.uk

Mini Bus Driver – End July

Winter Hill Scouts are looking for an Adult to drive a mini bus at their Summer Camp for a few days. They have got a problem this year with mini bus drivers, due to the leaders who normally drive mini bus not being able to go on camp. The leaders we have going on camp, are either under 25 or have not been driving for two years.

They are looking for an adult to drive a mini bus during the camp, we will pay for you to complete a MIDAS course we are looking for between **Wednesday 24 July 2019**, until **Thursday 1 August 2019**, -- If you can think of anyone who can help us please contact Simon simon@pgtips.org.uk for more details



12 Volt Batteries - We are looking for 12 Volt batteries to run our LED lights at camp

If you have a working car battery etc. that you no longer require it would be a great help to us



Supermarket Crates

We are still looking for supermarket crates, like the ones used for home deliveries

We want to use these plastic storage boxes to store equipment on our shelving, in the containers.

They can also be stacked on top of each other, which makes the use of the shelving a lot more productive. If you have any to spare or know where we can buy them for a reasonable price please email Simon. help@pgtips.org.uk

Family (Group) Camp

By now all Beavers, Cubs, Scouts & Young Leaders at Littlewick & Winter Hill should have received a green letter about our Special PG 110 Family Camp we are holding at Stubbings over the weekend **6th- 8th September 2019** at Stubbings (Cubs & Scouts can camp, even if their parents decide not to). We will have a full programme of activities, which children and adults can join in

If you have not received a copy of the letters, please contact your child's section leader. A copy is available on the PG web www.pgscouts.org.uk/pg110/

To receive the Discount price please return the forms and payment to your Childs section leader by Sunday 23 June

If you are a friend of PG and would like to join us for the weekend please email familycamp@pgscouts.org.uk

Special Note: Any adult who wishes to camp with us for the weekend, needs to complete a Scout Association DBS, details are on the back of the green letter.

HOG ROAST – We are holding our traditional Hog Roast, on the Saturday evening, which everyone who is not already camping are invited to join us, details of tickets http://www.pgscouts.org.uk/pdf/FC_2019_Hog_Roast_Invite.pdf



Berkshire Scouts 2019 Project Africa

This is my third report about my Project Africa expedition. Project Africa is a trip that Berkshire scouts are currently running where a group of Explorers travel to Uganda and help build schools for the Ugandan children. Back in March, I went on the second Uganda training camp. It was really fun and I had a great time getting to know my patrol a little better. We were given some camera training in preparation for our safari and we practiced painting some murals, my group painted the Scout logo. We also did some manual labour jobs around the site including ditch clearing and construction jobs to build



a cover for the outside freezer at the camp. Last month, I did my 25-mile sponsored walk along the Thames from Maidenhead to Reading. However, due to a badly signposted detour at Temple because the footbridge was closed, it became a 29-mile walk! It took about 12 hours and overall it was great

fun although I was very tired afterwards. I raised over £500 for my Project Africa fund so thank you to everyone who sponsored me! If you still want to sponsor me, I would be very grateful.

You can visit my fundraiser page by using this address: <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/m-miller-uganda-2019> . or you can find me at the Summer Fair as I am planning to run a small stall there. I will be selling a few bits and pieces and will be running some fun games. A few weeks ago, hosted our first narrow boat trip with a PG family. We all had a good time and the weather was lovely. We have a few more trips booked in the run up to the summer.

PG Young Leader *Matthew Miller*

Day Out On A Narrowboat

Chug gently through the English countryside aboard narrowboat 'Duntarin' on a full day cruise with skipper and crew.

A chance to operate the locks, drive the boat or just sit back and relax!

Choice of routes along the Oxford or Grand Union canals from Napton (near Southam), approx 75 mins drive up the M40.

Tea, coffee, soft drinks included, bring your own picnic lunch or stop off at a local pub (route dependent).

A lovely family day out !! Flexible dates from spring to autumn 2019.

Life jackets available for children (and adults).

£100 per day, for up to approx 8 people.



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Proceeds to fund my Uganda 2019 Project Africa Expedition.



Spring Jumble Sale

A big thank you goes to all the parents and supporters who helped at our May Jumble Sale, with your support we raised over £850. The money will be used to subsidise the members of PG in their Scouting at PG, Littlewick & Winter Hill.

Our next Jumble Sales will be on, **21st September and 5th October**, **make a note of the date.**

We have nowhere to store Jumble, if you have any, please keep it till Friday 20th September 2019



BEAVER NEWS

Winter Hill Colony

We hope you all had a good Easter break. This term we welcome the new Beavers and played some games so everyone got to know them. Some of the Beavers showed off their collections, helping them earn their collectors' badge.

We have also been on a hike this term exploring the butterfly trail in Pinkneys Green.

Coming up this term we have a **superhero sleepover** for the Beavers aged 7 and over in June and other exciting outdoor activities. Including cooking in the

woods and tent pitching.

WH Tictac (Tom Beynon)

CUB NEWS

Winter Hill Pack

The summer term has begun in earnest and the cubs have enjoyed getting outside. The first week of term was a games evening and the following week, we finished off some of the requirements for the Personal Safety badge. We have also delivered jumble sale notices for the group jumble sale and been for a walk in the local area. On Sunday 28th April, an elite group of cubs joined the rest of the group and scouts from across Maidenhead for the annual St George's Day event at Braywick Nature Reserve. Thank you to the cubs who were able to join us.

We have welcomed three new beavers to the pack, Rosie Khanna, Zack Ratnapala, Remy Nicholson and Alfie Darby. We also welcome Jake Hodson from outside the group. We hope they will all be happy in cubs.

During the next few weeks of the summer term, we will continue to go outside as much as possible. We will be pitching tents, fire lighting, following trails and building shelters.



WH Akela (Rob Harris)

Littlewick Pack

By the time this issue of PG Tips goes to print we will have invested our new Cubs, *Beatrice Adam, Isla Josiah-Browne, Sophia Mormech and Zain Hamid*. Welcome all and we look forward to seeing them develop in the next stage of their Scouting journeys.



On the 11th May we entered a team into the District Cub hike as part of an international event, Jamboree on the Trail. *Tom Matthews, Harry Wheeler and Jude Foley* hiked around Cookham and took part in activities such as splitting a match with an axe, making and cooking bread twists over an open fire and following a trail through the woods blindfold. We had amazing weather for pretty much the whole day and everyone enjoyed themselves, well done team !!

After an earlier false start because of rain we began the first stage of gardening in the village, the Cubs brought in the wild flowers they had been nurturing for the last few weeks and after clearing weeds and grass planted them where we're sure they'll look fantastic. We've also spent some time **#YouShape** scouting, the Cubs put forward lots of suggestions for fun activities they would like to do over the next few months, then voted these down to a couple that we're now booking into our programme.

LG Akela (Pete Matthews)

SCOUT NEWS

District Orienteering Event This year the District is holding a walking Orienteering event. **This is open to all Scouts on Friday 21st June 2019**, 6.45pm. This is a good opportunity to practice your map reading and compass skills. We are looking for help from parents to go out with the Scouts.

Scout Tombola The Scouts are running the **Tombola** again at our Summer Fair, can each Scout provide 6-8 items. Help is required from Scouts at Fair on Sunday 23rd June either setting up Tombola from 10am-12noon or running the Tombola, hour shift between 12noon - 4pm **We are short of Scouts this year** as quite a few are away for the weekend, **if you are available, your help will be appreciated.**

Littlewick Troop

For our first meeting back since Easter, we did some tent pitching practice with the Stormhaven tents. This was to prepare for camping later in the term. The following meeting we went down to the woods where the scouts played some games and then cooked various items on a fire. This included potatoes, bananas and some twist. The initial batch of twist dough was too watery which made it quite an entertaining challenge to cook.



Our latest meeting was themed around disability awareness. There were 3 bases which considered visual impairment, physical impairment and autism and leaning difficulties.

At the end of May we held our Troop Camp. We went to Walter Davies Scout Campsite near Stoke Poges for 4 nights. It was a busy few days with many activities.

Photos of us all to the left at camp. The full report will follow in the next edition of PG Tips.



LG Scout Section Assistant (Mark Courtier)

Winter Hill Troop

We have had a busy month including a weekend camp at Henley, pioneering, fire lighting. It was good to see so many Scouts at this year's St Georges Day event. The Scouts who attended said that the games were good.

Troop Camp Activities included Scouts cooking all their meals on wood fire, learning basic Scouting camping skills, archery, Cooking competition, wide games. **Congratulations** go to **Panthers** PL *Toby Pockock* on winning the Cooking Competition and **Swifts** PL *James Huband* for Winning the *Camping competition*.

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Special Thank you goes to dad, *Ian Miller* for driving the van to / from camp, *James Woodward* and *Darran Cottington* for organising the Air rifle shooting. *Matthew Milston*, for organising the archery. Leaders. *BoB Weingarh*, *Matthew Milston*, *Alex Robins*, *Myles Rankin*, *Peter Marshall* for helping and camping for the weekend Plus the PLs, Scouts and parents who helped load and unload the lorry and put all the equipment away.

Photos on: <https://tinyurl.com/y4df2me3> Plus Winter Hill Scouts Facebook <https://en-gb.facebook.com/pgscouts/>

Volunteer to Drive a Lorry for Summer Camp.

We are looking for an Adult (Mum, Dad or friend PG) to take a lorry to camp on Wednesday 24th July, Plus another parent to drive a lorry on Wednesday 31st July / Thursday 1st August. [If you sat your driving test before 1997 you will have an entitlement to drive a lorry on your license]. Contact *Simon* for more details.



PHOTOCOPYING:

Winter Hill Summer Camp. We are producing a booklet for summer camp and are looking for help with photocopying it – It is approx. 50 pages long and we are looking for 35 copies. **If you can help do some copies** (even the odd 50 sheets), please contact *Simon*.

Simon Wheeler (WH Scout Leader)