SCOUT NEWS October 2009



Friday 2nd October saw a change to our published program where, instead of Pioneering and Knot work, we split into groups and discussed the previous week's Box Oven activity. This contributed towards the Promise Challenge and provided everyone with a chance to review how we could improve the activity in future. For those who don't know, the Ovens weren't too successful and we were rescued by Julie's skills with the Microwave!

We were unable to use the hut on the 9th, so Keith organised a wide game that took place in the Scout Hut grounds. This was followed with several games of "Manhunt", a game for which the rules seem like running around in the dark and shouting a lot - still, the scouts seem happy doing it.



On the 17th/18th we stayed over at the hut (12 Scouts and 4 leaders/helpers) and completed the DIY badge. During the weekend Scouts took the opportunity to use all manner of power and hand tools. Also we looked at changing plugs and simple plumbing activities making a Scout sign out of



soldered and compression fittings.

On the Sunday the Scouts shifted from the area where the new Cooking tremendous effort by all who took weekend can be seen in the Photo



approximately 4 tonnes of earth shelter will be located. This was a Some pictures of the gallery section.

The following week we looked at various types of stoves, gas lamps etc. and reviewed the safety considerations of each. And on the 23rd we planned the activities we were to lay on at the Halloween/Bonfire party.

Four Year badge - Dominic Hurley

Activities in November - not to be missed

Halloween / Bonfire Party Thursday 5th November

> Safe Use of Gas Equipment Friday 13th November

Creative Challenge (PLs to organise and run)

Friday 20th November

Christmas Fair Monday 23rd November

Dieniolen Weekend Saturday/Sunday 27th/29th November