## CUB NEWS February 2010

On 1st February we did more First Aid work. This covered how to deal with minor bleeding and how to make a successful 999 call, with an observation activity game where the Cubs had to remember details and then answer questions about accident scenarios

The following week four medical students from Liverpool University came and taught us CPR. Firstly they demonstrated each stage and asked us to remember each step and then we were split into small groups and everyone had the chance to practice on a Resucci Annie doll - Adam Gooseman completed and was awarded his Personal Safety Activity badge.

Mon 22nd saw us starting work on the Entertainer Badge. The Cubs made and decorated musical instruments from paper plates, plastic cups and rice and pasta. We all then learned the Camp Fire Song Ging Gang Gooley and played along with our instruments. Andy our Scout Leader was there and told us where that song came from - originating at the first World Scout Jamboree - everyone wanted to do something together and of course all spoke different languages - so they made up the daft words of Ging Gang Gooley which are nonsense so everyone could join in!

We said goodbye to Cubs Carrick Hurley, George McDonald and GJ White who have now completed their Moving On Award and attended Cubs for the last time. The ceremony was witnessed by their families and several Scouts (PL's & APL's) were in attendance with the Scout Leader Andy. We wish them well in Scouts. George, GJ and Carrick were also presented their Emergency Aid Stage 1 & 2 which we have recently completed at Cubs and these will be their first badges on their new Scout Shirts.

Brothers George and Harry Nugent both received their Swim Stage 1 badges and Adam Gooseman completed and received his Personal Safety badge. We had several promotions as the older Cubs move up to Scouts with new Sixers Sean Walker for Green, Matthew Gray for Red and Liam McGrath for Grey. Riley Nolan was promoted to Second in Blue Six, Harry Nugent in Red and Matthew Costall to Grey.

The District Swimming Gala took place on 28th Feb - see activities page for more information



Entertainer Badge Monday 1st March

Mother's Day Crafts Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March

Canoe Taster Sessions Sunday 7th and 14th March

TBA Monday 15th March

Easter Fair Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March