## **Ismay Beaver Colony: Newsletter June 2013**

These months seem to fly by!!!

Well lets see, we started by exploring our Beaver Log books looking at all the badges the Beavers can achieve and choosing a particular one to work on. The log books have great activities in them which the Beavers enjoy!

The following week was games night; we enjoyed rounders, skittles and various other games. As we were working on our Fitness Challenge badge our heart beat and pulse were monitored before and after exercise, the Beavers were amazed in the difference! We also looked at what our bodies need for energy. On 21st May along with Thor Colony we had a hike to Harrock Woods in Irby. Armed with a carrier bag + worksheet the Beavers had to find various items in the woods (something blue, rough, wet etc.). We have some very imaginative Beavers!!!

Half term was upon us very quickly, however there are a lot of events to look forward to: bag packing at Tesco (a fundraising event for Summer camp) and a charity carwash for Scout community week. The Beaver District camp was at Hadlow Fields (Wild West Theme) and not to forget Games night 12th July, this is a fantastic event night lots of fun games etc. So please come along to support us and anybody who is able to help please let me know as the more the merrier!!!

The Annual AGM and 80th Anniversary is on 29th June . Everyone will have received their invite via email explaining all the wonderful activities from bouncy castles to a live band ! Please come along (Beavers in full uniform ) a lot of awards will be given ie Chief Scout Awards etc , you never know your child maybe one of the lucky Beavers to receive an award !

Until next months newsletter I would like to say a BIG THANK YOU to all who help, parent helpers, young leaders and leaders, within our wonderful Scout Group - you really make a difference!

Cheers, Helen Bevan BSL