



Newsletter

What's happened this month?

NEWS:

We have had visitors, charity nights / events and days out all in just half a term! What an achievement! Well Done!

There will be a short newsletter before Xmas detailing the events between now and then!

Fact of the Month!

It's been 100 years since the start of World War 1!

We will remember them!

Next Event:

Sections restart W/C Monday 8th January 2015!

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This term started off with a charity night for the RNIB (Royal national institute for the Blind). We wore spotty clothes, played spotty games and ate spotty cakes and raised a lot of Money for charity! Well Done to all the Beavers, Cubs and Scouts that took part!

We have also attended the Queen Charlottes Wood district Cub camp in September and earned the Disability awareness badge and the pioneering badge. All the Cubs and leaders had a brilliant time! Thank you all for behaving wonderfully and showing the rest of West Wirral how brilliant 1st Thurstaston are!

We also looked at the global challenge and did some research around that as well as complete the NEW fire safety badge!

We even had a visit to Birkenhead Fire Station and Fletcher pack Cubs got the privilege of seeing the Fire

Crew 'scramble' out to a callout! We squirted the hoses, got a bit wet and got to sit inside the appliance!

Carrying on with the 'Emergency Theme' we completed the communicators badge with a visit from the British Red Cross and their command unit. We got to learn the phonetic alphabet, send messages on their professional radio sets, see inside their posh command unit and sit in the driver's seat and activate the "Blues and Toos"! Many thanks to Lee and our Matty for coming down to give the session!

We also attended the remembrance parade at St. Barts everyone was brilliant, Thanks to one and all! And we attended the district MOSI trip again everyone was brilliant!



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This term also sees the departure of me, Monday nights Akela, Matt! It has been a tough decision to leave but I am going on to work with the ADC Cubs as District Cub Scout Leader. I have the opportunity to work with other Scout groups and their Cub sections to help them develop and grow the district. Hopefully you will still see me around at district events like the 5-a-side, swimming gala, district Cub Challenge Camp and other district camps.

It has been a privilege to work with all my Cubs over the years and I will miss you all, I am leaving you in the very capable hands of Liz who is currently Hathi but in January will become Akela.

Yours In Scouting
Matt Jones



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