

1st Thurstaston Scout Group

Registered Charity 520279

Autumn Jumble Sale Saturday 4th October

Please support us, either helping on the day to run a stall or by coming along and spending your money. If you have jumble we can sell please bring it to us at the Scout Hut over the coming weeks.

75 Years Old in 2008 ! Wednesday 5th November

We are having a Group Celebration so there will be no Section meetings this week as we all come together for our celebration. We will have hot dogs and drinks for the children and Cheese and Wine for the adults. We will be inviting friends from the past who have been associated with the Group during the last 75 years. As a Grand Finale we will have fireworks and maybe even a song or two. We will issue invites nearer the time, but please put the date in your diary, we promise not to change it again !

100 Club Prize Draw

Have you got your number yet ? for just £12 a year you are entered into a monthly draw. 60 % of the cash raised is returned in prize money. The remainder is put to good use for the Scout Group. All Leaders have application forms and there is one overleaf, please join us - this is a really easy way to raise funds and possibly win a prize !

Support 1st Thurstaston Scout Group for free when shopping online. Go to this [website](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/1stthurstastonsq) and register.

Help raise funds for 1st Thurstaston Scout Group when you search the Web with easysearch. Go to www.1stthurstastonsq.easysearch.org.uk

Scout Group Website www.firstthurstaston.co.uk

We are still working on and developing the site but the basics are there, in time we hope that all things 1st Thurstaston will be on there and accessible to you all.

Group News

All the Sections have returned and had their first meetings after the summer holidays. We have made some changes to the Leader teams to try and cover all the Sections with the Leaders we currently have. Sue Flush - GSL, will lead both Scouts and Cubs for the time being until we are able to establish a permanent team in either or ideally both. Jon Oliver (AGSL) will also assist in both sections, Julie Hobson and Jane Phillips are moving into Cubs, and join Debbie Holmes, Alison Gray and Paul Oliver. Jayne Oliver, Ellie Burbidge King and Sue Lunt continue in Beavers with a parent rota each week. The Scouts will almost certainly need a weekly Parent rota. We have only 7 full time Leaders with three more helping us on alternative weeks, for 80 Beavers, Cubs and Scouts. We ask that all parents please consider joining our small team, we want to provide good quality Scouting each and every week, to do this we need more help. Dads, Mums and Grandparents, if you can't commit to every week - no problem, any help will be gratefully received and will ensure your children get the Scouting they deserve. *Please we need more help - now !*



Christmas Fair

Monday 24th November

Always a popular and well attended event, we look forward to welcoming all the Beavers, Cubs and Scouts with their families and friends. We have lots of games and fun for the children, with gifts, raffles and refreshments for the grown ups. Hopefully the man with a 'white beard' from the North Pole will put in an appearance, see you all there.

Please help us if you can with donations of prizes, cuddly toys, and cakes.

Many thanks

Camping News

Many of our Cubs, Beavers and Scouts attended a fantastic Wirral Centenary Celebration & Camp in June; this year the weather was kind to us, truly a weekend to remember. Sue Flush took some Scouts and Cubs to a joint summer camp with 4th Moreton in August. The Cubs and Scouts are attending District Camp in September at Queen Charlottes Wood Camp, Helsby Hill nr Frodsham. Next Year we are planning a Group Camp with all the Sections, including the Beavers attending for an overnight sleepover.



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Christmas Post

Will be here before we know it, we already have the dates and will be asking nearer the time for your help. Last year went really well, thanks to the help from many of you. Sales commence at the end of November, delivery weekends are 13/14th and 20/21st December.

West Wirral Wobble Board World Record Attempt



The record was smashed !
666 took part, well done to all involved.



1st Thurstaston Scout Group 100 Club Prize Draw

The 100 Club has sadly dwindled to around 50 ! This is a really easy way to raise funds for the Group and therefore your children, with the added bonus of a monthly prize. Please consider joining the 100 Club for only £12 per number per year, you can have one or more numbers . Please complete and return this form to get your number ,

Name _____ Child _____

I would like to join the 100 Club and enclose £12 per number _____

Chq's payable to 1st Thurstaston Scout Group—thanks



75th Anniversary Fleece Order Form

I would like to order a fleece/s as follows

Name/s _____

Section/s _____

Ages / Sizes — please circle 7/8, 9/10, 11/12, 13, XS,S,M,L,XL

I enclose £5 towards the cost — Chq's payable to 1st Thurstaston Scout Group please.

