



PLYMOUTH DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

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The next Newsletter will be published in September and items must reach the Editor (or the DC) by the end of 10th September (preferably by e-mail).

Diary Dates

July

13 th	County Annual General Meeting
14 th	Core Team Meeting
17 th	Cubs Mini 10 Tors
19 th	Plymouth Properties Trust Meeting
20 th	District Executive Committee
21 st	Active Support Meeting

August

World Scout Jamboree – Sweden

September

10 th	Training Day
15 th	Active Support Meeting
16 th /18 th	County Scout Camp – Woodlands
21 st	District Executive Committee
24 th /25 th	Cubs Mike Cannon Challenge
24 th /25 th	Starter for Ten weekend
27 th	Training Module 5

Notices

PLYMOUTH SCOUT SHOP - BLINDMANS WOOD - OPENING TIMES

Monday & Thursday 6.45 - 8.45pm

Saturday 10.00am - 12.00 noon

Newsletter Distribution

Please let us know if you would like your copy of the newsletter by email. Those who want to receive their copy in this way will have to 'opt in' to the mailing list. If you want to receive an email copy send your email address to the editor. The more people that elect to receive the newsletter by email, the more we will save in printing and distribution costs. You can also read the current and past issues on our District Web-site – details of which can be found elsewhere in this edition.

District Websites

The District web-site can now be found at <http://www.plymouthdistrictscouts.org> The new site is currently being populated with information, so please check regularly. Plymouth Scouts also have a Group on Facebook. Those who use Facebook will be able to interact with the site, but even if you are not signed up, it is still possible to read the bulletins by visiting: <http://www.facebook.com/home.php?#/group.php?gid=134999364263&ref=mf> There are currently 112 members of the Group – why not join them?

A selection of recent bulletins that are still valid:

There are some minor changes to some activity badges this month. Take a look at the home page of www.scouts.org.uk for a link to the changes relevant to your Section.

Amanda Hampson who was an Asst Beaver Leader with the 47th Plymouth is now living in Italy and is a den mother with the Boy Scouts of America. If any groups of Beavers or Cubs want to set up a link, let the DC know and we can put you in touch.

Scout Groups can take advantage of a 35% discount on O.S. Maps in the Explorer, OL and Landrover Series. Contact the DC to find out how to access this offer.

Congratulations to our successful Explorer Ten Tors Team - and well done to the leaders who trained them

Awards

Congratulations to the following:

Chief Scouts Award Bronze –

Scott Jones – 29th Plymouth



Chief Scouts Award Silver –

Thomas Allbutt – 47th Plymouth
Denver Brennan – 47th Plymouth
Ryan Culleton – 47th Plymouth
Lewis Kempster – 47th Plymouth
Byron Hall – 47th Plymouth
Mark Jeffery – 47th Plymouth
Tom Baldock – 47th Plymouth



Chief Scouts Award Gold –

Alasdair Sturgeon – 1st Crownhill
Tara Wells-McCulloch – 1st Crownhill
Bryn Nott – 1st Keyham
Rachel Daley – 1st Keyham
Jessica Hole – 1st Keyham



The Appointments Sub-Committee has confirmed the following in their roles –

Lynn Britton – as Sectional Assistant 30th Plymouth
Nigel Britton – as Sectional Assistant 30th Plymouth
Neil Madigan – as Sectional Assistant 30th Plymouth

Recognition of Service as an Adult –

Helen Parry ASL 1st Crownhill - 5 years
Kelly Powell BSL 31st Plymouth – 5 years
Christopher Derrick – ESL - 5 years
Bruce Webb – AESL – 10 years
David Hoskin – SASU - 10 years
Lynda Waterfield – ACSL 27th Plymouth – 10 years
Helen Williams SASU – 20 years
July Jury – DCSL – 25 years
Keith Smale – SASU – 40 years



Training – The Following Woodbadges Have Been Received -

Lauren Ades – BSL 9th/21st Plymouth
Steven Mahoney – ASL 9th/21st Plymouth
James Parker – ASL 9th/21st Plymouth
Alex Parker – ASL 9th/21st Plymouth
Steven Worrall – ASL 9th/21st Plymouth

