

20TH DUNDEE SCOUT GROUP



Welcome back from the holidays!

We hope you all had a good break over the Easter holidays, and are glad to be back. Here's a list of a few things we're planning in the time between now and the Summer.

April 28th, Bring a Friend Week

Following in from a *hugely* successful leadership recruitment campaign, we will now be embarking on a similar membership drive. The first step in this stage will be a "Bring a Friend" week next week. All Scouts are welcome to bring along a friend with them to see what Scouting is all about – *with their parents' permission!* We will not be charging these friends for their first week at all. None of our sections have waiting lists at the current moment, and if you need a reminder of when our groups meet the details are:

Beavers, 6 to 8 years old, Tuesday nights, 6.15pm – 7.30pm

Cubs, 8 to 10½ years old, Wednesday nights, 6.15pm – 7.45pm

Scouts, 10 to 14 years old, Wednesday nights, 8pm – 9.30pm

If you have any questions about joining, please just give me a call on 07708417612 or email fisher@20thdundeescouts.org

May 7th - 9th, District Flag Competition

This is the annual Scout camping competition between all of the Scout troops in Dundee. Ideally we'd be looking for a team of six to represent our group. The cost of the two-night camp is expected to be cheaper than usual – certainly less than £20. Please let Sharon or myself if your child wants to go **by no later than Wednesday 28th April** – that's next week. Let's make sure that our group have a team at this year's event!

Upcoming badgework – A big project!

The Scout Troop plan on working towards a few badges this term, including their Smallholding badge. Our Scout leader has kindly donated her garden for use for this badge, which will involve getting quite dirty. We will keep you updated with details on this. The idea is to also include the Beavers and/or Cubs, allowing the entire group to work towards their Environmental Partnership Award – something our group has *never* achieved before. This is quite exciting, and we hope to have your support!

Yours in Scouting,

Gregor Murray (Fisher)

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