

60TH CELEBRATIONS

Cranham 15th June 5 - 9pm & 60th Family Camp 5 - 6th September 2009

60 years ago, 1949, our Shurdington Scout Group was founded by Leonard Trainer. We are planning 2 special events to celebrate the occasion; Games & Challenges up at Cranham on Monday 15th June and a 60th Celebration Family camp on the 5th - 6th September 2009 (leaders set-up from 7pm on 4th)

Next Monday June 15th, all Scouts sections will be up at Cranham to take part in team challenges from 5 - 9pm (younger Beavers/Cubs can leave after the BBQ)

We have a variety of challenges based around a theme of '60'

To make this a successful evening we do need the support from all parents to help run the bases and the BBQ. Please could you email me to confirm that you are available to help louiseslee@tesco.net.

If we need to cancel due to poor weather, please check the website first <http://www.shurdington.org/Scouts> before phoning Louise on 07986329107

In September we would like to organise a Family Camp. Family Camps used to be a regular event with Shurdington Scouts. The idea of a family camp has been bounced around for the last couple of years and we thought a fitting time would be as part of our 60th Celebrations. The camp would be open to parents and siblings of Shurdington's Beavers, Cubs, Scouts and Explorers. There would be a nominal charge to cover camping fees and food. Scouts would camp with their families with games and cooking organised centrally by the leaders. The campsite which we have in mind is Warren Oak near Ledbury <http://malvernscouts.org.uk> (click on the picture of Warren Oak)

The site is 15 acres with grass fields, camp fire area, toilet/shower block, kitchen and indoor recreation area. We would book the whole site for ourselves. Before we take this further we would like to get an idea of numbers.

Please could everyone email louiseslee@tesco.net no later than 30th June to either accept or decline the camp invitation. If you are coming we will need to know roughly how many there will be in your family group. Once we have received replies we will post more camp information on our website, in mid July <http://www.shurdington.org/Scouts>

We hope that you will celebrate Shurdington's 60 years of Scouting with us!