



The District Team  
The District Executive Committee  
All Section Leaders

20<sup>th</sup> March 2007

Dear Scouter

**County Centenary St. George's Day Parade and Service 2007**

Please find enclosed the details for the County St. George's Day Parade and Service to be held on Sunday 22nd April 2007.

As this is a County Parade, there will be NO flag rehearsal this year. The parade will start at approximately 1.45pm and will be held in Dorchester with the service at Maumbury Rings (or the covered market in Great Western Street if wet).

To ensure that we get as many people from Christchurch on parade as possible, a fleet of eight **50 seat** coaches has been booked to transport us to Dorchester. All those attending the parade are asked to meet at the following locations for no later than 11.30am when the coaches will leave promptly for Dorchester.

Coaches 1, 2 and 3	Reid Street, Christchurch for Town, Jumpers, Fellowship and District
Coach 4	Outside Bransgore HQ, Burnt House Lane
Coach 5	Outside Mudeford HQ, Stanpit
Coach 6	Burton Village Green, Salisbury Road
Coaches 7 and 8	The Somerford Inn car park, Somerford Road for Somerford and Highcliffe

Scoutlink Group and the Band have made their own transport arrangements.

***Groups are asked to ensure that coaches leave as full as possible and liaise with each other to ensure no one is left behind due to over crowding.***

Regrettably there will not be enough room on the coaches for parents to travel with the District. Anyone wishing to watch the parade are asked to make their own way to Dorchester. On arrival, the District will make their way to the Charles Street Car Park to form up in readiness for the parade.

Would all Group Leaders please ensure that all members on Parade wear full and correct uniform with group **and centenary scarves**. Any non-uniformed sectional assistants attending must also wear the Group and Centenary scarves otherwise they will not be allowed entry into Maumbury Rings.

No Union Flags or St. George's Flags are to be paraded. No flag escorts are required. All sections are asked to parade ONLY their sectional colours. Only the District Colour is to be paraded by the duty Group. Somerford Scouts will parade the County Banner at the front of the parade.

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Patron HM The Queen President The Mayor of Christchurch Founder Robert Baden-Powell OM Chief Scout Peter Duncan

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The ceremony of the handover of the District Colours from Scoutlink to Jumpers will this year take place at the Centenary Camp BBQ at Braggers Wood on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May.

The Parade will follow the route as shown on the plan which can be found on page 7 of this letter.

Christchurch Scout and Guide Band will be leading the parade with the Bournemouth Scout Band.

Districts will parade in the following order - Dorchester, Bournemouth Avon, Bournemouth Stour, Christchurch, East Dorset, North Dorset, Poole, Wareham and Isle of Purbeck, West Dorset, Weymouth and Portland

Each District will march in lines of 4 abreast in the following order - District Colour; Beaver Colours, Beaver Section; Cub Colours, Cub Section; Scout Colours, Scout Section; Explorer Colours, Explorer Section; Fellowship Colours, District Team, Fellowship.

The Lord Lieutenant of Dorset will take the salute together with the County Commissioner and County President at the "Old" entrance to the brewery in Great Western Road.

Also enclosed are the details of the Hymns to be used during the service. All groups are asked to ensure that attendees are aware of the music and words before the parade. Service sheets will be given out on arrival at the Rings.

After the service, a picnic will be provided by the County. Members of the District Team will collect the picnic boxes from a set point at Maumbury Rings and distribute accordingly.

The coaches will leave Dorchester at around 5pm, returning back to their original pick up points at around 6pm.

Please pass on this information to all your Leaders and young people and encourage as many as possible to join us for the afternoon.

Should you have any questions regarding the details outlines here please get in touch with me as soon as possible.

Yours in Scouting



Mark Flexman  
District Commissioner

## St. George's Day Parade 2007 Hymns

### 1) He's the whole world in his hands

1. He's got the whole world in his hand;  
He's got the whole world in his hand;  
He's got the whole world in his hand;  
He's got the whole world in his hand.
2. He's got you and me, brother, in his hand;  
He's got you and me, brother, in his hand;  
He's got you and me, brother, in his hand;  
He's got the whole world in his hand.
3. He's got you and me, sister, in his hand;  
He's got you and me, sister, in his hand;  
He's got you and me, sister, in his hand s;  
He's got the whole world in his hand.
4. He's got ev'rybody here in his hand;  
He's got ev'rybody here in his hand;  
He's got ev'rybody here in his hand;  
He's got the whole world in his hand.

### 2. One more step along the world I go

1. One more step along the world I go,  
One more step along the world I go,  
From the old things to the new  
keep me travelling along with You.  
And it's from the old I travel to the new;  
Keep me travelling along with You.
2. Round the corners of the world I turn,  
More and more about the world I learn.  
And the new things that I see  
You'll be looking at along with me.  
And it's from ....
3. As I travel through the bad and good  
keep me travelling the way I should.  
Where I see no way to go  
You'll be telling me the way, I know.  
And it's from ....
4. Give me courage when the world is rough,  
Keep me loving though the world is tough.  
Leap and sing in all I do,  
Keep me travelling along with You.  
And it's from ....
5. You are older than the world can be,  
You are younger than the life in me.  
Ever old and ever new,  
Keep me travelling along with You.  
And it's from ....

### 3. The Scout Hymn

Now as I start upon my chosen way,  
In all I do, my thoughts, my work, my play.  
Grant as I promise, courage new for me,  
To be the best, the best that I can be.

Help me to keep my honour shining bright,  
May I be loyal in the hardest fight,  
Let me be able for my task, and then,  
To earn a place among my fellow-men.

Open mine eyes to see the things as I should,  
That I may do my daily turn of good,  
Let me be ready, waiting for each need  
To keep me clean in thought and word and deed.

So as I journey on my chosen way,  
In all I do, my thought my work, my play,  
Grant as I promise, courage new for me  
To be the best, the BEST that I can be.

### 4. Sing hosanna

1. Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning,  
give me oil in my lamp, I pray;  
give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning,  
keep me burning till the break of day.

Refrain Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,  
sing hosanna to the King of kings!  
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,  
sing hosanna to the King!

2. Give me joy in my heart, keep me singing,  
give me joy in my heart, I pray;  
give me joy in my heart, keep me singing,  
keep me singing till the break of day.
3. Give me love in my heart, keep me serving,  
give me love in my heart, I pray;  
give me love in my heart, keep me serving,  
keep me serving till the break of day.

Song – We are people on a journey (Tune Mine Eyes have see the Glory)

1. We are people on a journey moving forward every day,  
With our friendship growing closer through our work and in our play,  
And we learn about each other and ourselves along the way.  
God's people journey on.  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! Glory, glory, alleluia!  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! God's people journey on.
2. There'll be sights to see and things to do and time for having fun;  
There'll be time to stand and stare with nothing pressing to be done.  
And we'll organise the journey so there's time for everyone  
As we keep moving on.  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! Glory, glory, alleluia!  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! As we keep moving on.
3. Now we don't know every detail that the future has in store,  
But we're quite prepared to boldly go where no-one went before,  
For we know that God is there for us, and who can ask for more?  
That's why we journey on.  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! Glory, glory, alleluia!  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! That's why we journey on.
4. So we journey on together, with our God who will not rest  
'til the sick are healed, the hungry fed, and all the poor are bless'd;  
And as long as there is anyone exploited or oppressed  
The journey must go on.  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! Glory, glory, alleluia!  
    Glory, glory, alleluia! The journey must go on.

National Anthem

God save our gracious Queen,  
long live our noble Queen,  
God save the Queen!  
Send her victorious,  
happy and glorious,  
long to reign over us,  
God save the Queen!

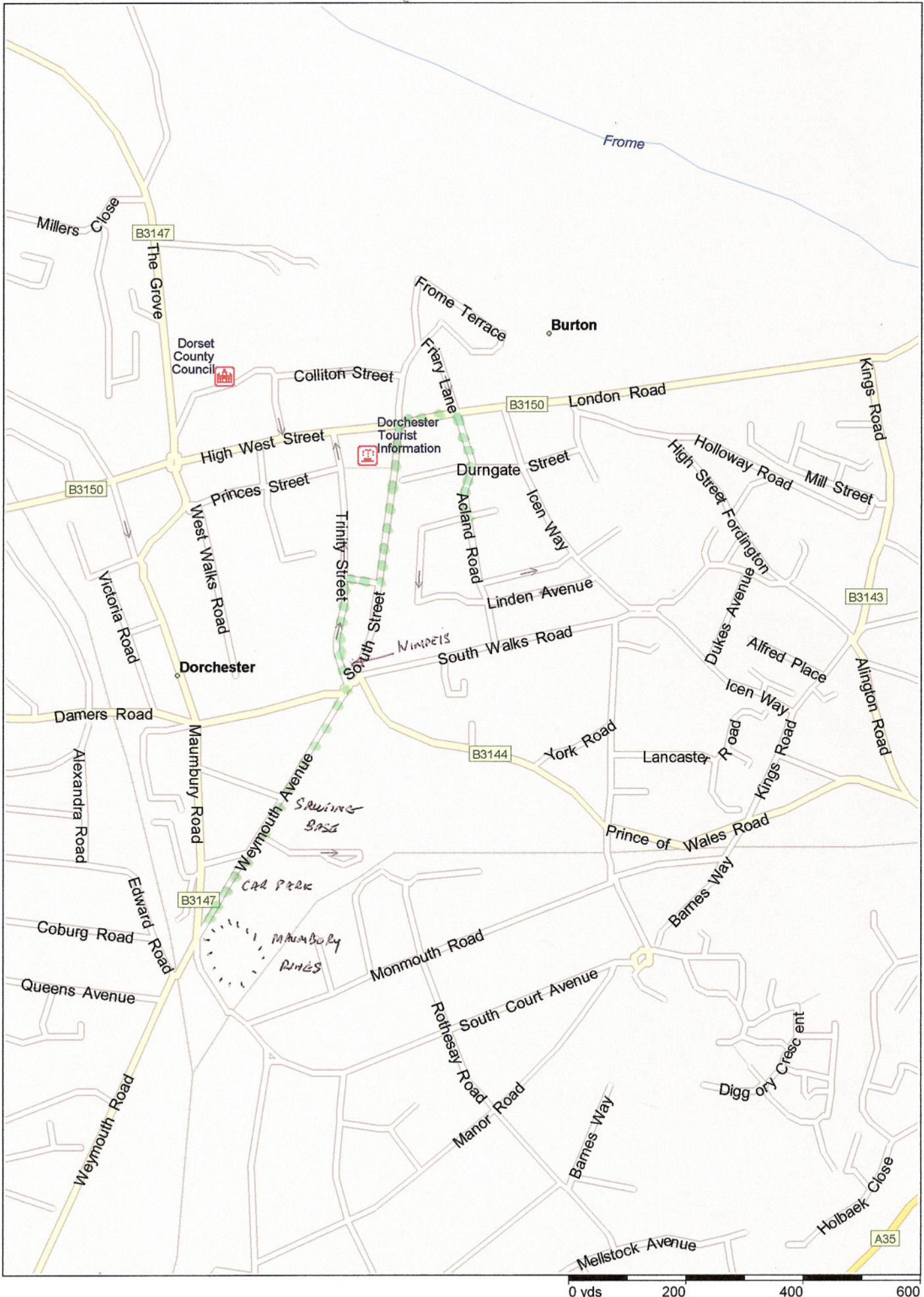
Thy choicest gifts in store  
on her be pleased to pour,  
long may she reign:  
May she defend our laws,  
and ever give us cause  
to sing with heart and voice  
God save the Queen!

Response to the prayers:

Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him in the morning,  
Praise Him in the noontide. Praise Him, Praise Him  
Praise Him when the sun goes down.



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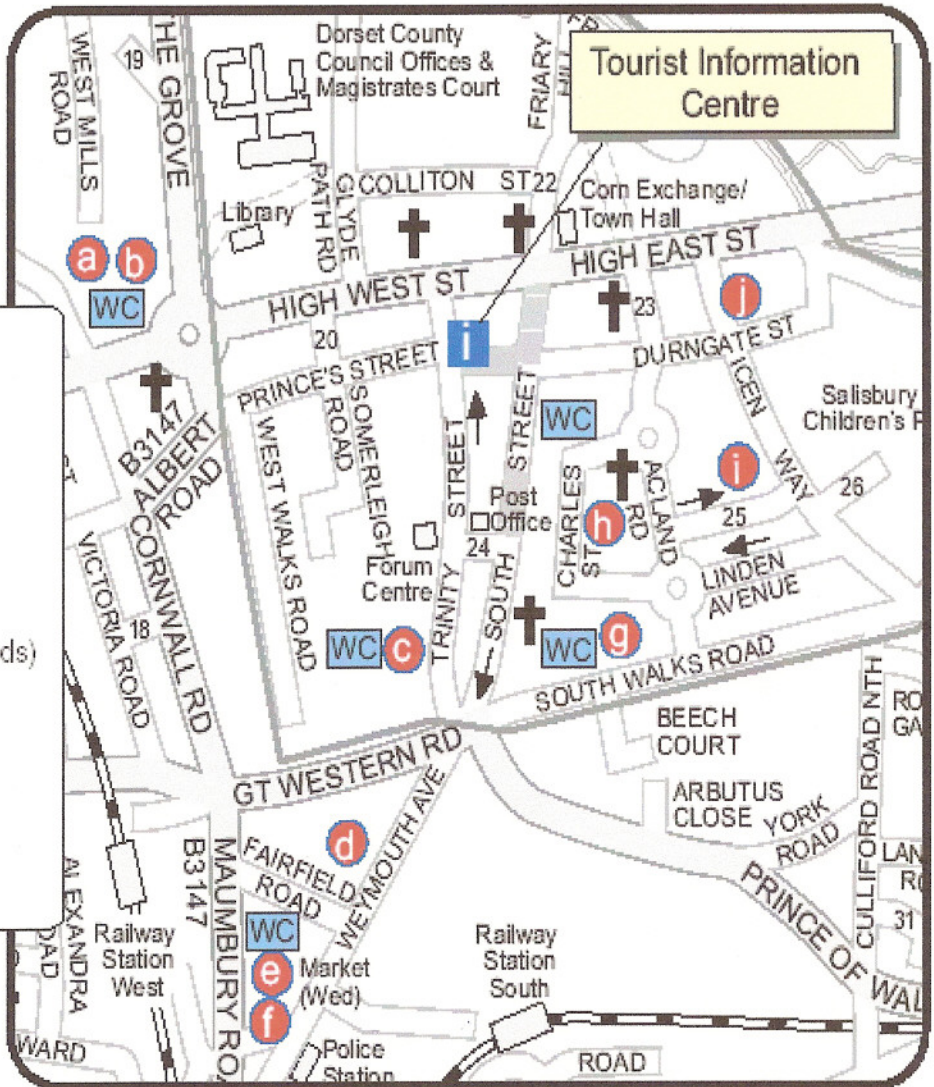


Dorset Scouts Centenary St Georges Day Parade, Sunday 22nd April 2007

This map shows parking and WC's in Dorchester. We will parade from car park 'h' to Maumbury Rings located on the left just beyond car park 'f' and the Police Station. Both car parks 'h' and 'f' will be closed for Scout use only from late morning, however coaches will use car park 'f' to collect young people after the parade. Free evening and weekend parking is available at the County Council offices.

# Parking in Dorchester

- a** Coach Park
- b** Top O' Town (long stay)
- c** Trinity Street (short stay)
- d** Lower Fairfield (short stay)
- e** Coach Park
- f** Fairfield (long stay, except Weds)
- g** Old Market (short stay)
- h** Acland Road (short stay)
- i** Wollaston Field (long stay)
- j** Durngate Street (long stay)



- k** Park and Ride (Weds only)

