

# Awards

Congratulations to all those listed below who have received awards from the Chief Scout recently.



## The Silver Wolf

**In recognition of services to Scouting of the most exceptional nature**

David Stevens, District Public Relations Adviser, Member - Scout Fellowship. 23rd April 2007



## The Bar to the Silver Acorn

**In recognition of further specially distinguished service**

Gerald Godwin, Honorary DC, Honorary President - Braggers Wood, Member - Scout Fellowship. 23rd April 2007



## The Silver Acorn

**In recognition of specially distinguished service**

Colin Burch, Pack Assistant - 6th Christchurch (Bransgore). 23rd April 2007

Edward Terry, Member - Scout Fellowship. 23rd April 2007

Richard Whiteside, County Secretary, Member - Scout Fellowship. 23rd April 2007



## The Medal of Merit

**In recognition of outstanding service**

David Crumpler, AGSL - 3rd Christchurch (Jumpers).

Ann Morton, District Secretary.

Emma Randall, ABSL - 8th Christchurch (Burton).

Malcolm Taylor, Camp Administrator - Braggers Wood.

Des Whitney, Gang Show Chairman, Group Chairman - 3rd Christchurch (Jumpers).



## The Chief Scout's Commendation for Good Service

**In recognition of good service**

Tim Barnes, Member - District Executive Committee.

Janet Campbell, Gang Show Secretary, Member - District Executive Committee.

Alison Newman, Band Administrator - District Scout and Guide Band.



## The Chief Scout's 40 year Long Service Award

**Awarded in recognition of 40 years adult service to Scouting**

Sheila Davies, ADC Cubs. 5th March 2007

Maureen Freeman, Member - Scout Fellowship. 5th March 2007



## The Bar to the Long Service Award

**Awarded in recognition of 25 years adult service to Scouting**

Mike Taylor, Camp Warden - Braggers Wood. 5th March 2007

Graham Budd, SL - 5th Christchurch (Highcliffe). 2nd May 2007



## The Long Service Award

**Awarded in recognition of 15 years adult service to Scouting**

Caroline Loader, Colony Assistant - 10th Christchurch (Mudford). 5th March 2007

Ann Morton, District Secretary. 5th March 2007

Graham Pedder, GSL - 6th Christchurch (Bransgore). 5th March 2007

Robert Phillipson, Chairman - 1st Christchurch (Town), Member - District Executive Committee. 5th March 2007

Des Whitney, Gang Show Chairman, Group Chairman - 3rd Christchurch (Jumpers). 5th March 2007

Barbara Houston, ACSL - 20th Christchurch (Somerford). 2nd May 2007

Brett Jones, CSL - 3rd Christchurch (Jumpers). 2nd May 2007

Keith Vinycomb, SL - 10th Christchurch (Mudford). 3rd July 2007



## 10 year service certificate

**Awarded in recognition of 10 years adult service to Scouting**

Mark Barber, ASL - 3rd Christchurch (Jumpers). 5th March 2007

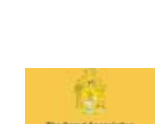
Tim Barnes, Member - District Executive Committee. 5th March 2007

Carole Knight, Pack Assistant - 20th Christchurch (Somerford). 5th March 2007

Jill Blake, Fellowship Member. 2nd May 2007

Amanda Noles, BSL - 10th Christchurch (Mudford). 2nd May 2007

Terry Carter, ASL - 5th Christchurch (Highcliffe). 3rd July 2007



## 5 year service certificate

**Awarded in recognition of 5 years adult service to Scouting**

Jonathan Adams, Troop Assistant - 3rd Christchurch (Jumpers). 5th March 2007

Julie Alger, Colony Assistant - 10th Christchurch (Mudford). 5th March 2007

Michael Bishop-Bolt, Instructor - District Scout and Guide Band. 5th March 2007

Lynn Coombs, Group Secretary - 2nd Christchurch (Scoutlink). 5th March 2007

James Crumpler, Troop Assistant - 8th Christchurch (Burton). 5th March 2007

Anthony Ramsay, Instructor - District Scout and Guide Band. 5th March 2007

Charlotte Stribling, Member - District Executive Committee. 5th March 2007

Dennis Twitchin, Instructor - District Scout and Guide Band. 5th March 2007

Gemma Latham, SL - 2nd Christchurch (Scoutlink). 2nd May 2007

Peter Crow, Vice-Chairman - Scout Fellowship. 3rd July 2007

Adam Huxley, ACSL - 6th Christchurch (Bransgore). 3rd July 2007

Frank Paines, ASL - 10th Christchurch (Mudford). 3rd July 2007

Maureen Whiteside, Member - Scout Fellowship. 3rd July 2007

# Diary of forthcoming events

All Scouters Meeting	Thursday 20th September	7.30pm	CSC
Letchford Trophy	Sunday 23rd September	tbc	Bransgore HQ
District Cub Quiz	Thursday 27th September	6.30pm	CSC
District Swimming Gala	Saturday 6th October	6.30pm	2 Riversmeet
Beaver Adventure Day	Saturday 29th September	tbc	Braggers Wood
Christchurch Volunteers Service	Sunday 30th September	11.15am	Prory Church
First Response Course Part One	Wednesday 3rd October	7.00pm	Braggers Wood
Swimming Gala	Saturday 6th October	6.30pm	2 Riversmeet
First Response Course Part Two	Wednesday 10th October	7.00pm	Braggers Wood
District Development Day	Saturday 27th October	9.30am	CSC
Mayor's Scout Handover Ceremony	Thursday 1st November	7.00pm	Mayor's Parlour
Cub 5 a side football competition	Saturday 10th November	tbc	2 Riversmeet
Red House Museum Scouting 100 Day	Saturday 10th November	10.00am	Red House Museum
Remembrance Day Service and Parade	Sunday 11th November	tbc	Christchurch
Scout 5 a side football competition	Sunday 18th November	tbc	2 Riversmeet
Live07	Saturday 24th November		o2 Dome, London
Mayor's Christmas Parcel Deliveries	Sunday 9th December	10.00am	Council Chamber
All Scouter's Meeting	Thursday 17th January	7.30pm	CSC



## Burton Cubs Go Football Crazy!

Burton Cubs were treated to a personal training session with AFC Bournemouth Goal Keeper, Neil Moss. Robin and Clare Skitt brought along their friend, Neil, for a Cub meeting based on fitness and ball skills.

Neil gave the Cubs some professional advice and set up some great games for them to practice their new skills. He really enjoyed the sense of fun between the Cubs and was especially impressed to find out that Burton won this year's district five a side tournament.

Clare said "the Cubs were absolutely gob smacked when Neil arrived as they thought it was just a football themed multi evening in return for bringing prizes for the Carnival tombola stall". Robin added that "it was really special for the cubs to get up close to their hero and it was very nice of Neil to spare time out of his training schedule to support local scouting in this way".

The evening ended with the Cubs taking penalty shots at Neil and some of them were over the moon when they got one passed him.

The idea was inspired by the Centenary Bring a Friend Badge and as Neil is an ex Christchurch Scouter he was only too pleased to get involved.



# Christchurch Centenary Celebrations - Family Fun Day

Christchurch Quay Saturday 14th July



Goose 2007



ADC Beavers - Peter Andrews invests the first two Beavers of the new Scouting Centenary at the Sunrise Ceremony at Braggers Wood on 1st August

This year the Burton Scout Carnival was headed up by the Beavers dressed up as Zulu warriors, and to commemorate his meeting with Dinizulu they were led round the route by none other than Baden Powell himself, aka Group Scout Leader Peter Hayes in disguise. The Cubs marched as time travelling characters from Dr Who and the Scouts organised a demonstration camp with traditional scouting skills and games. The district Scout Band is also a big attraction and brings people out of their homes and gardens to set the seal on a very real demonstration that Scouting is alive and well in the community. The annual Scout carnival is a major event for the whole community and all of the money raised goes towards a number of good causes and charities. Organisation is a major undertaking for the executive committee and leaders working together, with long term and stalwart supporter of the group Emma Kearney leading the team.



Burton Beavers and Cubs paid homage to the home of Scouting when they visited Gilwell Park for the National Beaver and Cub fun day on 16th June. Despite an early start it was a really successful and enjoyable day, with lots of activities such as a fair ground, water slide, Robot Wars, Climbing and abseiling. One of the most popular attractions was the 'Hot Wheels' marquee with remote control cars, a mini stunt show and race track, everyone won at least one prize. It was also an opportunity for the young people to reflect on 100 years of scouting when they looked around BP's caravan, statues and other memorabilia. With Beavers and the Cubs attending from all over the country the young people really benefited from the realisation that Scouting is huge and they have common bond with so many others. The cost of the trip was heavily subsidised by grants obtained by our treasurer Chris Wilcox, who has worked relentlessly to ensure we could organise the day with minimal cost to parents. Committee members such as Chris are often the unsung heroes of scouting and we owe him an enormous thank you!



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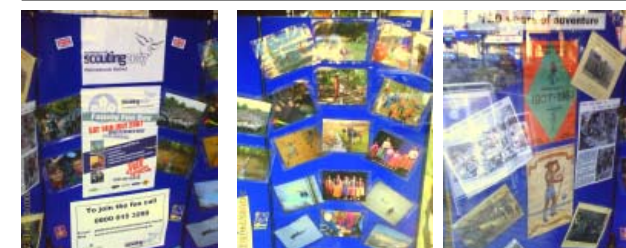


## Oh wow - what a summer!

Since the last edition of this newsletter in April, we have all been kept busy with a huge number of celebration events and activities to keep us amused and busy. As a picture speaks a thousand words, this edition focuses on images of the many activities and events that have taken place over the last few months.



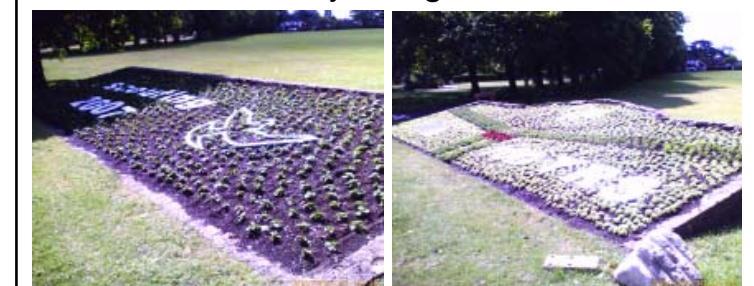
County St. George's Day Parade  
Dorchester Sunday 22nd April



Tourist Information Centre Display  
21st - 28th May



Barrack Road Flowerbeds  
May - August



## Directory Updates

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Change details for Tim Barnes. Hope Cottage, 3 Summers Lane, Burton. BH23 7JB  
Tel: Christchurch (01202) 479815  
Add details for Bransgore District Commissioner - Mrs. Kate Diment. 6 Tucks Close, Bransgore. BH23 8ND  
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**Page 12**  
Change details for ASL Mrs Nichola Green 11 Jumpers Avenue, Christchurch. BH23 2EP  
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**Page 14**  
Add contact details for Treasurer Miss Debbie Bartlett.  
Tel: Christchurch (01202) 246019  
e-mail: debbie.bartlett4@ntlworld.com

**Page 14**  
Remove Scout Leader Mark Barber and insert "Vacant - refer to Group Scout Leader"  
Remove Assistant Scout Leader Dave Sawyer and insert "Vacant - refer to Group Scout Leader"

**Page 15**  
Replace Beaver Scout Leader Mrs Helen Dow with - Mrs Becky Davies. 79 Everest Road, Somerford. BH23 3AZ.  
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Replace Assistant Beaver Scout Leader Mrs Julie Pilley with - Mrs Amy Kefford. 21 Maple Close, Barton on Sea. BH25 7AR.  
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