



**NORTHALLERTON DISTRICT
EXPLORER SCOUTS
B.A.R.N.E.S. Unit**
http://www.northallerton-scouts.org.uk/barnes
April 2008



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Unit**

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Tuesdays

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First Monday of each month
19:30 - 21:00
Third Monday of each month
19:30 - 21:00
Other weeks - See the calendar

Hambleton Forum
Northallerton
East Cowton Village Hall

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BARNES Unit Meetings

Our next meetings are at 19:30 on Monday 7th April at Hambleton Forum and 21st April at East Cowton.

This Month we also have:

St. George's Service 10:45 on Sunday 27th,
Float Construction on Sunday 27th,

Please remember to look at the updated calendar on the web site.

**Easter Camp
28th - 30th March 2008
Ravengill, Comondale**



It was a bit wet on the Saturday afternoon but despite this we managed a great camp fire and had a good weekend.

As usual all the photos can be found on the web site.



Duke of Edinburgh

Please talk to Joanne, Andrew or Charles about what you are doing for the various sections of the award.



Don't miss out on gaining recognition for work you are already doing just because you have not done the paperwork!

Expeditions

Well done to the team that successfully completed the practice for DoEA Bronze and Chief Scout Platinum over the last weekend.

Don't forget it's now time to start planning the real thing. It's only four weeks away, so you should have everything ready for the meeting on 21st April.

Fund Raising

The recipe book is now available. £3 each



The **tea-towel** in conjunction with our partnership Groups, 1st Brompton and Friarage is at the printers. Start thinking about who may wish to buy one from you. £3 each

We will be holding a **Strawberry Scone tea** on Saturday 21st June in Brompton.



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St George's Parade Sunday 27th April 2008

This year the parade and service will take place in East Cowton. We will meet outside East Cowton Village Hall at 10:45. Please make every effort to attend.

Archery

Details about an archery session are enclosed. Please return the forms no later than 1st may.



Sainsbury's



Sainsbury's Active Kids 08

As a Unit, like last year we are again collection Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers to supplement our kit.

Last year we were able to get balls, table tennis net, survival kits and more. All of which have saved us money.

Subscription Payments

Please let Charles have your subs payment (with the payment slip) if you have not already done so.



Fun at the Fair and Recruiting new members

Now is the time to start thinking about our float for the Brompton Carnival at the end of May. We can meet to start

drawing up some plans and possibly starting to build on the 27th April.

people there that we are expecting.

Operation "Garatpur Baas" 23rd July - 7th August 2008

The Scouting notification has gone in, the Travel Insurance has been confirmed and the flights booked. Please can we have a deposit of £300 from each member of the team.



Windsurfing and Dinghy Sailing at Grimwith Reservoir

2 Hour Sessions

12th or 13th July

£20

Please let Joanne know if you would like us to book a session.