

# 18<sup>th</sup> Edmonton Scout Group

## Leaders Meeting

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2017

6:45pm in the Church Hall

Present: John Symons, Daniel Parr, Donna Willard, Ellie Way, Emily Miskin, Flora Hajipetrou, Grant Murray, Jason Noel, Liam Wilson, Rianon Parr, Thomas Barnett and Paul Symons

- 1 Apologies for absence were received from Rachel and Kyra.
- 2 Matters arising
  - a. Emails – Paul advised that he had raised the problem with one.com who said they had done what they could. Those affected advised that despite the bounce backs being received by the sender the emails were getting through.
- 3 Health and safety
  - a. The playgroup cupboard door that had fallen off hitting a beaver has been completely removed.
  - b. Some of the radiator cages are not fitted securely to the wall. Paul will raise this with the church.
  - c. The first aid recording book is in the last cupboard on the left.
- 4 Leader team update
  - a. Donna advised that a new Young Leader, Shannon, would start with the Colony on 19<sup>th</sup> May. Donna will let Mike Thurston (DESC) know.
  - b. Grant and Donna asked for a list of Occasional Helpers. Paul to provide.
- 5 Moving on and member numbers
  - a. Beavers, Donna advised that there are 23 Beavers with three on link to Cubs. Two new Beavers are about to start.
  - b. Cubs, Grant advised that there are 23 Cubs with four on link to Scouts.
  - c. Scouts, Grant further advised that there are four Scouts plus one starting soon.
- 6 Event and programme planning
  - a. St George's Day Celebration (Sunday) - Paul ran through the arrangements for this.
  - b. AGM – The date has been set for the 30<sup>th</sup> June with a 7pm start. Everyone was asked to give some thought to how the parents could be entertained after the formal part was over.
  - c. Nights Away – Scouts have a summer camp booked with the 24<sup>th</sup> Edmonton. Grant advised that he was planning a camp for the Cubs. Donna advised she is planning a sleep over for the Beavers at the church and is also planning to take them to the Belchamps Christmas event. The Cubs may also do this.
  - d. Church parades – The next three dates, below, were noted and attendance should not be a problem.
    - i. May 14<sup>th</sup>
    - ii. June 11<sup>th</sup>
    - iii. July 9<sup>th</sup>
  - e. Joint meetings – A joint meeting was planned for the 21/07/17 when their would be a water fight.
  - f. Fire drills – These are planned for the 5<sup>th</sup> May.

- 7 Any other business (taken at the discretion of the GSL)  
There was no other business.
- 8 Exec committee referrals  
There were no items to be referred to the Group Executive.
- 9 Date of next meeting  
8<sup>th</sup> September 2017, 6:45pm at the Church.