

Explorers this week – 05/05/2019

Hi

Big news for this week is the launch of our new Instagram page, follow us **@southberkshireexplorers**

We'll be posting about future events and photos from weekly meetings, we'll also be hosting polls and asking for your comments on upcoming activities and events! If there are any budding photographers out there please tag us in your photos from your weekly meetings or weekend events to get a repost.

The district summer term programme is now on the district website, follow this link to download it: <http://www.southberks.scoutsonline.co.uk/OurSections/Explorers/>

See you soon,

The Explorer Leadership Team

Explorers next week!

Due to Bank Holiday Monday the Crusaders (Crowthorne) unit will be meeting on Tuesday 06/05/2019 19:15 - 21:00 - Swimming (cost per Explorer £7.20) @ Coral Reef, Nine Mile Ride, Bracknell, Berks, RG12 7JQ

Tuesday 06/05/2019 19:45 - 21:45 – Night hike starting @ Muzzy's kebab van, pickup from 1st Sandhurst Hut. Ambarrow Crescent, GU47 8JA.

If you would like food on the hike remember to bring a small amount of cash, phones are also permitted as there will be extra challenges on route.

Thursday 08/05/2019 19:30 - 21:30 – Watersports (cost per Explorer £5) @ Horseshoe lake, Mill Lane, Sandhurst, GU47 8JW.

Please wear swimming/old clothes, bring a bottle of water, towel and dry clothes to change into, there are showers at the activity centre.

Events coming soon!

Fri 07/06 – Sun 09/06/2019 - Crowthorne Group Camp @ Ferny Croft, New Forest

The Explorers have been invited along to the Crowthorne Group Camp. The event will be bigger than ever with around 300 Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, Explorers and parent/leaders joining us from 1st Crowthorne, 2nd Crowthorne, 1st St Sebastian's Scout groups and all of the South Berkshire Explorers. Lots more details and the event sign up to follow.

Fri 12/07 – Sun 14/07 – Pioneering Weekend Camp @ Earleywood

From paracord woggles, bracelets and scale models to building full scale playground rides, bridges or towers, this weekend will be jam packed with knots. Celebrate the end of the summer term and achieve your Explorer pioneering activity badge.

Wed 28/08 - Sun 01/09/2019 - Summer Camp

Join us for summer camp and 5 days, 4 nights of tents, fires, hiking, activities, beaches, more fires, food, laughter, campfires, sun, sand and most likely a bit of mud!

Fri 27/09 - Sun 29/09/2019 – Hillwalking weekend @ Dartmoor

We will be heading to Dartmoor National Park for a weekend of walking, navigation/map reading and team working skills in a variety of different terrains. All of which will support you completing a number of areas of your staged Navigator badge and the expedition segment of your Chief Scout Platinum. It will also provide an introduction into Hill Walking for any Explorer that may wish to gain a Scouting Hill Walking permit.

Sat 25/07 – Sat 01/08/2020 – WINGS 2020 registration @ Windsor Great Park

Fantastic opportunity to meet likeminded Explorers from around the world right here on your doorstep. Register your interest for WINGS (Windsor International Guide and Scout camp) now to receive further information about the event!

Notices

Subs - As usual subs of £10 is due on the 10th of the month. If you have signed up in OSM this will automatically take your payment, thank you! For those paying by other means please let us know so we can look out for it, if you have any questions please get in touch.

Activities and Events - If you receive an event invite please can you click the link and respond even if the answer is no, this is firstly so we know you have received the invite and also so we can make sure that events have the required number of leaders/instructors attending.

Summer term programme -

Find it here <http://www.southberks.scoutsonline.co.uk/OurSections/Explorers/>