

# 4<sup>TH</sup> SEVENOAKS (ST JOHN'S) SCOUT GROUP

## Group Update - Autumn 2016

Dear parents

### Subscriptions

Attached is this terms Subscriptions form - a copy of which must be completed as soon as possible whichever payment method you use.

Subscriptions are due this week 14th or 16th September or next week 21st or 23rd. If you need more time please contact me.

This term we are trying out payment online - please complete payment date on the form so we can reconcile receipts. I will have copies available tomorrow.

### Uniform

This month the Scout Uniform shop in Sevenoaks is not open at all due to staffing issues. If uniform is needed then please speak to me or email - we hold some stock and can order to bring to a meeting. More information on an ordering system will be sent out soon. Please do try to buy uniform through our District or the group as this supports Scouting in Sevenoaks. We also have a few second hand items. Please ask and please pass old uniform back to the Group too.

### 4th waiting list

The last year has seen the 4th Group grow to the largest number of Beavers in the Sevenoaks District and we are close to being the largest for Cubs too. However we still have lengthy waiting lists for both these sections. If you or any family member have any interest at all in becoming an occasional supporter of the group this would enable us to offer more spaces in Scouting. Even if it is only once or twice a term. Do get in touch? Equally we need any offers of help to join our team to maintain our grounds - even one or two hours every so often would make a difference to the standard of our site. Just let me know if you are keen?

If you have any siblings of any age or friends with young people that want to join the 4th please sign them up via our website as soon as possible? This is the only way to join the waiting list. Do not email or speak to a leader! The website is the only route and ensures you get confirmation they are on the list too.

Lastly I wish to acknowledge the work of all of our leaders and supporters in the summer term and in delivering a fabulous programme, as well as a number of camps for all 3 sections. Please remember that every single person volunteers their time simply because we see the benefits of Scouting for Young People. We also have fun too!!! So do think about joining our team or supporting us in any way you can. There are many options!

We are all looking forward to another exciting term of adventure - please regularly check our website, Facebook page and read all emails and communications from the 4th team to ensure your Young Person misses nothing!

Best regards

Jo

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