



1st Warsash Wight Pack Cub Scouts
27th February 2004

Akela Sandy (01489 581298)
wightcl@1stwarsashseascouts.org.uk
<http://www.1stwarsashseascouts.org.uk/>

Dear Parents and Cubs.

Hope you all had a great Half-Term break and now on with the activities.

District Mastermind Competition - Saturday 28th February 2004

Following our recent quiz night a team to represent Wight Pack has selected itself (Oliver Challis, Adam Petyt, William Lloyd) and I hope you'll join us in wishing them luck for tomorrow.

Air Rifle Shooting Activity - Friday 5th March

Forms are attached which relate to this activity next week, please would you read and complete the consent form. The rules are very strict on this and there is no latitude, if I do not get a completed consent form back next week then you son will not be doing any shooting. Would you please also provide the £1.50 payment next week.

District Seven-a-side Football Competition - Sunday 14th March (Training)

This competition is rapidly approaching we have arranged a couple of practice sessions over the next two Sundays (Feb 29th & March 7th) which are being run by a few of our dads; thank you in advance, at the Warsash Rec at 10:00 am for 90 minutes. We need 10 players for the team to enter the competition so we need a good turn out over the next couple of weeks, hope to see you there.

Royal Navy Recognition

The Group has been working towards achieving "Royal Navy Recognition" now for many months (8 that I know of) and it is looking like we will achieve it in the next couple of months. There are nearly 9,000 Scouting Groups in the UK and less than 100 have achieved this recognition, so you will realise this will be a very prestigious award for 1st Warsash Sea Scouts to get. Beyond wearing a special badge on our uniforms it will bring the Group many benefits, including access to facilities, boats and funds that will benefit the whole Group.

In order that we pass our final inspection with flying colours and that the HQ will be at its best for the award ceremony, we have decided that it really does need a spring clean. Consequently, we are putting together a working party to clean and paint the HQ on **13th/14th March** and **we really need your help** to achieve this task, even if it is only for a couple of hours. So could you please append your name to the list in the HQ hallway, stating when you will be able to join us.

As always, if you have any questions arising from this newsletter or on anything to do with Scouting in general, please do not hesitate to contact Baloo or myself.