

1st Wychwood Scout Group

The next stage in the development of the 1st Wychwood Scout Group happened on the 4th November with the starting of our Scout Troop. We have found two more leaders from the village who are going to lead the Scouts. They will be



scouting. We have been given some tents but we would like to increase our stock so that we can be self-sufficient when we do go camping. All sections will have the opportunity to camp, even the Beavers, though they will need a

supported by some experienced Scout leaders from other Groups who will shadow them to make sure they are settled in their roles. Scouts will take place on **Mondays**, again at the school, from 7.00 to 8.30pm.

Being a new group, building up our equipment not only for camping but for day to day activities is an expensive process. We have been very fortunate to receive financial support from both Milton and Shipton Fete Committees as part of the proceeds from their fetes. This will go towards training our leaders as well as supporting the youngsters in their

mum or a dad to accompany them! Our Scout Troop will be quite small to start with but hopefully our existing Cubs will feed into them when they are of age. For any youngster, boy or girl, or parent interested in joining our group, Beavers are for ages 6 to 8; Cubs 8 to 10½ and Scouts for 10½ to 14. Parents can help at any age, there is no ceiling.

For more information please contact me on: 01993832614 or at wychwoodsscoutsinfo@gmail.com

Thank you,
Chris Trotman: Group Chairman

The Wychwood Says 'Thank You'

Once again the magazine committee were pleased to entertain many of our distributors and regular contributors to the annual 'Thank You' party.

As our guests arrived at the Wychwood School hall they were met with a lovely array of savoury nibbles and cakes to be



enjoyed with tea or coffee, or wine (well the sun was just about over the yard-arm).

As chairman Peter Hills said in his speech, 'without all our many helpers there would be no magazine'.

Christine Halliday