Timber Troop report

Currently has 21 members, 11 of which have passed their Chief Scout Gold award which is the highest award you can gain as a scout.

We have been working on our new creative challenge badge along with the international activity badge which we incorporated JOTT (Jamboree on the trail ), which was a huge success.

In the last year we have had various camps which include our summer camp at Ferny Croft which was huge & the scouts have said it was our best camp yet. Thriftwood camp in September & Winter camp at Belchamps.

We have had our SPL, PL & APL training camp at Farningham woods where they cooked over fire, did pioneering along with Knife & axe work. Our end of June camp had to be cancelled due to the campsite being closed for a month, but the leader team is now working on a bigger & better camp for September.

There will be a Battle Of The Troops ( Timber vs Wilderness ) on the 28 July which is being run by Mark Jennings our ASL. More details on this event will follow shortly once things have been finalised. We also have day activities booked which consist of Microlighting & power kiting & have just completed stage 1 of the Paddle Sports badge when we took to Mote Park & did kayaking & sailing.

All in all, the scouts have had a full on, fun filled year & we aim to carry on that way. They have all been a pleasure to work with & we as a leader team are very proud of what they have achieved.

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