



Flags and Flashlights



Future Events

- 17/11/07 - The Last Laugh - Bude Event
- 28/06/08 - County Beaver Day (Nine Ashes)
- 29/06/08 - County Beaver Day (Nine Ashes)
- 26/07/08 - 02/08/08 - Poacher Camp (Lincolnshire)
- 02/08/08 - 09/08/08 - Smuggler Camp (Stithians)
- 31/07/09 - 08/08/09 - Winas Camp (Berkshire)

"Being proactive not reactive towards safety"

Welcome

Firstly, welcome to the first issue of 'Flags and Flashlights' the official newsletter for the Cornwall Scout Fellowship Safety Team. This Fellowship was initially suggested as long ago as Kernow 97, but was resurrected again during the Cornwall Centenary Camp in May 2007, but was again reaffirmed upon completion of the Sunrise Ceremony on 1st August 2007, and the fellowship was born - on the day that scouting was.

Why 'Safety' Team and not 'Security' Team. Well the term 'Safety' covers several aspects including Marshalling, Stewarding and First Aid; whereas the team Security only covers a small aspect of what the team is designed to do.



Our First Get Together

On the last weekend in September the CSFST held our first training/social event the weekend took place at the County scout HQ at Nine Ashes, Bodmin.

The first order of business was to form the official CSFST committee, as voted by all members who attended. It was then time to relax and watch a 'training' DVD!

On the Saturday, following a hard days work and an enjoyable lunch at

mount Edgcombe, it was time for everyone to learn a bit more about each other with the aid of electric shock therapy!

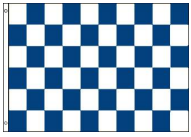
All that was left to do on the Sunday was to undertake the training element of the weekend in the form of first aid training provided our very own chairman.

It is fairly safe to say that everyone had a thoroughly enjoyable weekend and that a 'shocking' time was had by all!



Marshaling the Falmouth Centenary Event – Oct 07





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Next Issue

Our aim is to do four newsletters a year, but without your input it will be hard to achieve this.

We plan to produce the next one by Feb/Mar 08, so any stories, pictures or comments would be appreciated.

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And, don't forget if you have Facebook we have a page, which we will be updating regularly.

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Thanks to:
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What we've done so far

Mount Edgcumbe - Kernopoly

During the last weekend in September 17 members of the CSFST ventured up to Mount Edgcumbe to help with their district Kernopoly event. We were lucky to have the use of a mini bus for the weekend so as we were staying the weekend at nine ashes we all traveled up together, wearing our new purple and orange CSFST neckers.

Our roles for the day were to provide first aid cover and man four of the activity bases. Providing cover on bases is outside of our usual fellowship role but allowed us to get involved with something slightly different.

Luckily the weather was really nice as many of the bases were outside and we were able to enjoy the lovely surroundings of Mount Edgcumbe Park. This was my first event with the team and was a good opportunity to get to know other members of the team better.

Everyone seemed to have a really good time (only don't mention pasties!)



On Sunday 4th November ten members of the CSFST went to Newquay to assist with 5th Newquay's firework display. Duties for the event included helping to build the bonfire, car parking, and providing first aid cover. Although the event was short a good time was had by all!



Falmouth - Maritime Museum

On the 27th October 12 members of the CSFST attended Falmouth District's Centenary Event. This event took place at Falmouth's Maritime Museum. We assisted with the marshalling of 650 young people and adults and also first aid cover. During the day we ushered 5 different groups and VIPs from all over Cornwall around the museum.

