



Bedfordshire Scouts

County Commissioners Challenge

To: GSLs and Section Leaders

You will find appended a set of challenges for the young people in your group/section which I hope as many of your young people will attempt to complete during 2008.

Following the various initiatives relating to the jamboree the County team have been considering what activities and opportunities we can offer for 2008. We recognise that not all of our young people will be able to take part in these and we wanted to give everybody the chance to take part in our 2008 programme, hence these challenges.

The challenges are based on the balanced programme and in many cases alternative challenges exist in the programme areas. To complete the challenge the young person must undertake all sections and have these 'signed off' by one of their leaders. Everybody who completes all the challenges will receive a certificate and badge.

As with the wider programmes it is left to the leaders to monitor the standards as you know your young people and their capabilities, the standard of work should be suitable for their age and ability and there will be no checks in relation to activity completion. This is designed to be a challenge and I do ask that you use this to 'stretch' the young people in your group/section.

On completion the completed form should be returned to your DC. Please make as many local copies of the forms that you need.

I hope you and your young people enjoy these challenges.

Yours sincerely,

John Duley

County Commissioner