

Gravesham Explorer Scout Programme 2009

January

- 5 Young Leader meeting – 7.30 (Hopehill)
- 6 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)
- 9-11 Gilwell Winter Camp
- 19 District Meeting: Band Evening – 7.45 (Dallen Hall)
- 25 Beach Barbeque & Watersports (Joss Bay)

February

- 3 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)
- 6-8 Winter Camp & Expedition Training - all DofE Bronze/Silver candidates to attend.
- 8 Hillcraft Day Course (Hopehill)
- 13-15 Winter Survival
- 20-22 White Water Weekend
- 23 Five a Side Football – 7.45 (Dallen Hall)
- 24 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15pm (Hopehill)

March

- 2 Young Leader meeting – 7.30 (Hopehill)
- 3 All Scouters/Presentation Night – 8pm (Hopehill)
- 7 Explorer Canoe Training starts
- 7 X Factor & Sleepover (Hopehill)
- 8 District Cross Country (Hopehill)
- 21 Network Show (Dallen Hall)
- 28/9 DofE Bronze Canoe Training Expedition

April

5 Explorer & Scout Cycle Races (Hopehill)

9-14 Easter Hillcraft (Lake District)

19 St Georges Day Parade – **ALL TO ATTENED FULL UNIFORM**

May

1-2 Edinburgh Chase

2-4 Canoe Trip & DofE Bronze Canoe Expedition (River Thames)

5 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)

8-10 DofE Bronze Hike Practise (Hopehill)

11 Young Leader meeting – 7.30 (Hopehill)

16/17 District Hike

18 Explorer Wide Game – 7.30 (Hopehill)

22-25 DofE Silver Hike Practise (Ashdown Forest)

22-25 Canoe Trip & DofE Silver Canoe Training Expedition (River Wye)

31 Kontiki & Canoe Fun (Leybourne Lakes)

June

2 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)

15 District Meeting: Silly Olympics – 7.30 (Hopehill)

26-8 JP Bond Camping Competition

July

5 Circle of Friends (Hopehill)

6 Young Leader meeting – 7.30 (Hopehill)

7 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)

10-12 Gilwell 24

13 District Meeting: Baseball & Barbeque – 7.30 (Hopehill)

August

30 July-6 Aug Kent International Jamboree (Cudham)

28-31 DofE Silver Canoe Expedition

September

7 Young Leader meeting – 7.30 (Hopehill)

8 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)

14 District Meeting

21 District AGM – 8pm (Hopehill)

25/26 Autumn Hillcraft Training (Hopehill)

25-27 DofE Bronze Hike Qualifying (Canterbury)

October

2/4 Bell Boat Challenge (River Medway)

6 All Scouters & Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8pm (Hopehill)

10-11 Mayors Boundary Walk

19 Explorer Quiz Night – 7.30 (Hopehill)

23-26 DofE Silver Hike Qualifying (Chelmsford)

25-28 Autumn Hillcraft

November

3 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)

6-8 Somme Trip

8 Remembrance Parade – **ALL TO ATTEND RELEVANT PARADE, IF NOT IN THE SOMME, FULL UNIFORM**

9 Young Leader meeting – 7.30 (Hopehill)

14-15 Explorer Challenge

December

1 Explorer Leaders Meeting – 8.15 (Hopehill)

14 Ready Steady Cook – 7.45 (Dallen Hall)