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Coventry Adult Training Team

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# TRAINING bulletin

# Welcome

to the sixth issue of the Training Bulletin

#### Autumn 2006

#### Training for 2007

Most leaders will have received a copy of the training diary for 2007 (additional copy attached) which is the culmination of liaison between Coventry, Warwickshire, Solihull and Birmingham training teams. (An electronic version is available on the County Website)

The highlight of the programme is the combined counties provision for Nights Away etc (modules 16, 17, 18 and 19), with one planned for Blackwell Court and the other Rough Close.

This collaboration will mean that training for the full range of modules can be undertaken at a variety of locations and times throughout the year therefore giving a greater choice and opportunity for attendance.

Fees for attendance at the various locations will be negotiable with the county providing the training, with the exception of the Nights Away bundle in April/May at Blackwell Court, and September/October at Rough Close. These will be provided at a fee of £25.00/person plus the cost of food for the weekend with group catering. Contacts and booking details for these two courses are attached with the diary.

Please book early to avoid disappointment!



#### Woodbadge Direct

Coventry Training Team is again offering Woodbadge Direct. This is a support and consultation session for those who have yet to complete their Woodbadge Training and have not enrolled in the Training Scheme. These sessions in January and September will be of about 3hrs duration where you will be working alongside a training adviser to determine what experiences and evidence you have already gained through years of Scouting, and if you need any support to achieve your Woodbadge. It may be that you can provide sufficient evidence to enable the award of Woodbadge to be recommended to HQ. Please contact your Local Training Manager in the 1st instance to discuss this opportunity.

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## WANTED

#### Leaders to claim their Woodbadge

HQ have Woodbadges gathering dust - just waiting to be claimed



### Yours is there

Get your experiences and achievements validated without delay

Contact your Local Training Manager for further details

#### Ongoing Learning

Remember that all leaders approaching their warrant reviews in March 2007 will need to demonstrate to their GSL/DC that during the last 3 years they have acquired 15 hours of ongoing learning. Your First Aid training will count towards this, as will the attendance at the 'WITT' conference/seminar on recruitment and retention held earlier this year.

#### **Coeducational Scouting**

HQ has created an ongoing learning package on Coeducational Scouting in time for the 1st January 2007. If any group would like to have access to this material please contact your LTM.

#### Revised Fee structure for 2007 onwards

With the development of the combined residential modules for Nights Away there is a need to revise the way in which Coventry leaders fund their training. All registrations from January 1st 2007 will now be £40.00 with a further £25.00 for the Nights Away modules. This reflects no change in the overall cost per leader except managers who will now be paying £40.00 instead of £20.00.

Those who have already registered at £20.00 and have not paid any more will need to contact Nigel Stapleton and top up their registration fee. Although we will make every effort to contact each leader, it is hoped that leaders will apply basic Scouting principles and offer the balance without having to be asked!

Please use the new registration/application form (Issue 4 attached) from now on for registration and booking onto any of the Coventry training modules.

#### Module 25 (Training Advisers)

Coventry now has over 25 validated TAs across the county. Well done to those who have achieved this module. If you just need to get your training validated please contact Josie Gadsby to arrange a mutually convenient time and assess your validation.

Josie has indicated that if you wish to complete the training for module 25 and the dates in the diary are not convenient she will put on a course spread over a couple of evenings to suit.

There is also a workbook available if you prefer this method of study.

A reminder to all GSLs and DCs that the completion of Module 25 (managers) is like 1<sup>st</sup> Aid, and a requirement for the continuation of a warrant at review. If you have completed the training you have probably gathered the evidence for validation so please contact Josie Gadsby.



Your training advisor is someone who you know and wants to help you to achieve your best, so the young people who you work with benefit the most.

#### Scouting Skills training

Pioneering, knotting, camping skills, map reading, use of knives and axes, fire lighting, etc

Do you wish you had any of these skills or would like to brush up on them? Then contact Roger Brown LTM Scouting Skills who will be pleased to work with you to provide the opportunity to learn new skills. Please see the County Website for more details of what Roger can offer.

#### Woodbadge Holders

Have you ever wished that your hard earned Woodbadge training could be recognised outside of Scouting? Then the Institute of Leadership and Management is for you. The Scout Association is a corporate member of the Institute and this enables Woodbadge holders to apply for associate membership or full membership if you have held your Woodbadge for more than 3 years. This would be extremely valuable when attempting to convince employers of the value of your training. Contact <a href="mailto:Adult.support@scouts.org.uk">Adult.support@scouts.org.uk</a> for an application form. Note: there is a yearly subscription of £68.00 but this may be offset against your income tax.

Relating on-going experiences in your everyday life and your Scouting life validates your training. Just keeping a record and notes of programmes can simply help.





Training courses provide un-expected benefits... ... the knowledge picked up from other course participants can be of an equal value to the course.

# Mick Pitham County Training Manager





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# Adult Training Registration Form - Issue 4

Personal Information:	
Your Name	
Address and Post Code	
Email Address if appropriate	
Contact Telephone No.	
Scouting and Registration Information:	
Group	
Position	
Name of Training Adviser	
District	
County Name  if not City of Coventry Scout County	
No. Module Title and Proposed date for train	ing
Module	Date
CHOICE	PRICE
Registration	£40.00
New Leaders, After Completion of Getting Started and Other Adults on New Appointment	
Module 16 Nights Away ONLY	£25.00 + Food
Core Modules – All New Appointments (Modules 5 – 9)	No Fee
Section Leaders / Assistant Leaders (Modules 11 – 19)	£25.00 + Food
Managers (Modules 20 – 26)	No Fee
Supplementary Modules (Modules 27 – 36) – please specify module(s) above	£5.00 each
Individual Modules – please specify module(s) above	£5.00 each
for leaders who already hold Wood Badge, for current appointment only	
Out of County Appointments – please contact County Training Administrator for Fees	
Approved by Local Training Manager	
Print Name	Signature
I enclose cheque cash <u>f</u>	
All cheques made payable to City of Coventry Scout County	

Please send the Registration Form to the County Training Administrator

County Training Administrator: Nigel Stapleton

#### 2007 Training Diary Coventry/Solihull/Birmingham/Warwickshire

Date	Topic	Venue
Jan 20	Woodbadge Direct	Coventry
Jan 27-28	Mod 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 + 36	Solihull HQ
Feb 3	Mod 21	Coventry WRURC
Feb 3	Mod 25	Coventry
Feb 11	Mod 5 + 7	Warwickshire
Feb 17	Mod 7 + 36	Coventry
Feb 26	Mod 25	Birmingham
Mar 3-4	Mod 20, 22, 23, 24 +26	Coventry
Mar 3	Mod 13	Coventry WRURC
Mar 10-11	Mod 5 - 9 +11 - 15 (Residential)	Birmingham
Mar 17-18	Mod 11, 12, 14 + 15	Coventry
Mar 24	Mod 8, 14 + 15	Warwickshire
Mar 31	Mod 5, 6, 8 + 9	Coventry
Apr 7	Mod 17, 18 + 19	Coventry
Apr 27–29	Mod 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18 + 19	Solihull HQ
Apr 28	Mod 16, 17, 18 + 19 (Prep May 18-20)	Blackwell Court *
May 12	Mod 25	Coventry
May 13	Mod 5, 6, 8 + 9	Coventry
May 18- 20	Mod 16, 17, 18 +19 (Residential)	Blackwell Court *
Jun 2	Mod 7 + 36	Coventry
June 16-17	Mod 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 + 36	Solihull HQ
June 23-24	Mod 11, 12, 14 + 15	Coventry
July 8	Woodbadge Direct	Solihull HQ
Sept 8	Mod 16, 17, 18 + 19 (prep Oct 5-7)	Rough Close **
Sept 9	Woodbadge Direct	Coventry
Sept 22	Mod 5, 6, 8 + 9	Coventry
Sept 28-30	Mod 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18 + 19	Solihull HQ
Oct 5-7	Mod 16, 17, 18 +19 (Residential)	Rough Close **
Oct 13	Mod 25	Coventry
Oct 13-14	Mod 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 + 36	Solihull HQ
Oct 13-14	Mod 20 – 26 (Residential)	Birmingham
Oct 20-21	Mod 11, 12, 14 + 15	Coventry
Oct 20	Mod 11, 12 + 17	Warwickshire
Oct 28	Mod 5, 7, 8 + 9	Birmingham
Nov 3	Mod 17, 18 + 19	Coventry
Nov 11	Mod 5, 6, 8 + 9	Coventry
Nov 17	Mod 15, 17, 18 + 19	Birmingham
Nov 18	Mod 11, 12, 13 + 14	Birmingham
Nov 18	Mod 9, 13 + 18	Warwickshire
Nov 23-25	Mod 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18 + 19	Solihull HQ
Dec 8	Mod 20, 22, 23, 24 + 26	Coventry

**Note:** Times and/or venue for each are available from normal county contacts except \* and \*\* as indicated overleaf. All courses are non-residential unless otherwise stated. Leaders may wish to make camping arrangements personally if they prefer.

Special Contact and application details for Blackwell Court \* and Rough Close \*\* (Modules 16, 17, 18 + 19):

Blackwell Court \* Kerrie McCann <u>leader.training@tiscali.co.uk</u> or Jean Harmsworth 01788574202

Rough Close \*\* Anne Moseley 01217427233 or anne@supman.f9.co.uk

**Normal County Contacts for other courses:** 

Coventry: <a href="https://www.coventryscouts.org.uk">www.coventryscouts.org.uk</a> Application form on training pages or Nigel

Stapleton 02476464310 or 07946-516-891

Warwickshire: Jean Harmsworth 01788 574202

Solihull: anne@supman.f9.co.uk or Anne Moseley on 01217427233

Birmingham: Marion Simms on secretary@birminghamscouts.demon.co.uk

#### **Headquarters (Gilwell) Training Diary 2007**

Delivering Learning	DLC5	Sun 11 - Sat 17 March	£395		
Managing Learning	MLC4	Sun 11 - Sat 17 March	£395		
Managing and Supporting Scouting	MSS8	Sat 12 - Fri 18 May	£395 residential or £220 camping		
Section Leader Training - divided into two courses:					
Sat - Sun: (Scouting Skills)	<u>SLT7-1</u>	Sat 12 - Sun 13 May	£115 residential or £75 camping		
Mon-Fri: (Programme Delivery)	<u>SLT7-2</u>	Mon 14 - Fri 18 July	£350 residential or £170 camping		
Section Leader Training	SLT8	Sat 18 - Fri 24 August	£395 residential or £220 camping		
District Explorer Scout Training	DLC08	Fri 17 - Sun 19 August	£155 residential or £90 camping		
Managing and Supporting Scouting	MSS9	Sat 20 - Fri 26 October	£395		
Scout Network Leader and Commissioner	SNLC07	Sat 20 - Sun 21 October	£115		

Contact: Jackie Johnson, Course Administrator, The Scout Association, Gilwell Park, Chingford, London E4 7QW, Tel: 020 8433 7136 Fax: 020 8433 7103. Email: info.centre@scout.org.uk