

Section Reports: Nelson Cub Pack 2017/18

Nelson Cubs has been at full capacity all year. I hope the Cubs will agree that we have had a great year, with the highlights being our summer Spy Camp and winter weekend at PGL, crayfishing, pack bike ride, fire station trip, den building, guide dog visit, pioneering challenge, Lego racer time trials, I'm a (Celebrity) Cub, Get Me Out Of Here night, photography scavenger hunt in local area and our bushcraft session making puppets.



In addition to our section activities we have also taken part in the District bowling and chess events as well as the annual JOTT Hike. We have completed the Skills, Outdoor and Teamwork challenge badges over the year, and a number of activity badges.

We had a great camp at Cranham activity centre earlier this month and are looking forward to the Group Fun Day next month and the District camp in September. We also have a travel themed residential weekend booked for November, as well as our normal weekly activities.

We are very proud to share that Max was awarded his Chief Scout Silver award before the Easter break. We also have Silver Awards to present tonight to Aiden, Harry, Noah and Samuel. It's great for the rest of our Cubs to see their peers being presented with the highest award a Cub Scout can achieve and gives them encouragement to aim for the same. Congratulations to you all!

Like last year, we have our Cub of the Year award to present. It's always difficult to choose just one Cub as we have a fantastic group of children in our pack. This year we felt the award was equally deserved by two Cubs. They always take part in anything we offer, and do so with a positive attitude. Both are good team players and befriend new Cubs that join our pack. The Nelson pack Cub of the Year award goes to Thomas and Joshua S – congratulations and well done!

I'd like to say a big thank you to the other members of the Nelson team, Mandy, Peter and AlexK as well as our Young Leaders, AlexO and Jack, who volunteer to help in our section every week. Also a big thank you as well to the parents who help support our pack to allow us to give the children what we hope is a fun and varied scouting programme. We look forward to sharing our adventures in the coming year at our next AGM.

Alli, Mandy, Peter, AlexK, AlexO and Jack

Nelson Cub Pack leadership team