

1st Hersham Scout Group



Introducing the 1st Hersham 200 Club

- Win up to £300 every month
- Costs just £5 to take part
- Sign up as soon as possible

Dear Parents

In my year so far as Chairman of 1st Hersham, I've seen first-hand what it takes to run a successful Scout group. We're lucky to have excellent leadership teams in the section, running brilliant activities for the beavers, cubs, scouts and explorers – but we've also got a fantastic bunch of volunteers working hard behind the scenes, making sure we have the facilities and support we need to operate.

With two sons in the sections myself, I really appreciate what a rewarding and beneficial experience the group gives us all. To continue and grow this success, we're looking to raise funds to provide better facilities for the young people, and support the sections in running their programmes.

As such, we're launching a lottery which will also give you the opportunity to win a cash prize every month.

We've set a target of 200 people signing up, so the lottery is called "The 200 Club".

It costs just £5 a month to take part, which you can pay by standing order. You'll get your own number in the lottery(s) and each month we'll announce three winners.

Half of the money raised will go to our Scout group and half will go to three lucky winners on a 60%/30%/10% split. So you could win £300 if we've got 200 members.

We've got permission from Elmbridge Borough Council to run this.

If you'd like to join in, please email me at chairman@1stherham.org.uk as soon as possible, and I'll send you the instructions for signing up.

Once I have all the replies in I can then send out instructions for the next stage of the process with the objective being to kick it all off by the end of April.

I hope that you'll choose to support this project, and help the group to give your child the best facilities and programmes that scouting can offer.

Finally, if you can spare any time, even just an hour a month, to help the section leaders run their programmes, or help us out in the background, I'd love to hear from you. We've got a very flexible approach to volunteering, so any time you can give will be rewarding for everyone.

Yours in Scouting,

Michael Bennett - Chairman