



The Sea Cadets



September 2009

Evesham Sea Cadets TS EXPLORER

Issue 2

Upcoming Events

September

30th

Annual General Meeting 7.30pm
All welcome

October

17th

Evesham Sea Cadets Trafalgar Dinner

**EVESHAM
SEA CADETS**

AGM

Wednesday

30th September

7.30pm

All Welcome

Donations

Thank you to Mr and Mrs P Foster from Honeybourne for their £100 donation following the loss of the four Picos. Also thank you to Mr and Mrs Hart for their donation of £25.

NEWSFLASH

STOLEN PICOS



Sadly, our sailing season came to an abrupt end on Saturday 22nd August, when all of our new Picos were stolen from Aztec Water Sports at Lower Moor, near Pershore. The four boats had been kept at Aztec during the summer months to facilitate the cadets many sailing sessions. The value of the loss to the Unit is not only monetary (in the order of £1400), but also the deprivation of the enjoyment to the cadets. The Police were informed but as yet no progress has been made. The boats and all their equipment were marked with 'Evesham Sea Cadets'. If anyone does hear any information, however small, please contact the Police or the Unit (01386 833383).

Cadet Congratulations

LC J Karlinski—Aviation Bronze Wings in July and is going for his Silver Wings in October Half Term—this is a first for the Unit. He also gained 1st Class Seamanship and 1st Class Marine Engineering in the space of a fortnight in August.

PO Cadet R Owen—1st Class First Aid Specialisation and Assistant Dinghy Instructor in August.

AC J Macklin—1st place in the District and Area Junior Windsurfing Competitions. At the end of September AC Macklin will be windsurfing in the Nationals at Southport. He also gained 1st Class Seamanship in August.

AC B McPhail attended a week long diving course with PO T Smith over the summer, this is the first time for many years.

Over the summer, many cadets gained their Level 1 and 2 Canoeing, there were several trips on TS Royalist (see photographs overleaf) and the John Jerwood.

The Warwickshire District Swimming Regatta was held on the first weekend in September, all the cadets who took part made a tremendous effort with some excellent results. The Overall final position was 4th (out of 10), The Girls Combined (Junior and Senior) position was 5th and the Boys Combined position was 1st. **OC R Massey** and **Cdt M Camp** have been selected to swim the Medley Relays at the Area Regatta. Well done to all those who took part.

TS Royalist



FUND RAISING DAY

We had a very successful Open Day on Saturday 19th September, where we welcomed many visitors including our local MP Mr Peter Luff.

The staff and cadets represented the Unit admirably with ceremonial duties and drill displays. There was much entertainment including a display by the Severn Area Rescue Association (SARA) and the local Police Team.

Staff raised money by visitors throwing wet sponges at them in the stocks, raising £130 specifically for the Yole Boat Fund. Overall, the Day raised a magnificent £1009 with the HSBC matching this amount.

We would like to say a huge thank you to all who helped.

NEW CHAIRMAN WANTED

Having been Chairman for over seven years, Rosemarie Naylor is leaving the Management Team. The Unit would like to say a really big thank you for all her time and effort over the years, the Unit has grown three fold in the time she has been Chairman.

Rosemarie would be delighted to talk to anyone who is interested in taking on this rewarding role. Her telephone number is 01386 422229. Please come along to the AGM on the 30th September and support the Unit.

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Parade Nights

Monday and Thursday
7.00 - 9.30pm

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Competition—Deadline extended

A prize awaits for the person who thinks of the best name for this newsletter. Please submit the proposed Newsletter name in the envelope on the Information Board at the Unit by the 31st October 2009. Don't forget to include your name!!!!

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