

8 December 2021

Dear Parents and Friends,

Coffee Morning - Saturday 11th December 2021

On Saturday, 11th December, the Fifth Dunstable Scout Group will be running the coffee morning at the Methodist Church. The Coffee Morning is normally a regular weekly event, run by different groups each week. This year though, there have so far been NO coffee mornings, and ours will be the first since the pandemic restrictions. These events help us to raise funds AND the profile of the Scout Group amongst the people of Dunstable.

To help make these events a success, we need donations of things to sell. Especially welcome are contributions of home-made cakes (small buns or full-size cakes, chocolate, plain, fruit, flapjack, whatever you like) and savoury items (scones, sausage rolls, cheese straws etc).

It would be helpful if you would let me know in advance what you expect to contribute, so we can make sure we have a sensible variety, and bring your contributions to the hall before 9:30 on Saturday morning, or to me (address above) before the day. If you can't manage either of these, give me a ring, and I'll try to arrange to pick it up from you.

We would also be grateful for help on the Saturday morning, if you can spare an hour or two between about 9am and noon. Cubs and Scouts (and Beavers if supervised) are also very welcome, especially in uniform! Again, please let me know if and when you can be there, so I can make sure we have enough hands, but not too many.

Please phone or email (details above) to let me know how you will be able to help. Or use the "I'll Help" button on the programme pages on our website, as shown below:

8 Dec 18:00-19:30	Church Hall	End of term party	JenR	Uniform	Needed: 0 So far: 0 <input type="button" value="I'll Help"/>
		Finish decorations and play some games			
11 Dec 08:00-13:00	Church Hall	Coffee Morning	NickP	Uniform	Needed: 8 So far: 0 <input type="button" value="I'll Help"/>
		Coffee Morning in the church halls, to raise money and awareness of scouting. This will be the first coffee morning at the church since the pandemic - please help to make it a success, by coming to buy something!			
2022	Location	Event	Org	Duty	Dress
26 Feb 13:30-15:30	Church Hall	Jumble Sale	BRIC/NickP	Uniform	Needed: 100 So far: 0 <input type="button" value="I'll Help"/>
		We hope to be able to run our jumble sale this year, if the pandemic situation allows!			

Thanking you in anticipation



Nick Porter
Group Chair

P.S. Please don't forget that you can make a donation to the Scout Group, without costing you a penny, by doing your online shopping (at Argos, Amazon, eBay, M&S, Boots, Debenhams and thousands of others) by starting your shopping trip at www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/5thdunstablecouts.