

Future Scouting - Annual Review and Group AGM

As you know, due to the Pandemic, we have not had any face-to-face Beaver, Cub and Scout activities since the lockdown started a year ago. Also we have not been able to have our Group AGM due to be held at this time of the year.

Further to the pathway given by the Prime Minister, and additional guidance from the Charity Commission, the National Youth Agency and Scouting HQ, we expect to restart face-to-face meetings, indoors and outdoors, after the Easter holidays from 19th April. Further information with more definite dates will follow nearer the time.

Also following on from National Scout HQ guidance, we cannot have a normal Group AGM attended by all Parents. In its place we had a more extensive Zoom meeting of our Group Executive Committee on 2 March when the following procedure was agreed. A normal complete Annual Review was created which included Section Reports and a Statement of Accounts. Section Leader situations were discussed and officers of the Group Executive appointed.

The Annual Review and Minutes of the special Group Executive Meeting are attached to this note for all to read. If any Parents have queries about any item in the Review, please send them to me and they will be discussed at our next Executive Committee meeting on 20 April and the answers will be published to all.

Wishing you all a very Happy Easter

Ray Oldham
Group Scout Leader