

## Welcome To our new style newsletter.

News from your local Sea Scout Group

It is great to report that the group is growing stronger, with many local children wanting to take part in scouting activities starting from the age of 6 as a Beaver, through our Cub, Scouts and Explorers until the age of 18, when they can either become a leader or join Networks. We presently have over 100 children in the group and growing. They all enjoy an adventurous programme engaging in various activities such as the traditional scouting activities of camping, archery, air rifles, narrow boating, dinghy sailing, kayaking, canoeing, rafting and powerboating. These activities are led by a team of dedicated volunteers who freely give their time to help develop our members. Our Explorers are given the opportunity to work towards the Duke of Edingburgh award.

## Help deliver the adventure by voting

We are presently raising funds to purchase a new RIB, to act as a safety boat and to give us the flexibilty to offer power boat instruction to our Scouts and Explorers.

Help us raise £10k towards a new RIB / Safety Boat simply by taking part in an online vote.

We need all the votes we can muster, so please let all your family, friends and colleagues know. There are many deserving charities looking for votes, and you have a maximum of 10 votes to use. You can use all ten votes for one charity or allocate various votes to different groups. The choice is yours.

To vote click on the following link, https://community-fund.aviva.co.uk/voting/project/view/2859/ or cut and paste to the adress bar in your browser, you will need to register here, then follow the instructions.

This is the type of RIB we are fundraising for. With the road trailer and engine it is expected to be in the region of £20K depending

on final specifications.



Because of our ever increasing numbers of Scouts and Explorers who wish to enjoy the Big Adventure afloat, we need another RIB to act as a safety boat and to utilise it to give instruction to our Scouts and Explorers in how to drive vessels of this type. We also hope they will gain qualifications such as RYA Power Boat Level 2.

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Please note voting closes on 30th May 2015



