

THE SCOUT ASSOCIATION OF MALTA, FGURA SCOUT GROUP

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<u>Group</u>		
Sun 29th Sep	Church Parade @HQ	0830-1045hrs
Sun 6th Oct	Family Fun Walk @HQ	1415-1830hrs
Beavers	Moving on Beavers (MOB) are to attend with Pack only where marked + MOB	
Wed 4th Sep	New Lodges + New members @HQ	1800-1900hrs
Wed 11th Sep	Talent Night Practice + Games @HQ	1800-1900hrs
Wed 18th Sep	Talent Night Practice + Games @HQ	1800-1900hrs
Wed 25th Sep	No Meeting	
Sun 29th Sep	Church Parade @HQ	0830-1045hrs
Pack	4 new Moving on Beavers (MOB) are to attend with Pack only where marked +MOB. 6 present LB members are to attend with Pack & Troop where marked +LB.	
Sat 7th Sep	No Meeting	
Fri 13th Sep	Evening Walk (+LB) @Fgura Football Ground	1830-2030hrs
Fri 20th Sep	Games & Sessions (for informed cubs only) (+MOB) @Marsascala Family Park	1800-2000hrs
Sat 28th Sep	Cultural Visit to Ghar Dalam (+MOB) @HQ	0915-1215hrs
Sun 29th Sep	Church Parade (+LB) @HQ	0830-1045hrs
Troop		
Thu 5th Sep	PLC @HQ	1900-2030hrs
Fri 13th Sep	Water Games and Swimming @HQ	1645-2030hrs
Fri 20th Sep	Talent show rehearsal and Sessions (+LB) @HQ	1830-2030hrs
Sat 28th Sep	Talent show rehearsal and Sessions (+LB) @HQ	0930-1200hrs
Sun 29th Sep	Church Parade @HQ	0830-1045hrs
<u>Unit</u>	The Talent Show is approaching therefore in preparation for it, the unit will meet every Thursday evening commencing from 5th Sept for rehersals.	
Sat 7th Sep	Helpers - Interactive Day @HQ	0800-1700hrs
Fri 13th Sep	Venture Challenge Preparation @HQ	1900-2200hrs
Sat 21st Sep - Sun 22nd Sep	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	0700-1600hrs
Sun 29th Sep	Church Parade @HQ	0830-1045hrs
Sun 29th Sep	Diving @HQ	1300-1900hrs
Crew		
Mon 23rd Sep	Executive meeting @HQ	2000-2200hrs
Sun 29th Sep	church parade @HQ	0830-1045hrs
Sun 29th Sep	Diving joint with Unit @HQ	1400-1700hrs
Band		
Tue 3rd Sep	Band Rehearsal - Bell lyres only @HQ	1730-1900hrs
Wed 4th Sep	Band Rehearsal - Drums & Tenors only @HQ	1900-2030hrs
Wed 11th Sep	Band Rehearsal @HQ	1900-2030hrs
Tue 17th Sep	Band Rehearsal - Bell lyres only @HQ	1830-2000hrs
Wed 18th Sep	Band Rehearsal - Drums & Tenors only @HQ	1900-2030hrs
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Wed 25th Sep

Sun 29th Sep

Band Rehearsal @HQ

Church Parade @HQ

1900-2030hrs

0800-1045hrs

Group

Sun 29th Sep Church Parade @HQ 0830-1045hrs

All group members are to meet at HQ in full uniform at 0830hrs sharp.

We will be marching to Reggie Miller Square where we will have some presentation ceremonies. We will then participate in the 0930hrs Mass, following which we will march back to HQ. The parade ends at HQ at around 1045hrs.

Sun 6th Oct Family Fun Walk @HQ 1415-1830hrs

If you've ever been to one of our fun walks - you already know that they're not to be missed. On the other hand, if you've never been, this is a great opportunity to find out what you've been missing! We'll be posting more details on our Facebook page and on the October circular, but in the meantime make sure to keep this afternoon free.

Beavers

Wed 4th Sep New Lodges + New members @HQ

1800-1900hrs

New lodges will be formed today so it is very important that all beavers attend for this session. We will also have new lodge leaders follow by some games!

Today new members will be joining our colony so we will be making new friends too :-)

Wed 11th Sep Talent

Talent Night Practice + Games @HQ

1800-1900hrs

Today will be our first rehearsal for the much awaited Talent Night!

The Talent Night will be held on the 30th of November. If for a reason, any beaver is unable to make it on that date, he/she should inform Keo beforehand. After the rehearsal we will play some games. :-)

Wed 18th Sep

Talent Night Practice + Games @HQ

1800-1900hrs

This will be our second rehearsal and therefore the beavers will now have a rough idea of how our show will be. The more we practice, the more we will get into it and enjoy ourselves! After the practice we will play some games :-)

Sun 29th Sep Church Parade @HQ 0830-1045hrs

Beavers are to be punctual at HQ for the church parade wearing full parade uniform. See Group Details for more information.

Pack

Dear Parents

- From this month 4 new beavers will start their moving on period with the Pack Section and are to attend with us where marked
- +MOB (moving on beavers in short). They will become cubs and move on with our Section in November parade.
- In the meantime, the present 6 link badge members (LB) will terminate their link badge period this month and will go up with Troop Section in September's church parade.
- In September parade a good number of cubs will move on to the next arrow and so we are planning to finalize the last few sessions during this month. It is very important that informed cubs attend all September meetings (since we're going to try to deliver missing sessions to these cubs only during these meetings) and all Bronze arrow cubs make sure they attend the cultural activity on September 28th in order for respective arrows to be finalized.

Fri 13th Sep

Evening Walk (+LB) @Fgura Football Ground

1830-2030hrs

We will be meeting at the entrance to the Fgura Football Ground to go for an enjoyable walk around Cottonera whilst admiring the historic buildings surrounding the 3 cities.

Cubs are to come in full activity uniform (with cap & scarf) and get a small backpack with them with enough water to drink and a small snack.

Parents are to pick cubs from the same place at 8.30pm.

Fri 20th Sep Games & Sessions (for informed cubs only) (+MOB) @Marsascala Family Park

1800-2000hrs

This is the first meeting for the Moving on Beavers (MOBs):)

We will be meeting directly at Marsascala Family Park where we will spend time enjoying ourselves with the games available there. During a particular time those cubs (whose parents will be informed by an email) who still have some sessions pending to finalize their respective arrows will have these sessions delivered to them so that they can obtain their arrow certificate in this month's parade and move on to the next arrow!! Hopefully these cubs will today be able to attend.

Cubs are to come in full activity uniform (with cap & scarf), comfortable trainers and get a small backpack with them with a light snack and some water to drink.

Parents should pick cubs & MOBs from the same place at 8pm.

Today booking should be made for Cultural Visit at Ghar Dalam on Saturday 28th September (Consent Form & €3 for transport).

Sat 28th Sep

Cultural Visit to Ghar Dalam (+MOB) @HQ

0915-1215hrs

This is a very interesting activity for all the cubs but especially important for the bronze arrow cubs since it forms part of their arrow progress and will finalize their bronze arrow with it.

Cubs are to come in full activity uniform (with cap & scarf) and get a strapped backpack with enough water to drink and a small snack.

It is very important that today cubs and MOBs get their Heritage Malta passport with them for free admittance to Ghar Dalam. Otherwise a payment of €1 is requested.

Booking for this activity was done on Friday 13th September.

Today we have booking for hike on Saturday 5th October (MOBs included) - Consent Form + €3. Some outdoor sessions might be covered during this hike.

Sun 29th Sep Church Parade (+LB) @HQ

This is a very important parade for the present 6 link badge members since they will be going up with Troop Section today.

A good number of cubs will also get their certificate for the finalization of their respective arrow as well:)

Cubs should be punctual and come in full parade uniform after taking a good breakfast. Further details are in Group Section of circular.

Troop

Thu 5th Sep PLC @HQ 1900-2030hrs

This meeting is for the patrol leaders and assistant patrol leaders only. They will continue to discuss and plan for the talent show.

Fri 13th Sep Water Games and Swimming @HQ

1645-2030hrs

0830-1045hrs

We are off to the beach to play some water games and go for a nice swim in Pretty Bay Birzebbuga. Important to bring consent form, water, sun block, beach towel and snacks (optional). We will also be collecting the fee of Euro3 for the transport.

All members are to wear the group t shirt, group scarf, cap and slippers.

Booking of this activity is to be done by informing the PL's by not later than 5th September.

Fri 20th Sep Talent show rehearsal and Sessions (+LB) @HQ

1830-2030hrs

Today we have the first rehearsal for the talent show. It is important that everyone attends for this.

We will also have some sessions on first aid. Important to bring with you the first aid kit and the scout handbook.

For the PL\'s and APL\'s we will continue with the tests on basic first aid, so come prepared.

Sat 28th Sep Talent show rehearsal and Sessions (+LB) @HQ

0930-1200hrs

Today we will continue to rehearse for the talent show and then do some sessions on mapping.

We will also do a short drill and ceremonies practice for the church parade of tomorrow.

Sun 29th Sep Church Parade @HQ 0830-1045hrs

We will meet at the HQ at 8.30am sharp in full uniform. Please see group section for more details.

Unit

Sat 7th Sep Helpers - Interactive Day @HQ 0800-1700hrs

This weekend the unit are going to be helping at the interactive sleepover. This activity will help our leaders learn more skills, discuss the future of our group, the way forward but most of all they will have some fun together.

Therefore, we will cater for them and their young family members by organizing games during all day.

Fri 13th Sep Venture Challenge Preparation @HQ

1900-2200hrs

Today, we will be having some needed sessions as next week there will be the Venture Challenge. It is of the utmost importance that everyone attending next week attend these sessions. Let's be prepared.

Sat 21st Sep - Sun 22nd Sep

Ventureathlon @HQ

0700-1600hrs

This weekend there is the Ventureathlon which we have had some sessions for throughout the year in preparation by our VSL. Our unit will go against units from other localities in various challenges which require different scouting skills.

The next day we will team up with other members and have few workshops together. It is important to come prepared for anything and freshen up your skills beforehand.

Imp - To bring Consent form and health form plus essential equipment for 2 day camp.

Sun 29th Sep Church Parade @HQ 0830-1045hrs

For parade details have a look at the group section.

Sun 29th Sep Diving @HQ 1300-1900hrs

Today we will be having an adventurous activity where we will go diving. We will explore the mesmerizing underwater life of the Maltese archipelago. Fee for the diving activity is 30euros. Transport fee will be calculated on the day.

Important - remember to fill in the medical form and consent form and bring the specialized form for diving sent by our VSL prior to the activity. NO FORM - NO DIVING.