



THE SCOUT ASSOCIATION OF MALTA, FGURA SCOUT GROUP

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July 2022

Group

Wed 29th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul Group Summer Camp 2022 - L-Assedju Skawtesk @Ghajn Tuffieha Campsite 0700-1600hrs

Beavers

Sat 2nd Jul	Summer Camp Activity @HQ	0800-1600hrs
Wed 6th Jul	Senglea Cultural Walk @Senglea Parish Church	1800-1930hrs
Wed 20th Jul	Water Games @ Marsaxlokk @Qajjenza Bay, Marsaxlokk	1800-1930hrs

No moving on beavers for this month.

Pack

Thu 30th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul	Group Summer Camp - Assedju Skawtesk @Ghajn Tuffieha Campsite	0945-1600hrs
Fri 8th Jul	Cinema Activity @Entrance Galleria Cinema	1700hrs onwards
Sat 16th Jul	No Meeting	
Fri 22nd Jul	Games at Marsascala Family Park (+LB) @Marsascala Family Park	1830-2030hrs
Sat 30th Jul	No Meeting	

Link Badge members (LB) are to attend with Pack and Troop where Marked (+LB)

Troop

Tue 28th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul	Summer Camp @Ghajn Tuffieha	
Fri 8th Jul	PLC @Zabbar Park	1700-1800hrs
Fri 8th Jul	Mix and Match Sessions (+LB) @Zabbar Park	1800-2000hrs
Fri 15th Jul	Pizza and Movie Night (+LB) @HQ	1800-2100hrs
Fri 22nd Jul	Sessions and Interest Badges @Zabbar Park	1800-2000hrs
Fri 22nd Jul - Sat 23rd Jul	Overnight Hike @Zabbar Park	2000-0900hrs
Fri 29th Jul	Knots, Swimming and Ice Cream (+LB) @Bbugia Pretty Bay	1730-1930hrs

Unit

Wed 29th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul	Summer Camp @Ghajn Tuffieha	
Fri 8th Jul	Canoeing/Kayaking @St Thomas Bay	
Fri 15th Jul	BBQ and Swimming @TBD	1900-2200hrs
Sat 23rd Jul	Joint activity @TBD	
Sat 30th Jul	Cookout @near Fgura footballground	1000-1300hrs

Crew

Tue 28th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul Summer Camp @Ghajn Tuffieha

Band

Wed 13th Jul Band Rehearsal @HQ 1800-1930hrs

Group

Wed 29th Jun - Sun 3rd July Summer Camp 2022 - L-Assedju Skawtesk @Ghajn Tuffieha Campsite 0700-1600hrs

Summer Camp is Back!! We've missed it sooo much but we're finally ready for a full-on summer camp and we can guarantee that it will be super fun for everyone!

This year's camp is being organised by our ASL - Keith Abela as part of his Woodbadge leadership training program and has the title of **L-Assedju Skawtesk**.

The camp is being held at the Ghajn Tuffieha Scout Campsite. The Troop, Unit and Crew will be forming an advance party to set up camp on the 29th June and the Pack will then be joining us the next day (on the 30th) for the rest of the camp. The Beaver Colony will be spending a day at the camp on the 2nd July. More information will be given to the respective sections during meetings.

Camp fees covering the cost of the campsite, activities, three meals a day and plenty of drinking water are listed below and will be collected during the regular section meetings:

Cubs: **€ 55.00**

Troop/Unit/Crew: **€65.00**

NOTE: Children will be sleeping in canvas ridge tents that do *not* have a sewn-in groundsheet. So it is recommended that they sleep on camp-beds that keep them off the floor rather than mats.

Beavers

For the months of July and August, we will meet every fortnight instead of every week for our beavers to spend more time with the family and for us leaders to recharge our batteries for the upcoming months.

Wishing you a lovely summer.

Beaver leaders

Sat 2nd Jul

Summer Camp Activity @HQ

0800-1600hrs

The great Summer Camp is here once again ;)

Let's all wear out our group t-shirts, swimming trunks, cap and head to Ghajn Tuffieha campsite for a packed fun day with the rest of the group. We will meet directly at the HQ at 8.00 sharp and return back to our HQ at 16.00.

Remember to bring sunblock with you and let's have some fun together!

Wed 6th Jul

Senglea Cultural Walk @Senglea Parish Church

1800-1930hrs

Today we will meet in front of the Senglea parish church and all together walk around the picturesque Sengla promenade admiring it's fortifications and colourful boats.

Remember to wear your scarf & cap and enough water to drink during the activity.

Wed 20th Jul

Water Games @ Marsaxlokk @Qajjenza Bay, Marsaxlokk

1800-1930hrs

Get ready for an interesting session packed with lots of summer water games. Let's have fun and get wet whilst playing beach games :)

Please wear your swimming costumes for today's session together with a towel and enough water to drink during the activity.

Pack

Dear Parents & Cubs

For the upcoming months (as we do each and every year) we will not be meeting every week but every fortnight because of the heat and the leaders would need a break as well in summer.

We would just have come out of a fun and activity packed summer camp where we're going to spend 3 days together and practice all the skills of life which we scouts aim for in each and every activity - Social, Physical, Intellectual, Creative, Emotional and Spiritual.

We sure hope you will do your best to attend these meetings so that we will continue staying in touch, whilst relaxing together before we gear up once again in the autumn months.

AKELA & PACK LEADERS

Fri 8th Jul

Cinema Activity @Entrance Galleria Cinema

1700hrs onwards

Every July, since we celebrate the Feast in Fgura we take the cubs to see a film at the Galleria Complex in Fgura.

The price includes a popcorn and drink so we kindly ask the cubs not to get anything more with them. They should get a packet of tissues/wipes and a small sanitizer if they want.

Cubs can come in casual clothing today - no need for the activity uniform.

We will only know the exact timing of the film in the same week so we will advise you in our Facebook Group in the normal reminder we do before each meeting; however time span is approximately between 5pm and 8.30pm (just to have an idea).

Booking for this activity should be done on the first day of the camp when you get the cubs to the campsite by getting a duly signed Consent Form + Eur5 in a sealed envelope marked with the child's name.

Fri 22nd Jul

Games at Marsascala Family Park (+LB) @Marsascala Family Park

1830-2030hrs

Today we're going to play some organized games at the Marsascala Family Park. Parents should get the cubs directly there and pick them up from the same place when the activity finishes.

Cubs are to come in activity uniform (NO NEED FOR CAP AND SCARF) and get with them a small backpack with enough water to drink, tissues and wipes and some sanitizer.

Please get a duly signed Consent Form on the day.

Troop

As a reminder, for any meeting that occurs outside of the HQ we must receive a consent form from the troop member for safety reasons.

Tue 28th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul

Summer Camp @Ghajn Tuffieha

Summer camp is here!

See Group notes for full details.

Fri 8th Jul

PLC @Zabbar Park

1700-1800hrs

To be attended only by PLs and APLs.

Monthly discussion for all Patrol and Assistant Patrol leaders.

Fri 8th Jul

Mix and Match Sessions (+LB) @Zabbar Park

1800-2000hrs

This session is a continuation of a number of badges to attempt to finalise the various progress of the members at certain milestones. A game is to be prepared by duty patrol.

Bring: Mountaineer Award book, consent form and first aid kit.

8 EUR is to be collected for the 15th July Pizza and Movie Night at this session.

Fri 15th Jul

Pizza and Movie Night (+LB) @HQ

1800-2100hrs

More of a relaxed evening in which we step away from the badges for a moment and enjoy a simple get together with pizza and a movie as a group.

Payment for this activity must be done on the 8th July.

Fri 22nd Jul

Sessions and Interest Badges @Zabbar Park

1800-2000hrs

Today we will be continuing with interest badges and sessions particularly mountain boots badge, orienteering, first aid and knots split into groups.

If anyone wishes to present an interest badge please contact ASL Guy via messenger and get your presentation on a pendrive or send it to troop@fgurascouts.org

Fri 22nd Jul - Sat 23rd Jul

Overnight Hike @Zabbar Park

2000-0900hrs

This event is applicable only to advanced members. Leaders will advise during meetings who can attend. If you are unsure, please message ASL Liana via messenger.

This will be a 20km hike (backpacker summit section 8). Finish point is yet to be confirmed. Route cards and route will be done on 8th July PLC.

Bring: food, drinks, tent, torch, mosquito repellent, sleeping gear, first aid kit, consent form, etc.

Fri 29th Jul

Knots, Swimming and Ice Cream (+LB) @Bbugia Pretty Bay

1730-1930hrs

For today's event we will be meeting at Birzebugia Pretty bay and doing a small session on knots on the beach, following by a stop for ice cream and some optional swimming.

Bring: consent form, swimsuit, towel, head torch, mountaineer award book and money for ice cream.

Unit

Wed 29th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul

Summer Camp @Ghajn Tuffieha

See Group details for more information about the camp.

Fri 8th Jul

Canoeing/Kayaking @St Thomas Bay

Today we will be meeting for a fun kayaking/canoeing activity where we will be exploring the bay. Further details about time and cost of activity will be given at a later date.

Fri 15th Jul

BBQ and Swimming @TBD

1900-2200hrs

Today we will be meeting for a BBQ. Further details about location will be given at a later date.

Sat 23rd Jul

Joint activity @TBD

Today we will be meeting for a joint activity. Further information about the activity's location and time will be given at a further date.

Sat 30th Jul

Cookout @near Fgura footballground

1000-1300hrs

Today we will be meeting for a cookout. Details about time and date will be given nearer to the date.

Crew

Tue 28th Jun - Sun 3rd Jul

Summer Camp @Ghajn Tuffieha

The Summer Camp has arrived. All rovers are encouraged to lend a hand in loading and unloading of equipment. For further information on the Summer Camp, refer to the Group details.