



September 2012

# Wirral County News



Hope you have all had a lovely summer and are looking forward to returning to your units over the next few weeks.

We're changing the format of County News so that the news you receive is more up-to-date. If you have items to contribute, please contact the editor or post on facebook so we can see what you are doing in your units!



1<sup>st</sup> Little Sutton Rainbows held a sleepover at Hadlow with an Olympic theme - see overleaf for another Olympic story.



Our International adviser Rachael O'Sullivan and her GOLD colleagues went to Armenia to pass on Guiding skills and camping with Armenia Guides. Read their blog at <http://armenia2012.blogspot.co.uk/>

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1<sup>st</sup> Ness Guides camped in California and then went sight seeing in New York - here they are in Tiffany's!



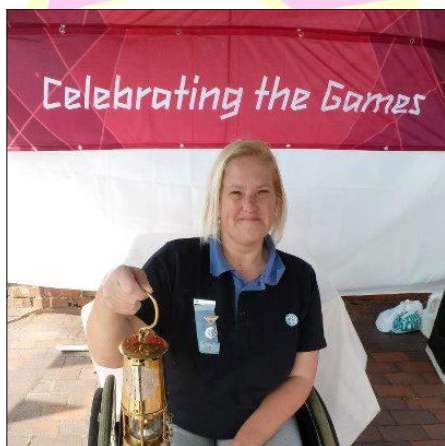
A group from North West region (including Wirral) went to Madagascar to complete conservation tasks and provide training for the locals. Read their blog at <http://madagascarseven.blogspot.co.uk/>





We have two Olympic torchbearers in Girlguiding Wirral! Sheelagh Weir carried the torch in East Kirby and has been making appearances with it for charity - see her above showing the torch to West Kirby Rainbows who also made their own torches.

Rachel Williams, leader with 1<sup>st</sup> Little Sutton Rainbows and St Thomas's Rainbows and Brownies carried the Paralympic flame in Ellesmere Port.



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Date for your diary:

Hadlow Christmas Cracker is on again this year! Details will be coming your way via the section advisers soon.

24/25<sup>th</sup> November 2012

	Trainings in September
13th	County Leadership Team meeting
20th	County Executive meeting
29th	CIEH Level 2 Award Food Safety and Catering Certificate
29th	Out and About Safely - cross sectional training
29th	Outdoor cooking with girls - practical workshop
30th	Let's ask the Rainbows - sectional training
30th	Rainbows go out and about - sectional training

for more training information visit: <http://girlguidingwirral.org.uk/event>