



AFON DISTRICT SCOUT COUNCIL

A Registered Charity



Local Development Plan 2008 -2010

1. Developing Scouting in the Community

- Ely project
 - a. Working with the Welsh Scout Council Development Officer to increase adult support for Groups in Ely and Pentrebane
 - b. Establish a District led project to increase the Scout section membership and develop Explorer scouting in Ely and Pentrebane
 - c. Learning from the projects build the District's capacity to develop scouting in other communities

- Group Manager Project
 - a. Working with Group Councils to recruit Group Scout Leaders for all Groups in the District and ensure succession arrangements are in place
 - b. Provide close to home to training and support for Group Executive team members
 - c. Share good practice

2. Supporting and increasing adult leader capacity

- Promote and manage training opportunities for all new leaders and sectional assistants
- Provide and financially support continued learning opportunities for all leaders
- Establish an adult recruitment support post in the District Team and develop a network with Groups
- Strengthen the District training team in delivering Module 1 and Module 3 training
- Strengthen the team approach to supporting leaders in groups

3. Increasing youth membership

- Agree a 10 percent target for all groups in the District
- Develop alternative provision such as integrated units and an alternating night programme to reduce the excessive Beaver Scout waiting lists.
- Strengthen the under 14 District programme to provide nights away experiences for all sections