

1988 was the twenty first year of venture scouting so many of last years activities were orientated towards this. Our unit took part in all the birthday celebrations, and also in district, county and international events. Some notable events and achievements have been:-

40 mile walk - we completed this walk from Beachy Head to Upper Beading along the South Downs Way in 14 hours a unit record.

District Venture Tennis Comp - we gained 1st, 2nd, 3rd places.

Bedfordshire Night Hike - Our team came 5th out of 81 entrants.

St. Albans Carnival - During this joint activity we gained 3rd in our particular class (push along floats).

Bungo Hockey Comp - we reached the semi finals for the third year running.

21st Birthday Party - This was a county event held at Stanbrough Lakes W.G.C., based on 'its a knockout' followed by a barn dance and disco.

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A Festival of Carols - Held at St. Albans Abbey at Christmas.

London Venture - An international event held over four days at Crystal Palace, London. Attended by about 4,500 British and Swedish venture scouts, loads of activities in and around the sports center, a 'boxer shorts and shades' disco with radio / DJ's, finalizing in a gang show, rock concert and last night of the