

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Ockbrook Brownies Report

3<sup>rd</sup> Ockbrook Brownies had a great year last year from going camping to creating Mother's Day gifts. We lost several of our older Brownies to Guides when we opened which was great to see them flying on to their next adventures and seeing some of our younger Brownies step up into mature young people. At Brownies we have now settled into the new Guiding programme and the girls have been working on a number of activities and badges and it is great to see the family time spent on some of these including seeing one dad being taught a dance by his daughter. The girls take part in crafts, games, food activities, and outdoor adventures as well as socialising with their peers and making new friends.

Below is just some of the adventures 3<sup>rd</sup> Ockbrook Brownies have got up to:

April- Cadburys World

May- Drum Hill Activity Centre

June: Camp at Drum Hill

July: Bowling, Sixer and Second Sleepover, Sponsored walk

September: Legoland and Sealife Centre in Manchester

November: Remembrance Parade, Sleepover

December: Plank n Leggit for a soft play and meal

Brownies were also due to go on pack holiday which had been scheduled for just after lockdown was announced and so had to be postponed as well as going to Wheelgate and attending Peak 2020 for the day which have again had to be cancelled.

We have some exciting plans for when we are able to return including looking forward to the big trips we have planned including the rearranged trip to the seaside next summer and a trip to Euro Disney in 2023 and we will be focused on fundraising for these and many other trips.

Unfortunately, due to not being able to meet, we have been unable to fundraise towards these trips and equipment and so we will be looking to raise as much money as we can for this.

As we are not able to meet face to face at the minute we have moved online and are having virtual meetings where the girls participate in crafts and games while at home on the computer. This has been accepted well and we are seeing great responses from the girls and both the girls and families have adapted well to this new way of Guiding.

We have spaces at Brownies for girls aged 7-10, please feel free to get in touch at [3rdockbrookbrownies@gmail.com](mailto:3rdockbrookbrownies@gmail.com)

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