

1st Alne Rainbows - URGENT PLEA TO PREVENT CLOSURE!!

After running 1st Alne Rainbows for the last 14 years, Emma and I are finally hanging up our Rainbow Guiders hats at the end of this coming summer term, in July 2017. We have loved the opportunity to be involved with hundreds of girls over the years, and hope that they have gained as much fun and a zest for life as we have tried to put in to each and every meeting. Rainbows has always been popular, and the unit always full, with a long waiting list of eager girls hoping to join. At the age of 7, they move on in their Guiding family to join Brownies, ably led by Emma, who will continue as Brown Owl.

Would you like to take over running this Unit? Or do you know somebody who might? It could be done as joint venture perhaps - Emma and I have built a very special friendship, giving each other mutual support, help, and sharing immeasurably fun times and so many laughs together over the years. It is also a wonderful opportunity to be involved in the village, and to contribute to the lives of the children, outside school.

We would be very happy to give you training, contacts and resources to take it over (including some favourite tried and tested meeting plans!!), and this would be continued by the District Commissioner after we finish in July. Currently meetings are held on Friday evenings 5:15 - 6:30, but other days/times may be available on discussion with Alne Village Hall.

PLEASE consider this. It has been so rewarding and huge fun. It would be such a shame to see it close after all this time...

Please contact Liz (foxy.doc@hotmail.com or telephone 01347 830127) if you think you can help, or just want to know more details in order to make a decision.

Thank you.