

# FIRST KENGRAY BK

## Scout Group

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### BP Sunday and Swimming Gala



First Kengray again showed that it is carrying the Scouting flame forward this year. At the BP Sunday Parade we were recognised as the best Troop in the District. Cobras Patrol received a Star Patrol Award and the Troop was awarded a Star Troop award. Paul Diessel, an Assistant

Troop Scouter, received a Certificate of Merit in recognition of the contribution he has made to Scouting—congratulations Paul, we all appreciate your effort!

Robert Faltermeier, received his 10 year service award—yes, 10 years of looking after



Scouts has to be commended.

The BP parade this year took the form of “floats” through Edenvale and I’m sure that everyone agrees that Kengray’s was one of (if not the) best on parade.

The gala was a fun event (not the “official” gala for points) and I think that

this aim was achieved. As an aside, the Scouts did come third overall!

Photos are available on our website: <http://www.firstkengraybk.org.za>

### Important Upcoming Events

- 5TH—7TH MARCH: KONTIKI
- 26TH MARCH: DISTRICT CHALLENGE
- 27TH MARCH: PL DINNER (HOSTED BY KENGRAY)
- 18TH APRIL: SPRINGBOK PARADE
- 15TH—16TH MAY: KIM SHIELD
- 28TH MAY: CUB NIGHT HIKE
- 18TH JUNE: GROUP CAMPFIRE
- 25TH—27TH JUNE: TROOP CAMP / HIKE
- 11TH—23RD DECEMBER: CEDERBERG (NATIONAL SENIOR SCOUT ADVENTURE)

### Contribute...

Send your photos and/or articles to [ewen@scouts.co.za](mailto:ewen@scouts.co.za) so that we can include them in future newsletters and on our website.

The website is a good place for everyone in the group to have a look at the photos from various group events.

Visit: <http://www.firstkengraybk.org.za/>



## Kengray Remembers!



Every November worldwide people remember the sacrifice made by soldiers to secure our freedom and way of life. Kengray BK lost Scouters in the Second World War and it is fitting that we still remember these souls. Some of our Scouts



took part in the Remembrance Day commemorations at Jeppe High School.



“There are only two ways to live your life. One is as though nothing is a miracle. The other is as if everything is.”

*Albert Einstein*



“To see the world in a grain of sand and Heaven in a wildflower, hold infinity in the palm of your hand and eternity in an hour.”

*William Blake*

## Sean gets this Springbok.



Well done to Sean Morrow who received his Springbok Scout recently. He joins the long list of Kengray Scouts who have achieved the highest level of

Scouting in South Africa. The hard work has paid off and the many hours spent by Sean, his parents and the group have lead to an achievement he can be very proud of.

## KonTiki 2010



This year KonTiki goes in search of El Dorado!

As usual this event will take place over the first weekend in March—5th to 7th March. Much fun awaits all who come and participate and Kengray has put in a lot of effort. All Cubs are welcome to attend provided their parents come along. I encourage all parents to come and experience this weekend of Scouting.

<http://kontiki.scouting.org.za>



“You have to leave the city of your comfort and go into the wilderness of your intuition.

What you'll discover will be wonderful. What you'll discover is yourself. “

*Alan Alda*



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