

## SOLIHULL SCOUT FELLOWSHIP

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The Carol Service was as successful as ever this year, and the number of people seems to increase all the time. Scout carol services are, quite rightly, aimed at young people, with carols which they know and enjoy, but, as older people, we also enjoy the traditional lessons and carols which are, for us, such an integral part of Christmas.

The talk about Baron Ash of Packwood at the January meeting was both interesting and enjoyable. With a fluent speaker and good slides we all learnt a lot about an unusual and somewhat eccentric gentleman whose work enabled us to continue to enjoy Packwood today.

### **FUTURE PROGRAMME**

**Monday February 27th. Beer & Skittles Evening, Hall Green Home Guard Club, 7.30pm.**

This is now fully subscribed and should be a good evening. If anyone has not chosen their supper, please contact Barbara a.s.a.p.

**March 13th. "My Australian Ancestors"** All I know is that this has been highly recommended so come and hear what it is all about!

**May 8th. AGM. Alan Craske - "Journey to the Czars"**--- A Bike Journey across Russia. Barbara has booked Mike for a return visit in view of the popularity of his first talk some while ago.

**July 10th.** (To be confirmed) We are hoping that Ian Sands will be coming to give his talk on Mediaeval Illustrated Manuscripts. I am told that this is a most interesting and not too academic talk, with superb slides. It is certainly something a bit different for us!

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