Thursday 29 March.

First meeting of our ranger group. We were going to sew up uniforms but the table in the staffroom was found to be too low and we had a lot to discuss and sort out.

We first allocated jobs, we thought only three of the many jobs listed in the handbook were needed for the moment, Treasurer, Log-book keeper and secretary. Jenny was asked whether she would act as the treasurer at meetings and her mum could help and show her how to do the books at home, we decided to combine the jobs of secretary and social secretary to produce a general secretary and Karen took this job. I was then nominated as log book keeper. and given this log book.

We decided to keep subs to 30pence a week, the same as in guides, if we didn't have Rangers every week we should pay sixty pence the next week.

Next we tried to find two full days in the summer that we could go out on. we finally found two dates, one in July and one in August.

On the 25th July we thought we would go drive up to Wales quite early in the morning. When we got there we would go the mine museum, where you could actually go down the mine, we could then go to the park and do some open air cooking and have a good walk, we would then visit the Cardiff Folk Musem.

On the 19 August we could go down to York and generally look around, going to several museums, including maybe the National Railway Museum, we could also cook outside here on web.

We then began to work out what we could put on the flag, but we didn't come to any final decision but we did

Thursday 28th September 1989

We didn't do allot this meeting, just generally had a chat and that was a good laugh.

Thursday 5th October 1989

We decided that we needed to have some sort of fund raising event to bump up our severely depleted funds. Taking the idea from a recent episode of Neighbours we decided on a scavenger hunt. This involves getting people to pay an entrance fee and then giving them a list of things to find each thing having a number of points attached to it according to how obscure it is. Anyway, tonight we discussed the things to be on the list and how we were going to advertise the event (leaflets and posters). Also, we looked at the possibility of getting prizes from local shops etc..

We also found that we could have the scout hut to hold the scavenger hunt in.

17th August 1995

I'm very sorry the logbook hasn't been touched for 6 years now; there always seemed to be so very much to do. As a conclusion, I will round off with a list of events and meetings until I left in 1991; well, as far as I have record of:-

12th October 1989 - met in scout hut to investigate for scavenger hunt.
26th October 1989 - Meeting
9th November 1989 - Meeting
26th November 1989 - Scavenger hunt in Newbold Verdon Scout Hall.
3rd December 1989 - Carol concert at Bosworth College
11th January 1990 - Planning meeting
25th January 1990 - Pancakes by candle power!
8th February 1990 - Trivial Persuit.
22nd February 1990 - Swimming
8th March 1990 - Planning 'guide massacre'
12th March 1990 - 'Guide Massacre' - evening of fun & adventure for the guides, did clue hunt & anagram round school field (see opposite)
22nd March 1990 - 'Bring your bibs' food evening.