

Councillor Walter Sullivan

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Whereas:

A visiting Boy Scout unit from Great Britain ^{will arrive} on July 21, 1989 for a short stay
visit with the Cambridge Council & Boy Scouts,

Whereas:

During their stay, the 30 scouts and 4
adult leaders, they will be hosted by a
member Cambridge Council member families
where they will participate in regular family
activities and

Whereas:

Among other activities, the visiting

scouts will attend a Boston Red Sox
baseball game, and ^a pool party at
Abt Associates

Now Therefore be it

Resolved:

That this City Council go on record
expressing its sincere and heartfelt welcome
to our British visitors and urge them
to avail ^{up} themselves of the rich history
and multi-culture of the Greater Boston
area during their stay and be it further

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Resolved:

That the City Clerk be and hereby
is requested to forward a suitably engrossed
copy of this resolution on behalf of the
entire Cambridge City Council as a permanent
and official remembrance of their American
visit.

(A true copy

Attest

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cc



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MEMO TO: Joe Connarton

FROM: Dan O'Neill

DATE: July 14, 1989

From July 21 to 29 a visiting Scout unit from Great Britain will be in Cambridge, staying with host families in our council.

A civic reception will be held on Monday, July 24th, at the Commonwealth Energy Cafeteria on Main Street. The visitors will present something to Cambridge from their home town and Mayor Vellucci will in attendance to present his wonderful coins and other goodies.

Would it be possible to present a "Resolution" from Walter and the council to the visitors.

The attached information should be helpful. Also, we welcome the visitors to Cambridge a city that has so many ties to Great Britain. The Scouting program was started in London, England by Lord Baden Powell and came to the United States and to Cambridge when Troop 2 at the Congregational Church on Massachusetts, Avenue, North Cambridge was formed by adults who heard of the program in Great Britain.

Thanks.

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VISIT OF THE SCOUTS FROM GREAT BRITAIN

JULY 21 TO JULY 29

ARRIVAL

The 30 Scouts and 4 adult leaders will arrive in Cambridge between 10:00 and 11:00 PM on Friday, July 21, 1989. The group will arrive at Kennedy Airport in NYC at 4:30 PM and proceed to Cambridge by bus after they clear customs, etc.

MEET WITH HOST FAMILIES

The group will come by bus to Immaculate Conception Church Hall on Alewife brook Parkway in North Cambridge. The hall will be open for host families to assemble and enjoy refreshments prior to the arrival of the British Scout group. As soon as the group arrives they will meet their host families and leave for the respective homes.

ACTIVITIES WITH HOST FAMILIES

The British Scouts are planning on living with American families for the week they will be in the area. Nothing special is required of the host families. What ever the host family will be doing for the week is exactly what the British Scouts will do. A host parent should not feel pressed to provide a grand tour of the area to the Scouts. Following the stay with the host families the group will spend a week at a Boy Scout camp in New Hampshire and then travel to Philadelphia, Washington, and New York City.

ACTIVITIES IN THE CAMBRIDGE COUNCIL

On Monday, July 24th, a civic reception will be held where greetings will be extended to our visitors and where a presentation from Great Britain will be made. All host family members will be invited to attend. Details will be announced at a later date.

On Tuesday, July 25th, the Boston Red Sox will be playing at Fenway Park. We are attempting to secure tickets for the visitors and members of the host families. Details will be announced.

On Friday, July 28th, a Pool Party will be held at the Abt Associates swimming pool in the Fresh Pond area. All members of the host families are invited to participate. Hot dogs, hamburgers, tonic, and all the other elements of a traditional summer cook out will be provided. Details later.

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DEPARTURE

The Scouts will leave for Boy Scout camp at 10:00 AM on Saturday, July 29th. Their bus will depart from the parking lot of Immaculate conception Church in North Cambridge.

FRIENDSHIPS

Hopefully, the visit of the Scouts from across the Atlantic will result in lasting friendships with Scouts from the Cambridge Council. Past experiences of this type have resulted in trips to Great Britain by American Scouts.



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

August 7, 1989

COUNCILLOR WALTER J. SULLIVAN

- WHEREAS: A visiting Boy Scout unit from Great Britain will arrive on July 21, 1989 for a seven-day visit with the Cambridge Council of Boy Scouts; and
- WHEREAS: During their stay the thirty scouts and four adult leaders will be hosted by a number of Cambridge Council member families, where they will participate in regular family activities; and
- WHEREAS: Among other activities, the visiting scouts will attend a Boston Red Sox baseball game and a pool party at Abt Associates; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its sincere and heartfelt welcome to our British visitors and urge them to avail themselves of the rich history and multi-culture of the Greater Boston area during their stay; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution on behalf of the entire Cambridge City Council, as a permanent and official remembrance of their American visit.

In City Council August 7, 1989.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton
 Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk

Order #7

S-497

C.W.J. Sullivan re: resolutions welcoming a
visiting Boy Scout unit from Great Britain
as they visit Cambridge.

In City Council,

August 7, 1989

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