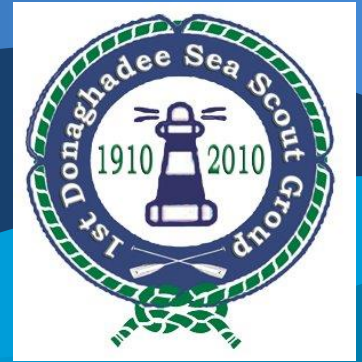


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1st Donaghadee Sea Scouts 2022 – 2024 Report

We have just concluded another challenging scout year at 1st Donaghadee Sea Scout Group. We have yet to fully recover from the impact of the covid pandemic on both the leadership team and young people, the group shut down for the pandemic and 90% of leaders and young people never returned.

The scouts have now 8 young people on the books, but due to the limited numbers and leader shortage they continue to meet as a sea scout patrol with 2nd Donaghadee. Beavers and Cubs are again slowly growing in numbers, but meeting as one group, on a Monday evening, again with limited leaders assisted by some keen parents who are unable to commit to a full volunteering role.

We are continuing to try and recruit adult leaders, we've had tremendous support from our host Church and clergy, with some additional adult helpers, unfortunately the best of those youth workers is leaving the parish.

Small but encouraging steps, the few leaders we have are committed and providing a varied and excellent range of activities and work towards the various scout badge and development schemes for the various age groups.

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