#### SSAGO ASSOCIATE SPACE RALLY 2016

# THE GUARDIAN OF THE GALAXY

### USS SSAGO DECLARED OPEN!



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Following a brief opening ceremony and many rushing (or not) to their coaches, activities were enjoyed by all. However, there was a recurring theme of kid-nappings, but nobody deciding to wake them up.

The ceilidh was enjoyed as always, energetic and cheerful and the themes of Star Wars and Pirates of the Caribbean and then more Star Wars, with the move of the Death Star, were a great success! Cat attempted to join in with two brave helpers, to a slightly lesser degree of success. The winner of the fancy dress competition was UWE modelling their fully working solar system. There was some commotion afterwards, but as the saying goes, what goes in a black hole stays in a black hole. Afterwards, a warp core explosion was witnessed in the evening, although reports are that it required a little poking to complete its full explosive potential (and maybe putting your head over the top of it to look isn't the best advice).

While the rest of SSAGO slowly began to retreat to their tents and lack of warmth and comfort, BUSAG did the opposite, escaping early to their centrally heated houses in a

nearby galaxy. As Rally comes to an end, remember: Live Long and Prospurr!



### THE NEWS AT WARP TEN

- UK completely unprepared for snow for 10,438th winter running
- Near-miss of Asteroid asks the Earth "How's that space programme coming?"
- Einstein developed a theory about space. And it was about time too.
- SSAGO manages surprise organised game of Human Guess Who?
- Life thought to be found on Mars but then got eaten.
- Ciara and Joshua have been eating all the leftovers. They particularly enjoyed the hog roast

### SOUTHAMPTON ATTEMPT WORLD RECORD FOR BIGGEST HUG

Members of the Southampton Starfleet division were clearly inspired by Oliver and Heather's brave attempt to break the world's longest hug record yesterday. Their attempt for biggest hug was also just a tad shy of the record, by a mere 10,548 people. So close, and yet so far....



**Astrology** Libra - The stars and Uranus are aligning which can only mean one thing...



**Cancer** – It's still not looking good for you.

# Out-of-this-

How do you walk on ice at space rally? You planet.

How do you know when the moon has enough to eat? When it's full.

### **Gossip Column**

- Wade and Vicky served
  250 people, straight from
  a pig, without a break
- Jonny Brown can't read messages.
  "We are waiting for you to pick us up from the Bell Inn" read as
   "Give me a Bell when you are ready"
- After not having run an event for a month, Heather agrees to chair the 'Alternative Rally'
- Killen fell asleep, marking an increase in people falling asleep
- The transport museum wasn't very exciting, unless you liked motorbikes and empty exhibits
- There are rumours of another Witan already in the making
- Chocolate cake reported missing
- Josh, from Southampton, attempts to cause division between SAGUWE and UoBGaS by stealing Derek and giving to UoBGaS to hand in.
- Lexie received a foot massage from a random stranger.

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### CAPTAINS LOG

When SSAGO met

**SSAGA** 

Short hike turned

working lock gates.

into a lesson in

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### Hall of Fame



SSAGO push big red button at the Space Centre!



Southampton, UWE and Bristol in a joint operation stole Idris, the Aber SSAGO mascot.

The geocache team found 11 geocaches, leaving behind a SSAGO rally badge as a treasure for future generations.



Pottery café declared NOT a space free zone.

### REMINDERS

Reps, for all SSAGO club representatives, will be at 10am, in the foyer.

### THE MANY FACES OF LEXIE



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The rally box is opened

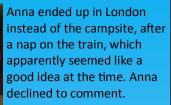
Against their better judgement, SAGUWE lit up the night with left over sparklers...no injuries suffered!



Someone wears a hat and someone else wears hi-vis shorts

### Hall of Shame





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Lauren from Southampton asks "Does he have eyebrows?

Bradley asleep



How not to steal a mascot... Lexie from Southampton nearly managed to capture Bath's mascot, after they abandoned it on the table. After going to pick it up, they told her it was stealable, at which point, she politely put it back and Bath were relieved.

Fatma from Southampton managed to be 24 minutes late for the coach to the space centre, which was nearly ready to leave without her.

Niall from Bangor, on their kayaking trip, tipped very slowly into the water while attempting to score a sideways goal while playing canoe polo.



All the people that didn't submit their stories!

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