

PETER SPRINGTHORPE...

IT IS WITH SADNESS THAT I HAVE TO ANNOUNCE THE DEATH OF A FORMER CHAIRMAN OF RUISLIP DISTRICT SCOUTS. PETER SPRINGTHORPE WHO RECENTLY PASSED AWAY AGED 83.

He was Chairman of the 2nd/9th Group from 1973 and then took on the role for the District in 1977 until he retired and gave the baton to Nigel Boardman , who has also sadly died. A service was held at St .Martin's Church Ruislip on September 7th and many Scouters were present.

I remember him well as I served on the Committee with him and found him to be not only extremely able but also kind, courteous and most gentlemanly. He got us to work so well as a team so that we ended up with the right results and decisions.