



TREATS FOR TROOPS

Once again we have formed a group to support our local 40 Commando Royal Marines when they go back to Afghanistan. This isn't happening as soon as we were led to believe but we formed this group to be permanent and to support other local troops, such as Taunton's Territorial Army unit; B Coy 6 Rifles, and those from farther afield, such as 42 Commando and 20th Armoured, which is the formation currently deployed.

We can send shoebox parcels of up to 2kg free of charge to combat zones and would greatly appreciate any items that we can send out to be distributed amongst the soldiers stationed in the forward bases, where home comforts are minimal. This campaign was very well supported by the village during 40 Cmdo's last deployment and has been again to date and we hope our community will continue to be as thoughtful and kind.

Full details and updates can be found on our website at

<http://foof.cotford-st-luke.co.uk>

We have a collection point in the village shop if you have sweets, toiletries, biscuits, just-add-water sachets, etc. that you'd like us to box up. If you'd like to help with organisation, or you are a serviceman who'd like to be supported (or family thereof!) please contact us at cslfoof@gmail.com.

Thank you.