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County Updates – 15 November 2018 – Issue 94

**Welcome**

Hello and welcome to County Updates, our regular email communication from Norfolk Scouts to highlight news, announcements and opportunities that exist.

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New news or features this week…

**Piloting Early Years**

We’re sure that you have seen the announcement from Headquarters about piloting Scouting provision for 4 and 5 years old young people. If not please take some time for [find out more](https://scouts.org.uk/news/2018/11/developing-scouting-for-younger-children/).

If your group decides to be considered for the pilot please let us know that you have applied to hq@norfolkscouts.org.uk.

**Young Leader Training**

Northern Norwich District are holding Young Leader Training Modules A, I and J on Sunday 2 December at Horsford & St Faiths HQ. [More details.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/11/15/northern-norwich-young-leader-training)

**Trustee’s Week**

This week is Trustee's Week and an opportunity to [say thank you](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/11/15/trustees-week-thanks) to the number of Scouting volunteers who are our charity trustees. We're holding our first ever Trustee's Conference, called TRUST this Sunday with over 150 delegates. We look forward to seeing some of you there.

**Eaton Vale Christmas Activity Day**

Eaton Vale are running a Christmas Activity Day for Cubs and Scouts on Saturday 8 December. [More Information](https://norfolkscouts2015-my.sharepoint.com/%3Ab%3A/g/personal/matthew_burrell_norfolkscouts_org_uk/EV1NnPkmzXFGjSHJ6-3H0-ABbrKb3KQX9MvFvO4xC8MU4w?e=GurDbl)

**Second chance**

**“There but not there”**

To mark the centenary of armistice day, Norfolk Scouts have paired with “Remembered”. We are hosting 10 “There but not there Tommies” within the grounds of Eaton Vale Activity Centre. [More information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/11/08/there-but-not-there)

**Remembrance Sunday**

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to our [Remembrance Map](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/members/2018-remembrance-map), the Royal British Legion have been overwhelmed by your support. There is still time to add your act of remembrance.

Don’t forget our photo challenge too, another way to create a legacy. [More information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/10/24/remembrance-2018).

**Digital Programme Help**

The Scouts have contacted Cub Scout Leaders asking to contribute their brilliant activities, which may be used in the new digital programme tool. If you know a great Cub activity send it in [using this form.](https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/e3120c8fb2a3488cb723e07222101852?dm_i=31ME,SLD9,3D75FB,2XYVB,1) (PS You don’t need to be a Cub Leader to take part)

**Christmas Camp**

There are still spaces available at Eaton Vale’s Christmas Camp, weekend of 7/8/9 December. For more information see the [Eaton Vale website](http://www.eatonvale.co.uk/christmas-camp-2018/).

**Duke of Edinburgh**

Take a look at the latest Scouting D of E Newsletter issues by Headquarters [More Information](https://scouts-news.org.uk/t/31ME-SJDB-F33FCXU0F8/cr.aspx).

**County Calendar**

If you are organising a large scale Group, or District event, activity or meeting, please let us know so we can add this to the County Calendar. Please email hq@norfolkscouts.org.uk with the date, details and key organisers. Please also let us know if you would like a visit from a member of the County Team.

**Outside Organisations**

We are frequently asked to pass on information to our membership, we make the material available on the [External Opportunities](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/members/externalopportunities) page of our website.

**Other ways to keep up-to-date**

[Our County Calendar](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/calendar)

[County Training Information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/members/training)

[County Vacancies](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/tag/vacancy)

[County Updates](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/members/county-updates) is uploaded each week to our website for further sharing, please feel free to pass this update to Explorers, Young Leaders and other interested people.

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