Norfolk Scouts "Badges 4 All" Challenge

This second challenge sheet has been produced to use during the Covid-19 lockdown.

How often as Young Leaders and Adult Leaders have you wished you could earn (and wear on your uniform) the same Activity Badges as the Beavers, Cubs and Scouts that you work with?

Well now you can – the special circumstances we are experiencing calls for special opportunities!

"Badges 4 All" builds on the "Scout in the House" Challenge, giving Young Leaders and Adult Leaders the opportunity to earn and wear Activity Badges by creating some resources to share with others.

When you have completed the "Badges 4 All" Challenge, if you are under 18, let your YL Leader know and they will send your name, resources, photos and videos to County Office via email.

You will receive a special certificate and the County Commissioner's permission for you to wear the Activity Badge you have earned on your uniform until December 2021. Adult Leaders can submit their own documents and photographs and videos to County Office.

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Choose an Activity Badge

 Complete an Activity Badge yourself at home that is relevant to the section you work with.

You can find all the Activity Badges that are available on the Scout Association website:

Click here for Beaver Activity Badges

Click here for Cub Activity Badges

Click here for Scout Activity Badges

Plan the Programme

- As you complete the Activity Badge, write some notes that explain how you completed the Activity Badge, making sure you add any hints and tips that will help Beavers, Cubs and Scouts to complete the badge themselves at home
- Photograph or video anything you do to complete the badge at home or better still create some new resources

Share with your Young People

- If you can, participate in an online meeting with the members of your section and tell them about the Activity Badge your have completed
- Share with the members of your section any notes you have written or resources you have made whilst completing your badge at home to help them achieve it too

Sharing with Other Young Leaders and Adult Leaders

 Send everything to County Office (via your YL Leader if you are under 18) - including your notes, any resources produced and any photographs or videos of you working on the badge. Everything will be added to an online "Badges 4 All" resource centre on the Norfolk Scout website: www.norfolkscouts.org.uk

Let's Celebrate

- Everyone who takes part in the "Badges 4 All" Challenge will feature as part of an online gallery of achievers
- Everyone who completes the "Badges for All" Challenge will be able to wear the Activty Badge or Badges they complete until 31 December 2021 – Bonus!

And Finally... Tell others all about "Badges 4 All"

If you have enjoyed taking part in this challenge, please share it with other Young Leaders and Adult Leades so that together, Norfolk Scouts can support Beavers, Cubs and Scouts to continue Scouting in their own home whilst we cannot Scout at face-to-face meetings.

Documents and Photographs that you want to share of the Badges 4 All Challenge can be sent by your YL Leader to County Office via email to be uploaded onto a special feature on the Norfolk Scout website.

Adult Leaders can submit their own documents and photographs to County Office via email.

All Leaders - Please remember where activities involve online messaging, do refer to the Yellow Card and POR to ensure safeguarding is adhered to by all adult members of Scouting and please ensure photgraphic permissions are in place for any photographs submitted.

