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**Welcome**

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

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**This week’s updates**

New news or features this week…

**St George’s Day**

Some you will be celebrating St George’s Day this weekend, and other next. Have a great time, don’t forget to share your celebrations on the Norfolk Scouts Sharing Centre (Facebook) and on Twitter @Norfolkscouts. You can also take part in our photo competition and win a small prize! [More information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/04/19/st-georges-day-photo-competition)

**Recognising dedication and service**

Members of Norfolk Scouts who have been recognised by the Chief Scout in the 2018 St. George’s Day awards, came together on Sunday 15 April at the Assembly Hall in Swaffham to receive their medals and celebrate. [More Information.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/04/19/recognising-dedication-and-service-2)

**County Scouter International**

Due to new opportunities to develop in her working role, we are currently looking for a County Scouter to support Beka Millard ACC (International).  [More details.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/tag/vacancy)

**Roverway 2018**

Norfolk Scouts is excited to be part of a joint unit with Cambridgeshire for Roverway 2018.

This year Roverway is being held in Amsterdam from 21 July - 2 August 2018.  We have had a space open up in the Patrol so if you are, or know someone who may be, interested between the age of 16-22 and looking for a European Adventure this summer please get in touch with Beka. To find out more about this event [details here.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/04/19/roverway-2018)

**NORJAM 2018**

Don't forget to order your NORJAM clothing (by 3 June 2018) and gas (by 30 June 2018) from the NORJAM website.

**Second chance**

In case you missed these issue…

**Norfolk Guiding and Scouting Heritage at NORJAM**

The heritage teams from both Associations are going to be at NORJAM in the Market Place working to help bring our heritage alive! [More information.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/04/12/norfolk-guiding-and-scouting-heritage-at-norjam)

**County Water Activity Weekend**

County Water Activity Weekend is being held 25-28 May 2018 at Decoy Broad and we are asking anyone with Kayak, Canoe permit that is willing to help on the water. [More information.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/04/12/county-water-activity-weekend)

**County D of E Adviser**

Colin Scott has stepped down from the County Duke of Edinburgh Adviser role. We thank Colin for his support to the County Team. Please direct any D of E communications in the short term to Jane Warden, Deputy County Commissioner (Programme) dccprogramme@gmail.com

**Regular features**

To help keep you informed…

**Outside Organisations**

We are frequently asked to pass on information to our membership, we make the material available

[External Opportunities](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/members/externalopportunities) page of our website. This week – Virgin Money Foundation, Easton College Big Day Out, OPEN

**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 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.