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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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**TRUST 2018**

TRUST is our first ever one day event for Executive Members, we are delighted that 130 signed up to attend by the closing date for applications. We have made another 20 places available on a first come, first served basis in case you missed the opportunity. [More Information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/10/04/20-more-trust-places-available)

**County Team Day**

Reminder that the County Team day originally planned for this Saturday (6 October) has been cancelled. [More Information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/08/30/county-team-day-2)

**Local Training Manager (South West Norfolk)**

We have a vacancy for a Local Training Manager in South West Norfolk. Find out more about the role, apply or nominate from the County Website. [More Information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/10/04/local-training-manager-south-west-norfolk)

**Advising on Adult Appointments Training**

The training team will be delivering a (Module 37) Advising on Adult Appointments on Sunday 28 October 2018 in Aylsham. [More Information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/10/04/advising-on-adult-appointments)

**Supporting the UK WSJ Contingent**

Find out how you and your sections can show your support to UK Contingent Members attending the 24th World Scout Jamboree as International Service Team buying a badge, also find out about some great programme opportunities for our section. [More Information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/10/02/supporting-the-uk-wsj-contingent)

**Scout Leaders – Scout Mechanic Badge**

Find out how you can request practical support with completing the Mechanic badge from the sponsor, the Army. [More information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/10/04/scout-mechanic-badge)

**How long should it take to wash your hands?**

Good handwashing with soap and water is the most effective way to stop the spread of viruses on camp and at other group activities. Helping young people to understand how to wash their hands properly can help stop them becoming ill. [More information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/09/26/how-long-should-it-take-to-wash-your-hands)

**Second chance**

**International Opportunities**

ACC International, Beka Millard provides an update about some international opportunities. [More information.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/09/27/international-update-3)

**Young Leader Training – North East Norfolk**

NE Norfolk YL Training Programme for 2018/19 is [now available here.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/09/27/young-leader-training-4)  All Young Leaders are welcome and if anyone is interested please contact Gail Spencer YL Manager NE Norfolk, [ylmanager@northeastnorfolkscouts.org.uk](mailto:ylmanager@northeastnorfolkscouts.org.uk)

**Two Mile Bottom – South West Norfolk**

There is a need to recruit a volunteer Camp Site Manager and a team of volunteer Wardens to support the future success of Two Mile Bottom Campsite. If you are interested in any of these roles please contact the County Office [hq@norfolkscouts.org.uk](mailto:hq@norfolkscouts.org.uk)

**Not the NORJAM Sale**

Don’t miss the Not the NORJAM Sale! 20 October from 10am until 3pm at the Alec Bussey Scout Centre, Norwich (home of the Trading Post). [More information.](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/09/27/not-the-norjam-sale)

**Leonard Cheshire is one of the partners for A Million Hands**

They now have a speaker network, so if groups in your area are working on, or planning to work on the Disability Awareness Activity badge and/or the Community Impact Staged Activity badge, please do let them know as they offer free speakers. [More Information](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/2018/09/27/leonard-cheshire-speakers)

**County Office Closure**

Due to Annual Leave the County Office is currently closed reopening 9am Monday 8 October.

**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 Directory](https://www.dropbox.com/s/1us27bte6qvucc2/County%20Directory.docx?dl=0)

[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.

County Updates is a weekly communication to all adult volunteers (except Occasional Helpers) sent to their primary email address recorded on Compass, our membership system. The purpose of County Updates is to provide details of activities, development opportunities and key information updates that develop better programmes and support volunteers to complete their roles effectively. You can find out more about how your information is handled here or opt out of receiving County Updates [on our website](http://www.norfolkscouts.org.uk/members/county-updates).