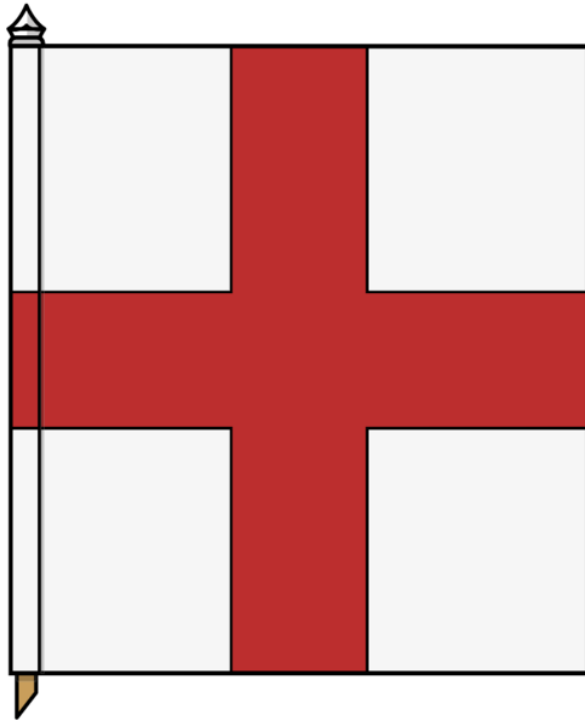




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## St George's Day Services



Unfortunately, North Tameside District are unable to hold their usual St George's Day Parade and Service. **However**, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ashton are holding a St. George's day parade service at St James Church, Cowhill Lane, Ashton on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2022 at 9.30am and they are inviting any members of the Scout Association to join them. All are welcome. Renewal of all scout promises will be done

during the service.

## Tame Valley District -

### St George's Day 24th April 2022

Hosted by 2<sup>nd</sup> Dukinfield Scout Group

Meet at Concord Way, Dukinfield at 2.30pm to start parade at 2.45pm

Service Venue - St Mary's Church, Zetland Street, Dukinfield – 3 pm till 4.30pm

The parade will be led by - St John's Band

We plan on parading back to Old Chapel Community Centre for Tea/Coffee and Biscuits after the service, you are all welcome to join us but there are limited spaces inside.

We would suggest if you're not going to join us at Old Chapel, then you will need to make your own groups arrangement for collection of the children from St Mary's Church.

## News from 5<sup>th</sup> Stalybridge AGM

Great AGM at 5th Stalybridge this evening, very well attended by young people, parents and leaders.

**Congratulations** to all the young people who were recognised for their skills and embracing of scouting values. Also, to Jean and [James Hopkins](#) for their long service awards. Good luck to 5th as they continue to grow and implement their future plans for the hut and their group, ably led by Nikki Smith and her supportive, dedicated and enthusiastic leadership team and exec.

Thank you for the very warm welcome and also the pizza!

Shell Rowlinson,

DC Tame Valley.

### Bucket collection at Stockport County football ground.



Members of the Manchester Jamboree contingent took part in a bucket collection at Stockport County Football Ground. Here you can see Keira Pope and Tina Howarth with a member of the Stockport County Together Team.

## Trying a new Activity at 2/1<sup>st</sup> Hurst Scouts





## News from 12<sup>th</sup> Ashton Beavers.

On 18th March myself, Jane Rogers and Philip Rogers at 12th Ashton organised a comic relief fundraiser.



We had a raffle, prize for best joke. Prize for best plate design with chocolate spread jam and sweets. We had 100 squares and sweet every time that was 20p a go. There was also tea juice coffee and hotdogs for the children.

We started off with adults v children football match. A good time was had by all. £86.00 raised. Well done all.

Jane Rogers

Beaver leader 12th Ashton Beavers

## Jamboree - South Korea

### News from 3<sup>rd</sup> Ashton Scout Group

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Ashton Scout Group and their Group Executive congratulates Mark Howarth upon gaining a place with the International Service Team to go to the Jamboree in South Korea. This is very special for the Group and indeed North Tameside Scout District since this is a "back to back" for Mark because he was chosen to attend the last Jamboree in America.

So WELL DONE "Mark"

Derek Casey

# Young Leader Training in Tame Valley

Fantastic Module A training. Lovely set of Young Leaders attended and completed this first mandatory module of their young leader training. Well done to everyone who attended.

10 Young Leaders from across Tame Valley District took part in the training at 7<sup>th</sup> Stalybridge Headquarters.



Speaking to Nick Ledger, he said the Young Leaders came from all across the Tame Valley District. He said it was very important that all Young Leaders complete Module A before starting to help with any Section in Scouting. It is the Young Leaders equivalent to the Adult Safeguarding. It is the only compulsory training that a Young Leader has to do, while they are Young Leaders. Nick said he will happily go to any Group within Tame Valley to give the training to the Young Leaders because he feels it is so important. Nick's contact details are

[nicholas.ledger@tamevalleyscouts.org.uk](mailto:nicholas.ledger@tamevalleyscouts.org.uk) or 07990 975180

The next training planned for the Young Leaders in Tame Valley is the Module K – First Aid, which will be taking place at 2<sup>nd</sup> Stalybridge Headquarters on 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022. Contact Nick if you want to take part.

# WANTED



Crushed Aluminium Cans

For the Jamboree Fund

Contact Tom Lowther

[tom.lowther@tamevalleyscouts.org.uk](mailto:tom.lowther@tamevalleyscouts.org.uk)

or Tina Howarth [tina.howarth@ntscouts.org.uk](mailto:tina.howarth@ntscouts.org.uk)

to donate crushed Aluminium Cans





# Jamboree Update



Jessica (12) and Olivia (14) from Dukinfield 5th/7th have been holding stalls at various venues across Tameside selling goods for Valentine's Day and Mother's Day to raise funds towards their trip to the 25th World Scout Jamboree in South Korea.

All items in the below photos were available to buy. They also both have a Facebook page if you would like to follow and the links are at the bottom of this message.

Thanks in advance for your support. Think big. Dream wild. Act together. 🌸🇰🇷🇸🇰

<https://www.facebook.com/Jessicas-Jamboree-Journey-25th-World-Scout-Jamboree-to-South-Korea-2023-110909538160995/>





## Greater Manchester East Presentation Evening

Good Evening,

I'm pleased to email you this evening with the link for Award recipients, their guests and leaders to book onto the next County Presentation evening, which is on :

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2022, at Hyde Town hall.**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/scouts-explorers-network-award-ceremony-april-2022-tickets-268516137997>

Could I emphasise that when booking tickets for recipients & their guests, only the recipient's name must be entered, (for recipient and guests), at the last evening we again had several parents who had entered their names on the booking, some of these went unnoticed until the evening, therefore they were entered wrongly on certificates and in the programme. Also, please could I ask that recipients & guests only register once, again at each presentation we have some who duplicate.

This email has been sent to all the County, as many leaders have other roles within Groups and Districts; so that no-one misses out.

Any queries please get in touch.

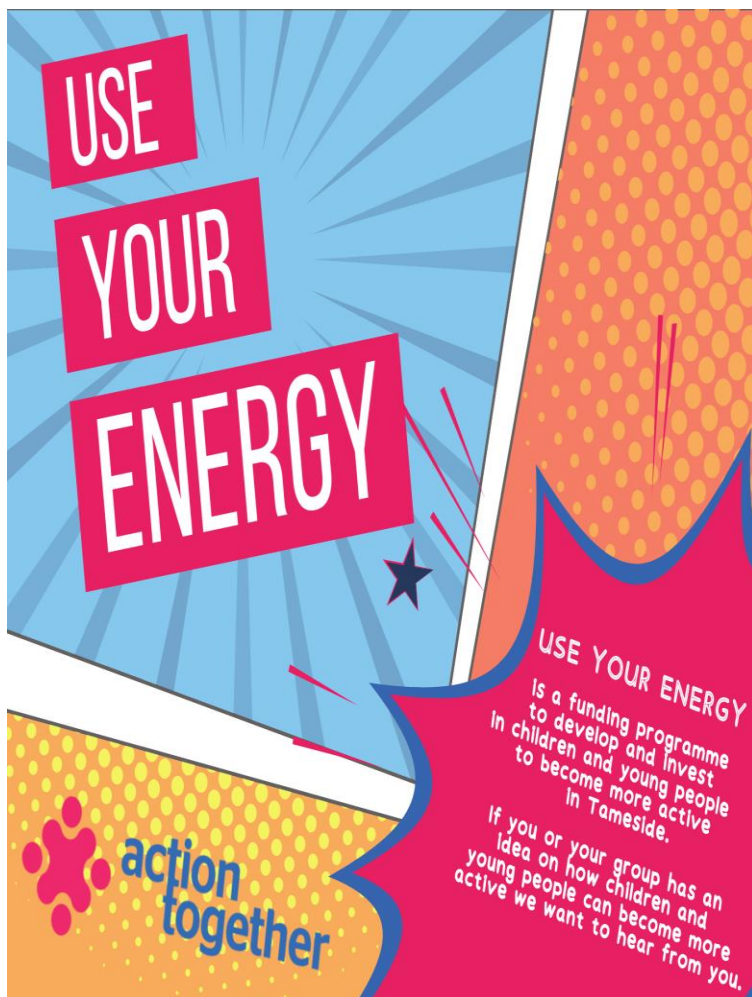
Thanks

*Claire*

Claire Jarvis



**Deputy County Commissioner – Operations**



“Use Your Energy is an Action Together programme funded by Sport England which aims to work with Tameside groups to engage and enable children and young people aged 5-18 years to become more active, more often. We have money to invest in your active ideas! Your group can apply for up to £500 to make your active idea a reality. There are lots of ways we can become more active such as volunteering, walking, cycling, swimming, dancing, water sports,

nature trails, conservation, gaming, home work-outs, boxing, skateboarding, scootering!”

To find out more go to: <https://www.actiontogether.org.uk/use-your-energy-funding-tameside>”

Thanks

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**Web: [www.actiontogether.org.uk](http://www.actiontogether.org.uk)**



# The Wood Badge Scout Active Support Unit



## Adult Training



Greater Manchester East Training team have been busy updating not just the way they deliver training, now offering all courses through Nearpod and Zoom, but also by updating the training website. We now have a more interactive and streamlined training area that can be found at [www.gmescouts.org.uk/training1](http://www.gmescouts.org.uk/training1)

The screenshot shows the website header with the Scouts logo and navigation links: Training, About, Programme, Events, Join, Activities, Campsites. The main heading is "Adult Training" with a subtext: "The training team want to make the training of our leaders as simple as possible to access and to complete. Listed below are the main roles adults new to scouting are appointed to. Please pick your role to see the training courses you need to complete to meet your training commitment." Below this are five buttons: "Section Assistant", "Section / Ass. Section Leader", "Manager / Supporter", "Exec Member", and "Other". A horizontal line separates these from a "Mandatory Ongoing Training" button. A note at the bottom states: "Mandatory Ongoing Learning must be completed every 3 years".

By following the links relevant to your role, you will be able to access an overview of all the specific training required, links to access the e-learning and also the training delivered by GME. Mandatory Ongoing Learning can also be



accessed in this way. An online 'Check Your Knowledge' system has also been embedded for leaders to complete and these will be sent to your TA.

We hope that you find this new training area user friendly and more accessible. Should you have any questions regarding the training delivered within GME please feel free to get hold of Shell or Cliff.

[Shell.rowlinson@gmescouts.org.uk](mailto:Shell.rowlinson@gmescouts.org.uk)

[ctm@gmescouts.org.uk](mailto:ctm@gmescouts.org.uk)

First Aid training dates from Karen our county first aid training admin.

2<sup>nd</sup> Hazel Grove – 7<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Full Day

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/module-10a-10b-first-response-22fr05-tickets-247474080637>

24<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Blended Evening

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/module-10a-10b-first-response-22fr06-tickets-259050375647>

25<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Blended AM

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/module-10a-10b-first-response-22fr07-tickets-259055109807>

Blended PM

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/module-10a-10b-first-response-22fr08-tickets-259056223137>

Yours In Scouting, Zoë Howarth-Lowe

To book onto the course highlight the course, then Ctrl + Click, then complete the application form.

## **GETTING STARTED - Training**

**This is available on-line via the County Website for all roles in Scouting. They take between 45 and 90 minutes to complete each module.**

**Adults should complete their Getting Started training and have it validated within 5 months of them being put on Compass in their role. It can be completed before they go to the appointment's panel.**

All Courses are now on the county Calendar & bookable through EventBrite.

Greater Manchester East Scouts | Team up <https://www.gmescouts.org.uk/training>

(Copy and paste into search engine to book onto course)

Here is the list:

Weds 20<sup>th</sup> Apr Module 9 – Working With Adults - 6:30pm 1<sup>st</sup> Hazel Grove.

Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> Apr Module 7 – Scouting for All - Online 6:30pm Start

Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Apr Module 17 – Running Safe Activities - Online 6:30pm start

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> May Module 18 – Practical Skills - 1-4pm 2<sup>nd</sup> Heald Green

Weds 11<sup>th</sup> May Module 11 – Administration - Online 6:30pm Start

Thurs 26<sup>th</sup> May Module 15 – Promoting Positive Behaviour - Online 6:30pm Start

Tues 14<sup>th</sup> June Module 13 – Growing the Section - online

Mon 20<sup>th</sup> Jun Module 25TA – Assessing Learners - Online 6:30pm Start

22<sup>nd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> July - Residential Course (Modules 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 14 & 15) Linnet Clough

(Fundamentals of Scouting, Scouting for All, Skills of Leadership, Working With Adults, Administration, Supporting Young People & Promoting Positive Behaviour)

21<sup>st</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct - Residential Course (Modules 12A, 12B, 13, 16, 17, 18 & 19) Linnet Clough

(Delivering a Quality Programme, Programme Planning, Growing the Section, Introduction to Residential Experiences, Running Safe Activities, Practical Skills & International)

## News from HQ


### **Nominating for national honours and our new feedback form.**

Our volunteers go above and beyond, and sometimes deserve a little extra recognition. National honours are awarded for exceptional achievements, commitment, or service to Britain. Any member can nominate a fellow volunteer for a national honour and you can [learn more about the national honours \(including how to nominate for one\) online](#). Looking for inspiration? [Read about these Scouts community heroes](#) who were included in the New Year's honours list.

Also, we've now created a [feedback form](#) to make it even easier for you to share your thoughts on specific awards and the support we offer. You can find the form on the bottom righthand corner of [scouts.org.uk/awards](https://scouts.org.uk/awards) or in the 'quick links' section of any of the awards pages.







## 25<sup>th</sup> World Scout Jamboree - [UK Contingent](#)

25th World Scout Jamboree - UK Contingent We're super excited to share those applications are now open for UK Deputy Contingent Leaders for the 25th World Scout Jamboree! We're recruiting up to three Deputy Contingent Leaders, to assist the UK Contingent Leader to plan and lead the next UK Contingent to the World Scout Jamboree, which takes place in the Republic of Korea in 2023. Find out more about these exciting roles and how to apply at <http://www.scouts.org.uk/.../join-our-national.../deputyc>

