**(INSERT GROUP NAME) adventures to (INSERT LOCATION)** **on an epic Scout Expedition**

The **(INSERT GROUP NAME)** explored **(INSERT LOCATION)** with a **(INSERT DISTANCE)** expedition that challenged many of the determined participants from **(INSERT LOCATION).** Expeditions are a terrific way for Scouts to challenge their navigation skills, develop their ability to work in a team and practice their own personal resilience.

Leaders praised the young people’s unwavering determination and teamwork, embodying the spirit of Scouting as they tackled the impressive distance. “***(INSERT QUOTE FROM LEADER)***" said **(INSERT NAME)**, group leader for the **(INSERT GROUP NAME)**. Not only did they **(INSERT EXPEDITION DETAILS)**, but they also **(INSERT EXPEDITION DETAILS)**, creating memories that will undoubtedly last a lifetime.

This accomplishment holds particular significance as **(INSERT DETAILS)**. With Scouts, young people don’t give up – they get back up and try again, often with the support of the friends they’ve made there.

To prepare for an expedition, Scouts work together to carefully plan their route. On this adventure, the group **(INSERT EXPEDITION DETAILS).** During regular meetings, Scouts develop the skills they need to take them on future adventures. This includes navigation, where they learn how to read a map and use a compass to indicate direction. In a recent poll 94% of Scouts said they have developed useful skills.

One young person described how “***(INSERT QUOTE FROM YOUNG PERSON)***”.

The **(INSERT GROUP NAME)** will be developing their skills for life at regular unit meetings on a **(WEEKDAY)** in **(INSERT LOCATION)**. If you would like to join the adventure, contact **(INSERT EMAIL)** or use www.scouts.org.uk/join.

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**About Scouts**

* Scouts, the world’s largest youth movement, was founded on 1 August 1907.
* In the UK, Scouts is supported by The Scout Association, enabling 7,000 Scout Groups across the country to provide opportunities to over 475,000 young people aged 6-25.
* There are now more than 638,000 individuals actively involved in Scouts in the UK.
* All genders, races and backgrounds are welcome at Scouts. Every week, it gives almost half a million people aged 4-25 the skills they need for school, college, university, the job interview, the important speech, the tricky challenge and the big dreams: the skills they need for life.
* Scouts helps members gain these skills by encouraging them to ask the big questions and listen with wide open minds. It helps them to take a deep breath and speak up, think on their feet, ignore the butterflies and go for it. With Scouts, young people don’t give up – they get back up and try again, often with the support of the friends they’ve made there.
* Over 200 activities are offered by Scouts around the UK, from canoeing and caving to coding and community projects, made possible by the efforts of over 163,000 adult volunteers.
* Worldwide, Scouts has over 50 million members, both male and female, and operates in nearly every country in the world.
* UK Scouts has over 250 Scout Activity Challenge badges. These require participants to achieve a level of understanding and skill realistic and appropriate to their age range.