



## Shirejammin' – Leaders

### Badge Requirements

#### Training (complete all parts)

- Make sure that your Safety and Safeguarding training is up to date.
- Make sure that your Getting Started training is completed.
- If you haven't achieved your Wood Badge yet then get two required modules validated by e-mail, phone or by other virtual methods.
- If you already have a Wood Badge for your current role, then count learning how to run virtual activities (below) as ongoing learning.

#### Skills (complete all parts)

- Learn how to and successfully and run a Virtual Meeting using a suitable platform for your section. This should include a ceremony (opening, closing or investiture), a game and an activity.
- Upload badge work that can be done at home (done via e-mail or OSM badges at home or another suitable platform)

#### Leaderships (complete all parts)

- Run a forum with a group of your Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, Explorer or Network to get their ideas on future programme or virtual activities.
- Support young people in achieving the Chief Scout Awards by regularly sharing activities and recording these for them.

#### Scouting Community (complete 3 of the 4 parts)

- Take part in a virtual Section / Group Leader meeting to plan future programme.
- Take part in a virtual meeting either with other Leaders in the District or County, or with a Training Adviser.
- Take part in a virtual meeting with another section of your group or the same section of a different group.
- Take part in a virtual county event (e.g. County Campfire, County Beaver Bear Hunt Camp)

#### Something a bit of fun ... (complete at least one)

- Model campsite in house – give a virtual tour of it.
- Make a fun video (e.g. on TikTok) for your section – could be a campfire song or to teach a skill in a fun way.
- Climb a mountain – Don't actually climb a mountain because we are in lock down. It takes 6 stairs/steps to achieve a height of 1 meter. Can you climb a one of the highest mountains in the UK
- Create an indoor fort to hide out in for the day.
- Enjoy a film or video-game marathon (at least 6 hours!)
- Make something that you can use in your Scouting – a rope-making machine or paracord jig for example.

## Introduction

Who says Scouting has to stop just because we can't go out?

To encourage everybody to Keep Calm and Scout On, Hereford and Worcester County Scout have come up with the Shirejammin' @ Home 2020 badge initiative!

Not only are there requirements for the youth sections to achieve to help them continue work towards Activity and Challenge Badges, but we have also come up with some challenges for you, the Leaders, to help you embrace this enforced pause in our day-to-day Scouting.

## Huts

The County have developed a free platform to host your virtual meetings. It's called Huts. One person from your Group needs to register on [virtualhuts@scoutshw.org.uk](mailto:virtualhuts@scoutshw.org.uk) and will be sent a leader account to be shared amongst the leaders in your group.

## Did you know?

Ben Nevis is 1344 meters tall  
with is 8736 steps

Scafell Pike is 978 meters tall  
which is 6357 steps

Snowdon is 1085 meters tall  
which is 7052 steps

