



Wear Their Necker – 2018

Wear Their Necker is a fun, exciting and empowering project to celebrate Youth Shaped Scouting. The aim of the project is for adults across the UK to give young people the opportunity to take over and shadow adult volunteer roles. For more information please see ['Wear Their Necker'](#).

We have opportunities for 18-25 year-olds to take over some senior volunteer and staff roles in February, including those of the International Commissioner, the Deputy UK Chief Commissioner, the Acting UK Commissioner for Programme, the Heritage and Creative teams of HQ.

Whilst 'Wear Their Necker' is an initiative open to all young people, due to the nature and content of these meetings these specific national opportunities are restricted to young people aged 18-25 years old.

For all opportunities it is your responsibility to arrange your own travel to and from the meeting with the exception being the meeting in Poland. The Scout Association will cover all travel and accommodation expenses for this opportunity.

There are a number of exciting opportunities to get involved nationally so please apply to take part.

The closing date for applications is noon on 17th January for the Eurojam 2020 meeting (as travel needs to be booked) and 23rd January 2018. For other opportunities.

[APPLY HERE](#)

Wear Their Necker 2018 Opportunities:

Dementia Friendly Heritage Group Meeting – 30th January - London

Opportunity to accompany Caroline Hamson, Heritage Collections Officer to Kensington Palace to attend a Dementia Friendly Heritage Group meeting.

Meeting will be at Kensington Palace from 12.00 – 15.00 and lunch will be provided.

Eurojam 2020 Planning Meeting – 2nd – 4th February – Warsaw, Poland

Opportunity to accompany Jack Maxton, International Commissioner to Warsaw, Poland to represent the UK and meet with colleagues from WOSM for a weekend planning a Eurojam event for 2020.

Travel, food and accommodation costs of attending this opportunity will be covered by The Scout Association.

Programme Forum – 3rd February – West Midlands

Opportunity to accompany Graeme Hamilton, Acting UK Commissioner for Programme who is delivering a Programme Forum which includes presentations and workshops to ADC and ACCs for Programme in the West Midlands Scout Region.

The day will be from 09.30 – 16.00 and lunch will be provided.

Programme Forum – 4th February – Wales

Opportunity to accompany Graeme Hamilton, Acting UK Commissioner for Programme who is delivering a Programme Forum which includes presentations and workshops to ADC and ACCs for Programme in Scouts Cymru.

The day will be from 09.30 – 16.00 and lunch will be provided.

Heritage Collections Tour and day at Gilwell Park – 7th February

Opportunity to spend the day with the Heritage team at Headquarters assisting with research enquiries, object cataloguing and packing and taking part in a Heritage team meeting. The team will also give you a Tour of Gilwell Park, which will include all the historic and poignant sites. Bring wellies!

The day will be from 10.00 – 16.30 at Gilwell Park and lunch will be provided.

Youth Commissioner Core Team Meeting – 10th February

Opportunity to join the UK Youth Commissioner Team including nations colleagues on a skype call to discuss the work of the team which includes the four strands of the Youth Shaped Strategy; Programme, Leadership, Management and Governance.

Scouting Magazine Activities Workshop – 21st February

Opportunity to join the Creative and Scout Programme teams at HQ to a workshop with Immediate, the magazine publisher to discuss the activities to be included in the Autumn issue of the magazine.

The meeting will take place at Immediate's office in Hammersmith, London from 11.00 – 15.00 and lunch will be provided.

HQ Finance Committee Meeting – 22nd February

Opportunity to join Frankie Smith, Deputy UK Youth Commissioner and Trustee of the Finance Committee to attend a HQ Finance Committee meeting.

The meeting will be at 65 Queen's Gate, Baden Powell House London from 13.00 – 16.30.

Programme Forum – 24th February – North West, England

Opportunity to accompany Graeme Hamilton, Acting UK Commissioner for Programme who is delivering a Programme Forum which includes presentations and workshops to ADC and ACCs for Programme in the North West Scout Region of England.

The day will be from 09.30 – 16.00 and lunch will be provided.

Operations Committee Meeting and Team UK Meeting – 24th - 25th February

Opportunity to shadow Kester Sharpe, Deputy UK Chief Commissioner to a Operations Committee meeting, a subcommittee of the Board along with a meeting with other senior volunteers as part of the Chief Commissioner team. You can meet the team here;

<http://scouts.org.uk/about-us/organisational-information/uk-chief-commissioners-team/>

The meeting will be in London from 09.00 on Saturday 24th to lunchtime on Sunday 25th February. Timings will be confirmed and accommodation and meals will be provided.

Negative Photo Conservator Meeting – 28th February

Work alongside an accredited conservator to review part of the film negative collection dating from the 1960s-1990s. The items will be reviewed, scanned, listed and repackaged. This will make the collection immediately accessible to individuals internal and external to The Scout Association.

The meeting will be with the Heritage team at Gilwell Park, London from 10.00 – 16.00 and lunch will be provided.