



Annual Report 2021 to 2022

**Inspiring Generations with
Skills for Life**



What We Do

Our Purpose

Wyre Scouts exists to actively engage and support young people in their personal development, empowering them to make a positive contribution to society.

Our Mission

Our mission is to enable more people than ever before to enjoy and benefit from the experience of Scouting in Wyre.

Our Values

- **Integrity** - We act with integrity; we are honest, trustworthy and loyal.
- **Respect** - We have self-respect and respect for others.
- **Care** - We support others and take care of the world in which we live.
- **Belief** - We explore our faiths, beliefs, and attitudes.
- **Co-operation** - We make a positive difference; we co-operate with others and make friends.



Welcome

Welcome to this Annual Report and celebration of Scouting in Wyre.

It has been exciting to see Scouting across Wyre restarting during the past year and for our members to be meeting in-person once again. Each section has been working hard to deliver a programme that develops skills for life whilst inspiring our Young People to try new and exciting activities. Take a look at the section reports and be inspired by the range of opportunities that are being offered to Scouts across Wyre.

Following the last two years, Scouting is needed more than ever. Our commitment as a movement has a significant impact on the opportunities available to young people across Wyre, from weekly section meetings and District activities to a wide selection of international events offered by West Lancs Scouts and Scouts UK. This all happens because of the dedication and enthusiasm of our adult volunteers who continue to provide a programme of activities that challenges, supports and inspires our young people. Our specialist teams work hard to provide training and support for our adult members, offer adventurous activities, such as climbing and hillwalking, and stage a wide range of events, including this year's Wyre Gang Show: Back in Business. What an amazing group of volunteers we have in Wyre! My thanks go to each one of you.



As Chair of Trustees, I work with a dedicated team of trustees whose role is to ensure that the charity is run well, has the money and equipment we need, and continues to deliver our purpose, which is to actively engage and support young people in their personal development, empowering them to make a positive contribution to society. Whilst much of the trustees' work may go unnoticed it has a significant impact and I would like to take this opportunity to thank the trustees, on your behalf, for the great work they have done during the past year.

Wyre Scouts is all about young people. We know that what we do empowers young people and prepares them to be positive role models in society. They learn to be independent and to think for themselves, to be courageous and take calculated risks, to ask big questions and stand up for what they believe in. As the district continues to grow, I challenge you to make it even more Youth Shaped, and to give our young people the opportunity to step up and lead, with you at their side as mentors and guides.

I am excited that we have such a strong team, working together to enable more people than ever before to enjoy and benefit from Scouting in Wyre. We are actively recruiting adults and young people to all our groups and sections. Volunteering is #GoodForTwo – why not bring a friend to a meeting and introduce them to the amazing opportunities that Scouting offers.

We change young people's lives for good.

I look forward to seeing many of you during the coming year at the District camp and other events, and to supporting you in inspiring generations with #SkillsForLife.

Neil Ralph – Chair of Trustees

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District Commissioner's Report

As we complete our Annual General Meeting, it's again a time for us to reflect on the last year and look at the year ahead.

First and foremost, I would like to say a massive thank you to you all for everything you do to provide the very best opportunities for the young people of Wyre. Words do not seem enough, or even start to reflect the immense amount of hard work and your dedication to ensuring that the young people of Wyre have amazing opportunities to develop, learn and have fun.

The last year has demonstrated our Scouting values and reinforced what a fantastic district we have in Wyre. I am very proud to lead a district that works so hard to make sure that hundreds of young people enjoy Scouting week after week. There have been so many tremendous achievements from both our young people and our adult volunteers and I have enjoyed seeing our groups offer brilliant programmes of activities which is enabling us to grow. When starting as District Commissioner, my aim was to have more young people experiencing Scouting than ever before in Wyre and we are on track to achieve that aim. To me, every single young person should have the opportunity to experience the delights of Scouting and I would encourage us all to think about how we open our doors to our diverse communities.

At tonight's AGM, we reform the Executive Committee. Our Executive Committees at all levels undertake valuable work behind the scenes to ensure that we can operate our quality programmes in a safe manner. To me, they are our unsung heroes. Thank you to every member of every committee for your support and I look forward to working with the newly formed committee in the coming year.

There are many exciting opportunities to look forward to in the coming year and an opportunity for us to continue to work together and help young people have fun, learn new skills, and develop into fantastic role models in our community. We should celebrate our successes, learn from our failures and shout about our achievements! I look forward to seeing many more of you in the near future and to seeing smiling faces enjoying engaging and adventurous programmes!



Jon Minshull - District Commissioner

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Youth Shaped

This last year has been the first full year of Scouting Post Pandemic and it has been great to see all the exciting activities that the Young People and Adults have been getting up to. Youth Shaped Scouting is beginning to take precedence within Wyre Scouts and has started to become a culture throughout the sections. Young People are now more than ever being given the opportunity to shape their Scouting, voice their opinions and take the lead!

In October 2021, the National Youth Shaped Team launched a new and exciting four-part badge called the You Shape Award. Each of the four areas; Plan, Represent, Do and the Central Section all encourage the Young People to formulate an idea, carry out the planning of the idea under the guidance and support

of Adult Volunteers before delivering and reviewing their idea. The represent area builds on Young Peoples' vocal skills as it supports them expressing their ideas and making change whether that be on a Group, District, County or National Level. This award has been flourishing within the district with tens of Young People from Beavers through to Explorers achieving a section of the badge or the whole award in its entirety.

The Youth Shaped Team has also recently expanded early in the year with the recruitment of two Deputy District Youth Commissioners (DDYC'S); Lauren Rigby and Emily Bird. With an expanded team now in place, Youth Shaped Scouting should begin to propel further and for more support and awareness being available. I am pleased to have them both join the team and looking forward to the next twelve months as I go into my third year.

Recently, the district held its camp for all sections where Lauren and Emily delivered a Fantastic Speak Up session for all sections where we collected valuable views, opinions and information from the Young People that the team can use to Shape Scouting within Wyre and help better meet the wants and needs of the Young People.

Lastly, a big thank you to all the volunteers that have supported the Young People and helped to cultivate positive Youth Shaped Culture within Wyre Scouts.



Luke Thornton – District Youth Commissioner

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BEAVERS

I am so pleased to be able to report – WE ARE BACK!

Yes! Beavers are back in force, I want to start this report by thanking all Leaders, young leaders, helpers and parents who made it possible to return to Scouting. The first few months were rocky at times but it did not deter anyone, you rallied and returned to Zoom to accommodate everyone. WELL DONE to all Beavers across Wyre District who continued to earn badges, what an experience we have all had.



Beaver colonies returning was great fun to see what and where they met.....on the Beach, gardens, fields, going rambling, walks round their locality, Stanah was well used, even for leader meetings, and many attended Remembrance services across the District.

I went shopping with some Beavers, each brought a £1 they then decided what to buy at the supermarket (this was very interesting!!) and then donated the shopping to a local food bank, BRAVO.

Anchorsholme group opened a new Beaver Colony, we welcome all the new adult volunteers and young people who have joined us across Wyre.

Well done to the Beavers who took part in Wyre Gang Show, you are all stars.

Great fun was had at Waddecar for our County Beaver Day in March, a twist on the Olympics was enjoyed and it was great to see so many Beavers and Leaders having fun.

A first linking event for our District for many years was the Beaver & Cub Challenge Day at Stanah. A huge THANK YOU to the Wardens at Stanah and Wyre Borough for allowing us to have use of this wonderful site, both Beavers and Cubs ticked off many challenges towards their badges.

St Georges Day was well attended by Beavers, this was a fun afternoon for all in Wyre Scouts and a great time to renew our Promise.

During all the above Beavers continued to earn their Bronze Award, congratulations to those that achieved this top award.

Fun & Friendship is what Beavers do best, in lockdown or out and about, keep on having Fun, without you the Leaders would not know what to do!

I look forward to seeing you all soon.



Jan Townley - Assistant District Commissioner (Beavers)

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cubs

It's been great to see Cub packs joining together face to face again after what has been a very difficult time for many, including myself during and after the pandemic.

Not just in their own meeting place but out and about, helping in the community and outdoor activities a few to mention several beach litter picks, canoeing and kayaking at Fleetwood Boating Lake, own pack camps and local walks.

Well done to 2nd Cleveleys and Carleton for representing Wyre in the County Cub Challenge Day.



Cubs also have attended Remembrance Sunday Service and Parades across the District. St Georges Day was celebrated with a day of activities and cubs having fun.

A fun linking day event with Beavers and Cubs at Wyre Estuary Country Park was held with many of the activities linking to many badges, badge work to follow on within their own sections. Great fun was had by all involved including the leaders. We are aiming for the link up to be an annual event.



The best part about being ADC is presenting the Silver Badge Awards to the Cubs, seeing their faces light up with a big cheesy grin, that's what it's all about. The Cubs put so much effort into doing their best to gain their badges. I would like to thank all the Cub Leaders, helpers, Young Leaders and Parents for making this all possible for the Cubs week in, week out!! Well done each and every one of you!!!

Looking forward to seeing all soon

Tracy Douglas - Assistant District Commissioner (Cubs)

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SCOUTS

I have been the ADC Scouts for 2 years, and was delighted we could get back to face to face scouting during 2021/22. Although we were back face to face there were still many challenges the leaders had to face with following the rules and regulations for keeping our Scouts safe during the pandemic. Despite this our amazing adult volunteers learnt to adapt to how programmes could be delivered safely and were still able to deliver exciting programmes to develop the skills of our Scouts.



Our first big event was the Christmas linking event where Scouts spent the weekend learning about what it is to be part of Explorers and Network, as well as getting to know the leaders, to help support their transition into these



sections. It was a great weekend supporting Waddecar with their Winter Wonderland event, and Christmas camp. There were plenty of fun activities and on the Saturday evening the young people were treated to a full Christmas Dinner. The event proved very successful, and it is planned to make this an annual event for our young people.

One of the most enjoyable parts of my ADC role is having the opportunity to meet the Scouts to discuss their 4 years in the Scout section learning about their adventures and what they have done to complete their badge work. All the young people have worked really hard and during 2021/22 I have had the pleasure of awarding Chief Scout Gold Awards.

This year Bowlander was back up and running and I was delighted that 1st Thornton, Great Eccleston and 1st Carleton were able to enter teams into the competition. All the young people worked really hard and were amazing with the way they coped with the competition. They were a credit to Wyre District and did us proud.



Looking forward, I am delighted that Wyre will be attending County Rally in May 2022. This will be my first County Rally and I have a great leadership team working with me to make this an amazing event for our Scout Section. I am involved in the planning of a new expedition event for Scouts to take part in and hope that this will become an annual event.

Nicky Dennison - Assistant District Commissioner (Scouts)
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EXPLORERS

I have been District Explorer Scout Commissioner for 2 years and every year so far seems to have been a roller coaster. To help me put this report together about the past 12 months, I decided to look through our social media posts, pictures I have taken and pictures within the groups. I really enjoyed looking back through these as it reminded me how much we have done. I firstly want to say thank you to the leaders we have across the 3 explorer units. Without these volunteers, Explorers wouldn't be happening in Wyre offering a wide range of activities. With that we are still looking for leaders across the district especially for our Garstang unit. If anyone knows anyone please don't hesitate to point them in my direction.



I know we have all enjoyed getting back into camping and getting back to what we do best! One of the things we set out to do over the last 12 months was to increase Explorer visibility and run different moving up events. This I believe has been achieved as numbers across the district are now increasing and I know Nicky and Gareth will agree with me our Christmas moving on up Camp, which we are planning to do again this coming December, was a great success.

Seeing the young people mixing and making new friends and memories was fantastic.

I highlight for myself over the past year, was the amazing fundraising achievement in memory of Lucas Backhouse. This was led by our young people wanting to do something to raise awareness of youth suicide and to shout about the support available from organisations like Papyrus. I just want to say how proud I am of the young people that led and took part in the event and everyone that supported. We raised over £5000 in memory of Lucas and made an impact on how West Lancs Scouts want to support mental health across the county.

It would take me too long to list all the activities the Explorers have done over the past year and the activities we are now planning for this coming year, but to see what we are doing and planning please follow Wyre Scouts and Wyre Explorer Scouts on Facebook.

One thing that is great is all the young people that are now getting back involved with international trips and Jamboree's. With this we will be running plenty of fundraising events over the coming year and it would be great if you come along and support our young people. It takes a lot of time and energy to organise fundraising events and they need our support.

If anyone wants more information about Explorers, how it works or want to come along and be a volunteer, please don't hesitate to contact me 😊



Andrew Truelove – District Explorer Scout Commissioner
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network

Scouting doesn't stop when a young person turns 18 and so Network is the next step for them to carry on with their scouting adventure. During lockdown it was hard for Network to get together, socialise and undertake the usual type of activities, so I was delighted when this year we could get back together.



The first key event was the Christmas Linking event where our young people were able to get involved with the Scouts and Explorers. The network members met the older Explorers and gave them an insight of what it means to be part of network. Since then we have had a go at curling at the Flower Bowl, which proved quite challenging and really needs some skill to get the curling stone in the home circle. We enjoyed Go Karting and had a social evening of chatting around the BBQ. Some of our network members attended the Reconnected event which took place at Bibby's Farm over the August Bank Holiday weekend. Later in the year we organised a bowling evening which attracted some new members who hadn't attended our previous activities.

Over the next 12 months I want to help and support the young people develop as a group and encourage them to plan their own activities and take responsibility for arranging what they want to do. This will help build their skills and develop them to become our future leaders.



Gareth Bates - District Scout Network Commissioner
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Adventurous Activities

Over the past twelve months the Covid restrictions have thankfully been relaxed and I've been pleased to see that groups have been getting out and enjoying some adventures.



Scouts have been hillwalking in the Yorkshire Dales and the Bowland Fells and represented the district in the annual Bowlander competition; well done to all who took part in that. Groups of Beavers, Cubs and Scouts have enjoyed kayaking sessions on the boating lake at Fleetwood, and the climbers have been meeting regularly at climbing walls and local crags. The climbing tower and High Ropes facility at Waddecarr saw heavy use during District Camp and I certainly saw plenty of smiling faces.

Within the district we currently have 9 archery permit holders, 6 hillwalking permit holders, 4 climbing permit holders and 1 holder of various water sports permits. Not a bad tally but I really would like to see us expand our ability to provide water sports.

Adventurous activity should be at the core of our programme and I encourage section leaders and young people who would like advise or assist in planning and delivering these activities to contact me.

**Geoff Lyons - Assistant District Commissioner
(Adventurous Activities)**

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Scout Active Support Unit

Wyre Scout Active Support Unit (SASU) consists of members with a vast knowledge and experience in scouting, providing a key role in supporting the district programme activities, events and sections.

It is some two years since Cyril Crossley stepped down as manager of the unit, the district was pleased to appoint John Bell-Fairclough as SASU manager. Through the year, Marjorie Crossley has jointly held the reins as Coordinator with Jon Minshull as acting manager.

The unit re-commenced face to face meetings and events in September, we unfortunately lost two long serving members who did not want to continue with the unit, which was a great loss to the unit and the district.

We have also found a new home for our meetings which are now on the third Thursday of each month at Poulton Methodist Church, Queensway, Poulton commencing at 7.30pm.

The unit is gaining momentum in assisting the district with events, as a Unit we are always on the lookout for keen, enthusiastic new members who can help support the district.

If you would like to join us, please contact either John Bell-Fairclough (SASU Manager) or Marjorie Crossley (SASU Coordinator).

John Bell-Fairclough – SASU Manager

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Marjorie Crossley, SASU Coordinator

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District Events

Once again, we've had a busy year with events with a number of events run for leaders and our young people with the theme of bringing the district back together following the COVID pandemic.

In November, the district with its young people attended Remembrance around the district following the virtual service of the previous year.

At each service around the district, in Garstang, Pilling, Talmine, Poulton, Thornton and Fleetwood our young people as a mark of respect laid wreaths on behalf of the district and all did us proud.

In February, we had a virtual activity day attended by four groups with various activities and competitions for our young people from all sections to take part in. Thanks to SASU for helping to judge the event.

More down to good luck than judgement we were online as it was the one day of the year that it snowed making outdoors and Waddecar not suitable, although some of our hardier members were enjoying themselves at Waddecar in the snow that day doing Tomahawk Training.



The springtime and good weather brought three major events, all of which succeeded in bringing the district back together.

In March, the Live Wyre Gang Show returned to Thornton Little Theatre after an enforced absence of two years. Albeit with a small cast our young people from all the sections supported by their leaders put on a wonderful show to delight audiences including several of our groups and gang show casts from other districts with the storybook theme. Well done to all involved.

In April we returned to the district being together for our annual St Georges Day renewal of promises and fun day at Marsh Mill, Thornton, with all groups supporting and providing bases for the event and our young people and the public to have a go at. In addition, we were supported by some of our Jamboree participants raising money to get to South Korea.

The first weekend in July brought our main event following the pandemic with our District Camp at Waddecar, which thanks to Michelle's efforts was part funded by the National Lottery.

The theme of the camp was I'm a scout get me out of here, which was attended by approximately 300 district members with various diverse bases and the final typhoon challenge on Sunday Morning to get you out of here with the 'specially arranged' pouring rain that didn't dampen anyone's spirits.

A great time was had by everybody there. Congratulations to all our groups who attended in the spirit of scouting and togetherness and to all our base winners.

During the course of the year, we offered two Leaders Awards evenings at Lakeside Bistro, Hambleton to recognise our leaders who had gained awards and honours. Congratulations to all of you.

As some of you will know I have recently had to give up the position of ADC Events due to changes in personal and work circumstances. Can I take the opportunity to thank anyone who supported me in the role, particularly district camp and say it was an honour and privilege to hold the role. Finally, can I offer my best wishes to my successor, whoever that may be.



Keith Parkinson – Assistant District Commissioner (Events)

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Appointments



Over the last 9 months the Appointments Advisory Committee has carried on all the good work from the previous year. We have been particularly busy with seeing new volunteers with a mixture of face to face and online meetings. It's not easy being a new volunteer but I feel that with the continuing use of the appointments process we put in action 2 years ago volunteers don't find it as daunting as they think.

My thanks go to all the Appointments Advisory Committee members for their work throughout the last 9 months. I must thank Caroline Dugdale for all her work as Secretary she has done a tremendous job.

**Len Wiseman - Appointments Advisory Committee
Chair**

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Adult Training



The leader training for 2021 had to adapt to running courses through zoom and e-learning to allow leaders to complete their training and stay compliant. We are very pleased to now be offering courses face to face and it's great to meet leaders in person. We are also continuing to run zoom courses in order to offer a more flexible approach to suit everyone's needs.

I'm very pleased to share, 16 leaders have completed their leader training and gained their wood beads.

Thank you to everyone who has supported me throughout the year.

Caroline Dugdale - Local Training Manager

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Adult Awards

Congratulations to our adult members who have been rewarded for their service to Scouts.

Bar to the Award for Merit

- Peter Bird, 1st Garstang (Castle)



Award for Merit

- Gareth Bates, District Executive Committee Member
- Jennifer Gornall, Assistant Section Leader for Explorer Scouts
- Neil Ralph, District Chair

Chief Scout's Commendation for Good Service

- Mark Mason, 1st Carlton
- Katharine Smith, District Section Leader (Cubs)
- Kirsten Squirrel, 1st Great Ecclestone
- Andrew Truelove, District Commissioner (Explorers)



Length of Service Awards

30 Years Andrew Angus
Belinda Armstrong
Sharon Campbell
Cherry Earle
Nigel Hall
Karen Kennedy

20 Years David Holmes
Geoff Lyons

15 Years Julie Rolls

10 Years Amy Bradshaw
Emily Byrne
Tony Cherry
James Corning
May Gandhi
Caroline Mortimer

5 Years Richard Shepherd
Grahame Astin-Batte
Judith Astin-Batte
Anita Cronshaw
Andy King
Kiran Hill
Jenny Lewtas
Lorraine Potts
Michelle Rycroft
Ulric Schwela
Clare Scott
John Sleightholme
Jenny Southern
Matt Wright

Wood beads

- Grahame Astin-Batte
- Judith Astin-Batte
- Gareth Bates
- Kiran Hill
- Karen Kennedy
- Lee Loy
- Roisin McCann
- Keith Parkinson
- Alex Smart
- Will Stephens
- Gareth Bates
- Neil Ralph



Young People Awards

Chief Scout's Gold Award

1st Carleton

Ben Middleton
Thomas McLaughlin

2nd Cleveleys

Jack Spence

1st Garstang

Reuben Hill
Lewis Watson
Thomas Casson
Zachary Patterson
Ben Peacock



Chief Scout's Silver Award

• 2nd Cleveleys

Noah Todd
Ollie Jensen
Harrison Marshall
Thomas Mahr
Kieron Young
George Thomas
Oliver Wilson-Goddard

• 1st Thornton

Thomas
Sleightholme

• 1st Fleetwood

Jake Morrison
Aaron Yeo
Kermish Sharman

• 1st Stalmine

Cooper Haslem
Sebastian Loy
John Billington

• 1st Thornton

Cleveleys
Oliver Dempsey
Niall Ouni
Isaac Veitch
Finn Stephens
Oscar Richardson
Harry Carter

• 16th Fleetwood

Jacob Hornby



Chief Scout's Bronze Award

• 1st Carleton

Finley Piggott

• 2nd Cleveleys

George Deaville
Oliver Smith
Will Seddon
Freddie Coker

• 1st Stalmine

Henry Melling

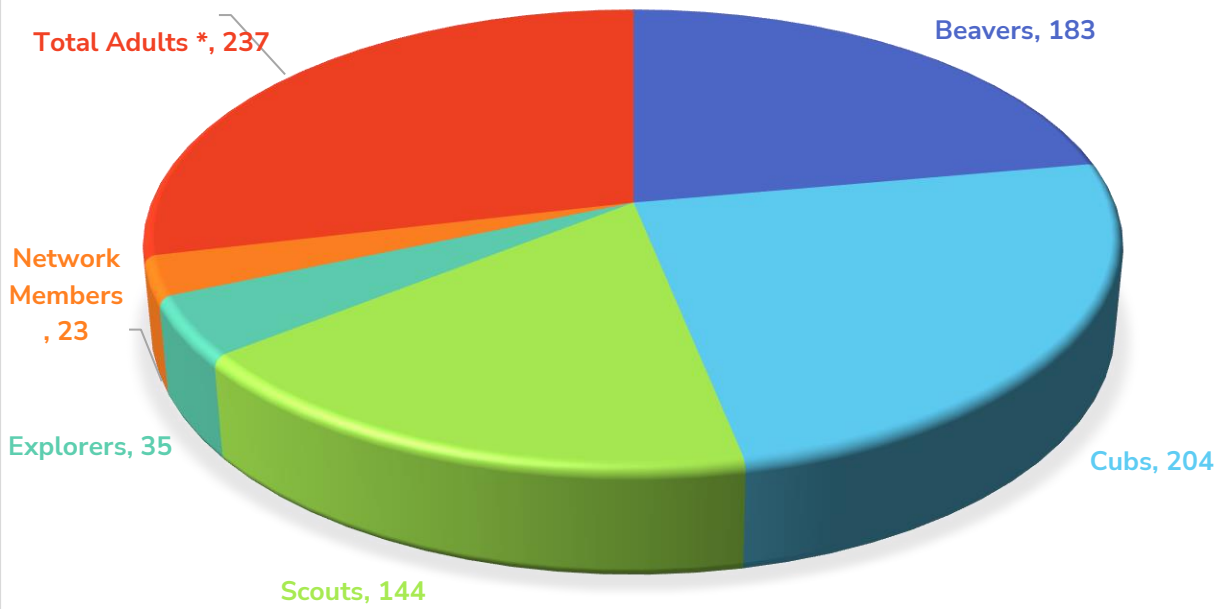
• 1st Thornton

Cleveleys
Nataniel Powell
Will Shaw
Joshua Cookson
Oliver Ormerod



Census Summary 2022

NUMBER OF MEMBERS WITH WYRE SCOUTS



Annual Report of the Finance and Fundraising Committee 2021/22

We are pleased to present the Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31 March 2022. We started the year with bank balances totalling £51,591 and finished with balances of £59,935. It will be seen that there were restricted funds of £7,157 which represented grants received by Wyre District Scouts by the end of the financial year but had not yet been spent. Most of this figure is the Lottery grant towards this year's District Camp of £6,400.



The main regular source of income for the District is from the membership subscription. Essentially, we paid Scout Headquarters £35 for 566 members. A balance of £8,490, or £15 per member, is retained by District. Because there are delays in payment from some Groups there is a timing difference between the total membership sum received and the sum retained. I am sure it will be appreciated how important building membership up again is to the financial well-being of the District.

It was noted above that a grant of £6,400 has been received towards the District Camp. Other grants have been alluded to. Over the last two years our Fundraiser has raised over £20,000 for various aspects of Scouting in the District which has been crucial to the District's financial well-being.

During the year the 14-25 Committee have consolidated their funds and taken responsibility for all related receipts and payments. The Annual Accounts show the total figures incurred.

For many organisations with halls the pandemic has effectively put them out of use. Fortunately, some grants have been received which has limited the cost of maintaining the District HQ.

The District has been negotiating for the surrender of the HQ's lease for a number of reasons. The situation has nearly been resolved. This will make financial planning more predictable which will be helpful with the economic pressures both individuals and organisations are facing. The District HQ building has given rise to a water rates charge of £4,000 to the financial year end. Although the figure will be challenged it may be payable in due course.

The District acquired a minibus during the year and that has already been put to good use. Again, a grant towards set-up costs was received and support from a local business has been much appreciated. The 14-25 Committee manage the use of the minibus.

I would like to thank members of the Finance and Fundraising committee for their contribution during the year. A number of members also contribute to Scouting and other community activities. We are actively encouraging some younger people to join the committee but appreciate the various pressures on them.

For many years David Simpson has been the District Treasurer. He has decided to hang up his boots. We are immensely grateful for the support he has given the District over that time.

Colin Sills – Chair of Finance and Fundraising Committee

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Wyre District Scout Council (Charity No. 11469570)

Receipts and Payments Account

Year start date

Year-end date

For the year from	01-Apr-21	To	31/03/2022
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Receipts and payments

	2021/22			2020/21	
	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Endowment funds £	Total funds £	Total funds £
Receipts					
Donations, legacies and similar income					
Membership subscriptions	25,331	-	-	25,331	18,878
14-25 Sub Account	5,154	-	-	5,154	522
Group funds held on Account	1,748	-	-	1,748	-
Gift Aided Donations	292	-	-	292	-
Other similar income	726	-	-	726	311
Sub total	33,251	-	-	33,251	19,711
Grants					
Maintenance grant	3,489	-	-	3,489	3,500
Other grants	3,850	10,183	-	14,033	550
Sub total	7,339	10,183	-	17,522	4,050
Fundraising events (gross)					
Gang Show	2,638	-	-	2,638	364
Badge Sales	2,342	-	-	2,342	45
District Events	150	-	-	150	985
Other fundraising activities	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	5,130	-	-	5,130	1,394
Scout hut income					
Hire of building	-	-	-	-	-
Hire of Minibus	850	-	-	850	-
Other Scout hut income	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	850	-	-	850	-
Investment income					
Bank interest	-	-	-	-	-
Building Society interest	33	-	-	33	-
The Scout Association Short Term Investment Service	-	-	-	-	-
Other investment income	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	33	-	-	33	-
Total Gross Income	46,603	10,183	-	56,786	25,155
Asset and investment sales, etc.	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	46,603	10,183	-	56,786	25,155

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Receipts and Payments Account

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Receipts and payments

	2021/22			2020/21	
	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Total funds
	£	£	£	£	£
Payments					
Charitable Payments					
Membership subscriptions paid on (National/County/Area/District)	19,810	-	-	19,810	17,118
Youth programme and activities	2,103	3,026	-	5,129	2,988
Adult support and training	777	-	-	777	-
14-25 Sub Account	3,197	-	-	3,197	-
Rates, Water and Sewerage	98	-	-	98	-
Electricity and Gas	3,483	-	-	3,483	2,554
Insurance	2,617	-	-	2,617	2,327
Repairs and Renewals	108	-	-	108	936
Materials and equipment	736	-	-	736	732
Postage, Printing and photocopying	124	-	-	124	377
Minibus Costs	1,613	-	-	1,613	-
Uniforms etc.	99	-	-	99	128
AGM and trustee expenses	611	-	-	611	91
Professional Fees	456	-	-	456	749
Sponsorship	500	-	-	500	100
Short term loan to Group	2,504	-	-	2,504	-
Sub total	38,836	3,026	-	41,862	28,100
Fundraising expenses					
Gang Show	1,546	-	-	1,546	1,288
Media etc. & OSM	1,499	-	-	1,499	924
Lottery Licence	20	-	-	20	20
Badge sales	1,957	-	-	1,957	-
Sub total	5,022	-	-	5,022	2,232
Total Gross Expenditure	43,858	3,026	-	46,884	30,332
Asset and investment purchases, etc.	1,557	-	-	1,557	-
Total payments	45,415	3,026	-	48,441	30,332
Net of receipts/(payments)	1,188	7,157	-	8,345	5,177
Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
Cash funds last year end	51,591	-	-	51,591	56,768
Cash funds this year end	52,779	7,157	-	59,936	51,591

Wyre District Scout Council (Charity No. 11469570)

Receipts and Payments Account

Year start date

Year-end date

For the year from	01/04/2021	To	31/03/2022
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Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the year

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31/03/2021

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Total funds
	£	£	£	£	£
Cash funds					
Bank current account	17,900	7,157	-	25,057	19,702
Jamboree account	4,518	-	-	4,518	4,506
Building society account	14,326	-	-	14,326	14,304
14-25 current account	10,171	-	-	10,171	8,215
Sundry accounts	5,864	-	-	5,864	4,864
Total cash funds	52,779	7,157	-	59,936	51,591

Assets and Liabilities

Assets

Wyre District Scout Council owns a considerable amount of fixed assets which have not been incorporated into the financial records.

An inventory for insurance purposes has been prepared with an estimated value of approximately £50,000.

Liabilities

The Council has received grants in advance of expenditure. The sums remaining to be spent are shown under restricted funds.

Under the terms of a lease, the Council is required to keep the property in the same condition as when acquired. No material expenditure is believed to be necessary to

meet this term.

Signature

Name

NR
CS

Neil Ralph	Chair
Colin Sills	Trustee

Wyre Scouts Executive Committee 2021 – 2022

Vice President

Muriel Freestone

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District Chair

Neil Ralph

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Jon Minshull

District Secretary

Margaret Forrest

District Treasurer

Vacant

District Youth Commissioner

Luke Thornton

District Explorer Scout Commissioner

Andrew Truelove

District Scout Network Commissioner

Gareth Bates

County Commissioner

Craig Dewar-Wilcox

County Chair

Richard Charnock

Elected members

Jan Townley

Len Wiseman – Chair of the Appointments Advisory Committee

Nicky Dennison – Chair of the 14-25 sub-committee

Colin Sills – Chair of the Finance and Fundraising sub-committee

Nominated members

Rosemary Dyson

Lauren Rigby

Alex Campbell

Co-opted members

David Simpson

Thank you

On behalf of the young people who benefit from Scouting in Wyre, a very big thank you to our dedicated team of volunteer Leaders across the district and in each of our Groups who give their time so freely to make Scouting happen in Wyre.

It is because of you that our young people gain so much.

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