



Walsall Scouts

JOTA-JOTI 2026

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Event Details

Location and Dates

The event will be hosted at Beaudesert Outdoor Activity Centre, Cannock Chase between October 16th and 18th, 2026. The event runs 24 hours on these three days across the world to allow for different time zones. We will wait to confirm exact times and programmes closer to the time however, we hope that we can run for 24 hours from the Saturday morning and through the night.

Costs

Currently, this event is still being finalised. Costs are still to be confirmed; however, we aim to keep costs as low as possible for all participants and these will be released as soon as possible depending on the number of interested participants and groups.

Participants

We are inviting the following sections to join the global conversation:

Day Visitors:

Beavers

Cubs

Full Weekend (Camping Option):

Scouts

Explorers

Network

As you can see, **Beavers** and **Cubs** will be day visitors. They will be allocated slots across the weekend closer to the time.

Each Group is required to be in ratio during the weekend as District Volunteers will not count – they will be supervising and running activities.

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What's Happening?

We are transforming Beaudesert into a global communications hub!

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Why Your Group Needs to be There

This isn't just a camp; it's a getaway to the world!

Your Young People and Adult Volunteers will develop digital citizen skills, build confidence speaking to strangers in a safe environment, and realise that they are part of a movement over 60 million members strong. It's the easiest way to tick off International, Digital, and Communication badge requirements in one weekend!

Provisional Activities

Radio Communications:

Use amateur radio to speak with Scouts in distant lands.

Global Chatrooms:

Secure, moderated text-based chat with international peers.

Live Video Calls:

Face-to-face sessions with Groups from different continents.

Workshops & Challenges:

Informational sessions around staying safe online, and media relations. Hands-on STEM and Scouting activities, and challenges.

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Expression of Interest

How can your Group/Unit get involved?

Space at Beaudesert is limited and demand will be high. Please let us know your provisional numbers so we can ensure every Young Person in Walsall has the chance to connect.

Complete the Expression of Interest Form below:



Further enquiries?

Please contact: spencer.watson@walsallscouts.org.uk

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