

Back into ACTION

Get back together

- Identify returning and new members, and promote Venture Scouts to eligible Scouts.
- Ensure all new members are registered before taking part in activities.
- Start the year with a fun team challenge to build on teamwork and engagement.
- Agree, sign, and display a Unit Code of Conduct covering behaviour, communication, and responsibilities.

Get your unit working

- Venture Scouts should lead and shape the Unit programme, with Scouters providing support and guidance.
- Form Venture Crews, appoint Crew Leaders, and mix skills and experience to create effective teams.
- Create a Crew identity through a name, logo, flag, motto, or other shared branding.
- Build teamwork through a practical Crew challenge and elect a Venture Executive with clear roles and responsibilities

Ideas

- Night Hike
- Kayak Trip
- Bake Off
- Geocaching Challenge
- Bouldering
- Survival Night
- Life Skills Night
- Summit Investiture
- Skit Night
- Bike Adventure
- Bivvy Night

Organised chaos
is still organised

Decide what you want to do

- Build your programme: Brainstorm ideas, vote on favourites, and pick a few activities plus one bigger goal.
- Develop yourself: Use your SPICE Wheel to choose one personal skill or challenge to work on.
- Plan a big challenge: Create and pitch ideas for a camp, expedition, event, or service project.
- Agree next steps: Leave with activities to start now, a bigger goal to work towards, and a personal development target.

Get out and do something

- Choose a simple activity for the Unit and set a date.
- Use Unit meetings to plan, practise skills and prepare equipment.
- Share tasks and responsibilities across the whole Unit.
- Check that plans, transport, money, equipment and information are all organised.
- Agree the plan with Scouters and make sure everyone knows their role.
- Take part in the activity and put your planning into action.

Review & plan what's next

- Reflect on the activity and identify key lessons learned.
- Review your own progress and set new goals using your SPICES Wheel.
- Plan future activities and try different roles and responsibilities.
- Prepare for your Investiture and make it a meaningful experience.



VENTURE SCOUTS

