Scouts

My name is Lewis Paterson from the 100th Elvetham Heath scout group, and I have been a scout for 8 years and enjoyed every single one of them.

Scouts, for me, is a great way of connecting with new people not just inside your local community but also from around the world. Personally, I would 100% recommend scouts because it is a great way of trying something new and gets you out of your comfort zone.

Another great thing that I have found out about scouting is that I have learnt about things, but I have also been able to put those new skills into practice throughout my life. During my time at scouts, I have experienced a lot of different challenges both easy and hard. My favourite thing about scouts is the camps I have been on because I get to do things like raft building, abseiling, rock climbing and, in the evenings, I have been able to sit around a campfire with all my friends and eat s'mores.

Overall, I would say that I have had a great time at scouts, and it has help me find things that I never knew I enjoyed. I have really enjoyed being a part of scouts, but if there is one thing that I am most excited about for my future in scouting is the overseas expedition to South Korea I am going to be a part of in 2023. Not many get this adventure so I am highly grateful that I have been given this opportunity, and I wouldn't have been able to do it without scouts.