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Durham University Scout and Guide Group

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

I am writing to invite your Explorer/ Ranger to compete in this year's Midnight Madness event. The event is an incident hike run by Durham University Scout and Guide Group for Explorer Scout and Ranger Guide units. This year it is going to be held on the night of Saturday 17th November 2018, starting and finishing at the Ryton Scout HQ.

The hike will be approximately 20km in length and there will be an equal emphasis on the hike and the various challenges along the way. We strongly suggest that teams practice navigating and map reading, ideally at night. Teams will be camping overnight at the Scout Hut and will be provided with a cooked breakfast in the morning. The winning team will be presented with a trophy at the award ceremony at 9:15am on the Sunday, and all participants will receive a commemorative badge. Teams should arrange to be picked up at 9:30am.

If you're interested in being part of a team then please ask your Explorer or Ranger leader for details. The final closing date for entries is 1st November, however due to limited space we recommend early booking.

If you require further information or have any questions please email us at liaisons.dusagg@gmail.com, visit our website at: www.dusagg.org.uk/midmad, or visit our Facebook page at: [@DurhamMidMad](https://www.facebook.com/DurhamMidMad).

We look forward to seeing you and your team in November!

Yours in Scouting and Guiding,
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