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SCOUTS JOIN FIREFIGHTERS IN CHARITY CAR WASH

Firefighters at Windsor fire station will be joined by sponge-wielding Scouts, from the Central Windsor Scout Group, on Saturday (16 February) for a fundraising car wash.

Station Manager Steve Wollen, based at Langley, is an Assistant Scout Leader with the group. He explained that the Scouts are hoping to raise funds towards the group's expedition to Slovenia in May.

"We will fly to Austria and then travel across the border to Tolmin in the Julian Alps, where we will be staying. While there, we will be meeting up with local scouts and are hoping to arrange an exchange visit with them. During our week in Tolmin, we will be taking part in a number of activities on the famous Soca River, such as white water rafting, kayaking, night canoeing, swimming and canyoning. We'll also be hiking in the mountains and biking around the area so it will be fun but a very challenging week for the Scouts.

"We are hoping that people will bring their cars along for a good wash and help the Scouts raise some money towards their expedition at the same time. The firefighters have been very supportive and they will be raising money for the Fire Service National Benevolent Fund, which does a fantastic job. We hope to see you there!"

The car wash will take place at the fire station in St Mark's Road, Windsor, between 10am and 4pm. The money raised will be shared between the Fire Service National Benevolent Fund and the Central Windsor Scout Group's Slovenia Expedition.

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