

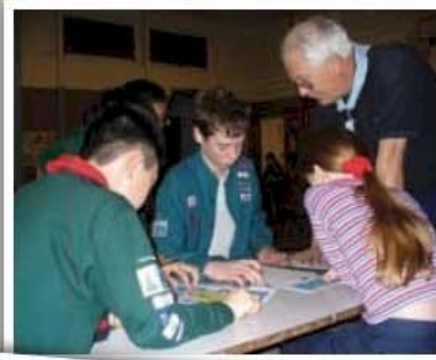
# The 100-day challenge

If your Troop is running short of ideas to celebrate the Centenary of Scouting, then your worries are over. **Elis Matthews** takes a deep breath as he unveils 100 challenges for Challenge 100

CHALLENGE 100

If any of your Patrols missed out on the first stage of Challenge 100, the 100-Minute Challenge, now is your chance to have a go at the second part – the 100-day challenge. Although your Patrols won't be eligible to enter the national competition, they can still have all the fun of taking part – and you could organise your own prizes for the winner(s). As you might have guessed, each of the challenges involves 100 of something!

1. Shoot 100 arrows/pellets in a competition
2. Cook and eat 100 baked beans with a cocktail stick
3. Score 100 baskets or nets in a game of basketball or netball
4. Do 100 continuous bat-to-balls in cricket
5. Make a ballista that will fire two bean bags a distance of 50 metres
6. Recycle 100 bottles, 100 cans and 100 newspapers
7. Bounce a ball 100 times continuously
8. Bake 100 buns and decorate them
9. Sew on 100 buttons
10. Wash 100 cars
11. Do French knitting with 100 centimetres of wool
12. Send a text message of exactly 100 characters (including spaces and punctuation)



13. Learn 100 dance steps and perform in public
14. Topple 100 dominoes
15. Serve 100 drinks to the public
16. Make 100 drop scones
17. Estimate 100 seconds without using any equipment
18. Push a 10-millimetre-diameter pea 10 metres with your nose in a race
19. Collect 100 food labels. How many are Fair Trade?
20. Raise at least £100 for a good cause
21. Do a Patrol good turn for 100 minutes or help 100 people
22. Shake 100 hands – tell the people that it's the 100th birthday of Scouting
23. Heritage: research an aspect of life 100 years ago
24. Give 100 hours community service
25. Spend 100 hours recording weather (can be split out collectively as a Patrol)
26. Collect (by visiting) 100 different house names, eg Rose Cottage
27. Record your top 100 jokes
28. Walk 100 kilometres
29. Play a Kim's Game with 100 items
30. Tie 10 different knots 10 times each
31. Complete 100 laps of a slot car race
32. Leapfrog 100 times
33. Produce a map of your locality to include 100 identified features
34. Run a 100-metre pancake race using dummy (or real) pancakes
35. Organise a 100-metre egg and spoon race for members of your local community
36. Climb 100 metres
37. Organise a 100-metre sprint race
38. Swim 100 metres
39. Abseil 100 metres
40. Cycle 100 miles
41. Using only spaghetti and marshmallows, pioneer a free-standing bridge 100 centimetres in length, which will support a weight of 100 grams at its centre
42. Spend 100 minutes in a place of worship
43. Conduct or receive a guided tour of 100 minutes inside local places of worship (of at least two different religions)

