



# Bulletin 10

Occasional news and snippets for participants, leaders, and supporters of Malawi 2024

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## Best wishes for 2024!

For a long time we have been saying Malawi 2024 is 'next year'. Now it's 'this year' and only six months away! The coming months will be key to making sure we are all ready to get the most out of this special adventure.

## An insight to volunteering with Joshua in Malawi



We have come across a video made by a group of volunteers that worked alongside 'Joshua in Malawi'. The video is well worth a watch because it gives a good insight to the experience to be enjoyed by Berkshire Scouts in 2024. [Click here to view the video.](#)

## Do you have an action plan?

With just a few months to go before we depart for Malawi, it's a good idea to have a plan and/or action list to avoid any last-minute panic! Some things to consider:

### Passport

Leave plenty of time to apply or update your passport. Remember, the passport 'must have an expiry date at least six months after the day you arrive in Malawi'.

### Visa

We've been informed there may be changes to the visa arrangement. It's possible to get an e-Visa (online) much nearer the departure date and so this action can wait for a while!

### Vaccinations and antimalarials

It's best to have a vaccination schedule in place soon. You will be aware we can't offer specific advice and so please make contact with your GP surgery or travel clinic. Some general information was given at the [November Parent/Participant Webinar](#) (view the recording at 40:40 minutes).

## Some key dates!

Next stage payment £600: **31 January.**

The next **Participant/Parent Webinar** takes place on **Monday 26 February.** Details to follow.

Next training weekend: **22–24 March** ([Earlywood Scout Campsite](#)).

JustGiving link (fundraising for central projects): [www.justgiving.com/campaign/projectafrica2024](http://www.justgiving.com/campaign/projectafrica2024)



### Useful links

[Online Shop](#)

[Malawi 2024 web page](#)

[Malawi 2024 Facebook page \(public\)](#)

[Malawi 2024 Facebook page \(group\)](#)

[Project Africa Facebook page](#)

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