



England Project Newsletter

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Welcome

Welcome to the (very late) October issue of the England Project newsletter. For those of you who have just returned from holidaying near Pluto, you have missed the epic 2018 Source-a-thon!

Source-a-Thon 2018

Yes, if you didn't know, the annual SAT took place of the long weekend of Friday, 28th September to Monday, 1st October, resulting 438 individuals adding one or more source to 72,713 profiles on the Tree. An amazing achievement.

The England project played its part in the SAT, with three teams participating in the event.

Team 1, the [Sandringham Strollers](#), led by [Janet Wild](#) and [Gillian Thomas](#), focused on quality over quantity and added sources to 1,275 profiles.

Team 2, [Team GB Gen](#), led by [Ros Haywood](#), managed to add sources to an amazing 3,997 profiles.

Team 3, [Windsor Warriors](#), led by [Susie MacLeod](#) and [Wendy Sullivan](#) provided sources for a whopping 9,455 profiles, narrowly coming in second behind perennial winners, the Yellow Roses.

Windsor Warriors Team member [Fran "the sourcing machine" Weidman](#) was top sourcerer for the whole event, sourcing 2,600 profiles on her own. Awesome Fran.

Ultimately though, everyone benefits from a cleaner, more robust tree, even those who didn't take part in the Source-a-thon. If you didn't take part this time, there's always next year!

If you can't wait till then, you can always join the weekend sourcing sprints, or the sorcerer's monthly challenge. Check out the G2G forum for further information.

Other News

So October is the time for back to school, summer is over, back to business. In next month's newsletter (not long now) we will outline some changes to the project, as we come to the first year anniversary of the regeneration of the England project.