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Scouts to hijack Chorley Local Radio

Following the success of the Scouts' very own radio station, Waddecar FM on their Red Rose 2004 International Scout & Guide Jamboree this summer at Waddecar Scout Camp, they are now about to take over their own local station for an hour.

Chorley Local Radio currently broadcasting on 87.9 MHz FM from the Tesco Extra Car Park in Chorley have invited the Scouts to run their own hour during the drive time show on Thursday 14th October between 6pm and 7pm

As well as the Scouts broadcasting, other Scouts will also be on hand outside the studio to answer questions & update the local public on what Scouting can offer young people and adults of the 21st Century.

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Editor's Notes:

- Scouting is the largest co-educational youth movement in the UK with a total of 476,992 members (March 2002 figures)
- Worldwide, there are well over 28 million members in over 216 Countries. Two thirds of the membership lives in developing Countries.
- The Aim of the Association is "To promote the development of young people in achieving their full physical, intellectual, social and spiritual potential as individuals, as responsible citizens and as members of their local, national and international communities.
- Scouting in West Lancashire has a membership of just under 10,000 members in the following 8 Districts: Chorley, Blackpool, Preston, Ormskirk, South Ribble, Fylde, Wyre and Lonsdale.

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