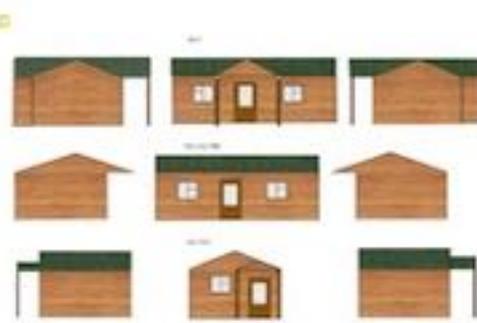


TRAC is in the early design and planning stage to add 8 Lodges to double our accommodation capacity by adding 46 additional bed spaces. 3 will be 4 beds, 5 will be 8 beds, each lodge would have toilet facilities, heating, and locker space. The frames could possibly be built off-site and our TRAC volunteers would prepare the foundations and complete the installation, the estimated cost is around £6k each. This is an exciting new project for TRAC and we'd appreciate your prayers as this project moves forward with the Planning Application.



Winter 2019

A Quarterly Insight of what's happening at the Centre

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Tom Roberts Adventure Centre would appreciate your prayers for:

- **Blessing for visiting churches and groups**
- **Safety for volunteers**
- **School residential trips go smoothly**
- **More volunteers (including gardening/housekeeping)**
- **Energy, strength, wisdom**
- **Evangelism/outreach**

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TRAC Winter Newsletter 2019

Another year for the Tom Roberts Adventure Centre. 2018 was one of our best years for guests and the forecast for 2019 is even better, thanks to the hard work of our new Manager Sarah who is really putting the Centre on the map!



From our Centre Manager, Sarah.

Time has flown since the last newsletter and we have continued to welcome a wide variety of groups throughout the Autumn and Winter period. The Christmas holidays were very lively here with large groups of family and friends celebrating.

Christianity and our love for Jesus is the core of who we are and we have Bibles in all the bedrooms, as well as evangelistic tracts.

We are receiving lots more enquiries from schools for activity days and residential trips. These times are very busy for us and we appreciate prayer support and extra pairs of hands for washing up, being part of a team monitoring lake safety, etc. If you know of anyone who would be willing to lend a hand at these times, we would be most grateful.

We are supporting local charities, TLG (Transforming Lives for Good) a Christian charity which supports families and the Aston Project which is run by local Police Officers who support vulnerable young people. The young people earn credits through volunteering at local organisations and then they choose how they will spend their credits. **Sarah Burtwell.**



The NEW Toilet & Shower Block

Our volunteers started work on 1st May 2018 and now the new toilet and shower block has its walls, roof and work is continuing inside with wiring and the plasterboard going up. The new block will have disabled access from the Sports Barn, heating and will replace our old facility. We're very grateful to The Clive & Sylvia Richards Charity who gave us a donation of £10,000 last year so that we could begin building the new block.



Tom Roberts Adventure Centre was pleased to welcome staff from Nandos Cheltenham for a 'Team building Day' recently. They enjoyed a full day Pedal kart racing, our activity course. Shelter building, Archery, Raft building and racing against each other in teams in our paddle boats.

