

## Forestry Commission England

The Federation of Children's Book groups are delighted that Forestry Commission England are joining us in celebrating National Share a Story Month in May 2016 by encouraging the Federation Book Groups, Schools, Libraries and anyone who is interested, to share stories in unusual places.

What could be more unusual than reading stories in the depths of a forest, along the Stick Man trail or sharing a story with a Gruffalo sculpture? There is also the opportunity for camping, exploring sculpture trails, enjoying music gigs, cycling, horse riding...there is so much going on! Forestry Commission England would be pleased to welcome groups or individuals for NSSM and suggest you contact your nearest location for more details <a href="http://www.forestry.gov.uk/visit">http://www.forestry.gov.uk/visit</a>.

Look on their website for activity sheets, art and craft ideas, lesson plans, in fact everything you would need for a fun and lively event.

If you send some photos and a short report of your visit to a Forestry Commission site to NSSM (<a href="mailto:nssm@fcbg.co.uk">nssm@fcbg.co.uk</a>) then you will be entered into a prize draw to win a Stick Man goody Bag!



Have fun!