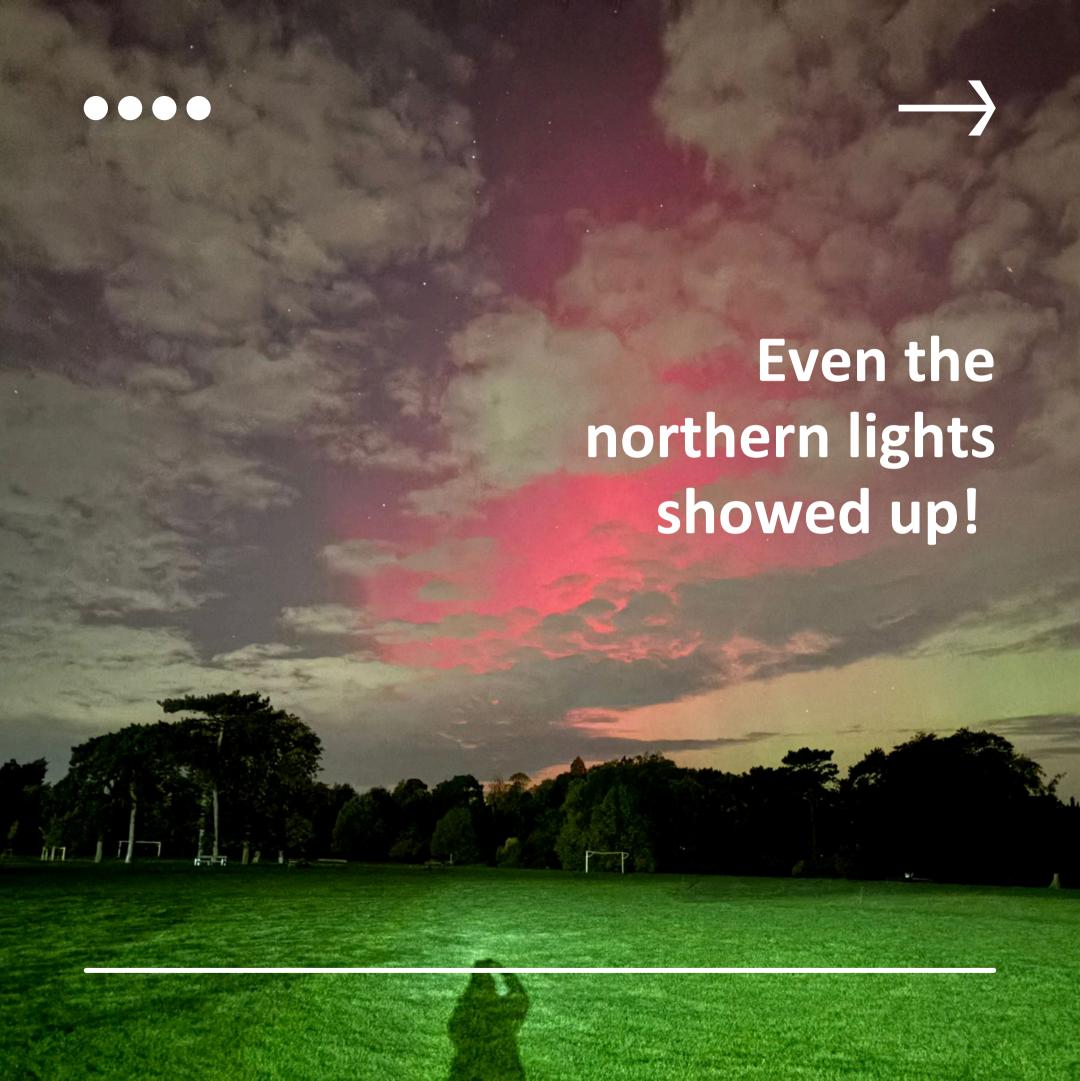


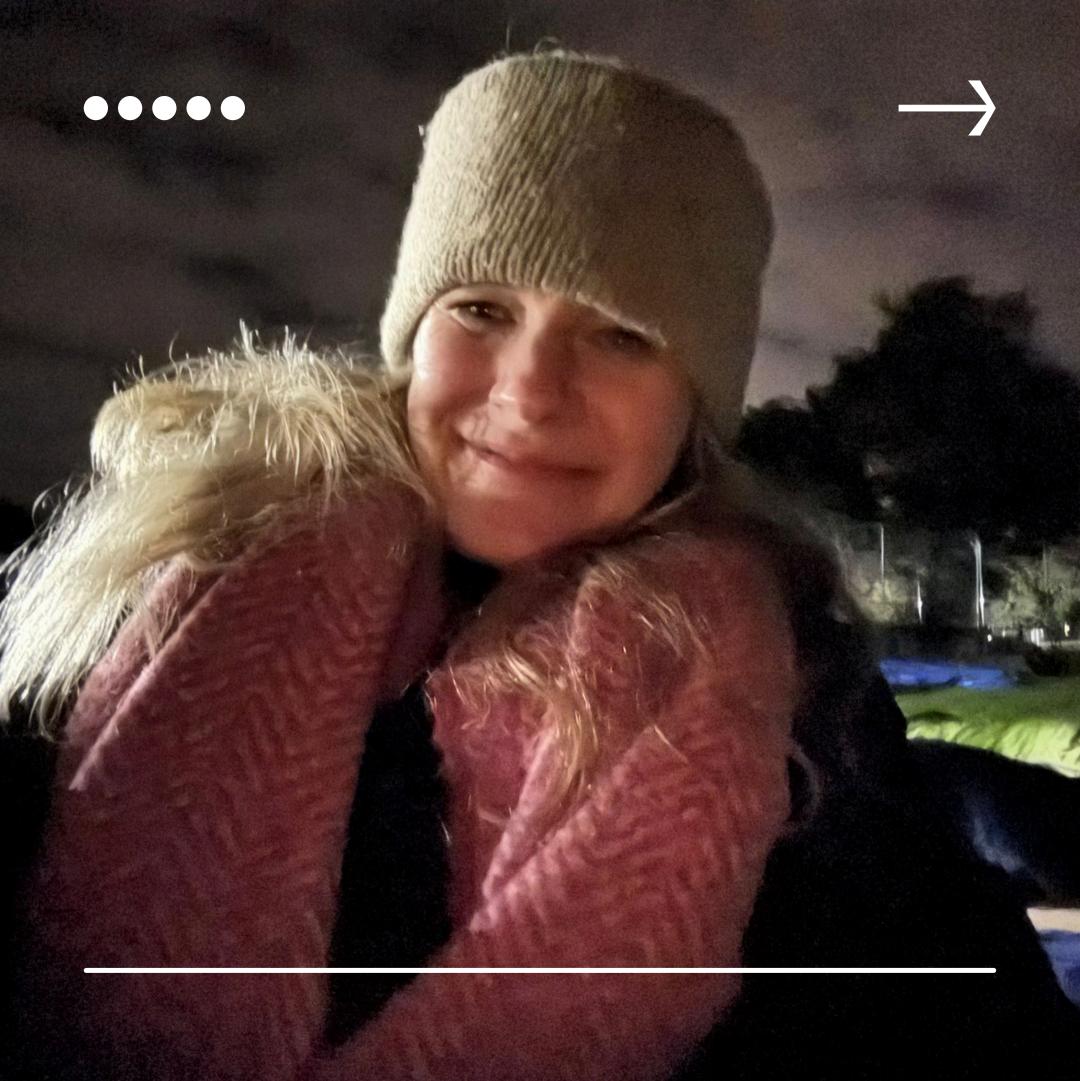
"We're not a civilised society if people are dying on our streets" was the reminder Oxford's mayor gave us to kick off the evening.

I was lucky to be able to experience sleeping rough in Oxford on Thursday night as part of the CEO Sleepout.









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We might have woken up with frost on us but it wasn't hard for us. We got to go home to a kettle and a hot shower.

With 2024 figures escalating to 350,000 people without a home, the situation isn't getting better.



I drove back down the A34 the next morning with a happy heart from meeting so many local people who are doing endless good.

