



**Scouts Australia**  
**22nd New Zealand Jamboree**  
**Mystery Creek, Hamilton**  
**28 December 2019 to 7 January 2020**  
**Pre-Jamboree Shakedown - Auckland**  
**(26 to 28 December 2019)**  
**Post-Jamboree Tour 7-14 January 2020**  
**Australian Contingent Information Sheet**



## **ELIGIBILITY**

### **ELIGIBILITY TO ATTEND AS A SCOUT**

- Be a registered Scout with Scouts Australia
- Have completed the Pioneer level badge or Milestone 1 and OAS Stage 3 in the new award scheme
- Have camped ten (10) nights under canvas as a Scout with three (3) of those nights being consecutive
- Have approval from their Scout Leader/Group Leader (or leader in charge)
- Have written consent from parents/guardians
- Have approval from the Australian Contingent Leader
- Have not had their 15th birthday before 26 December 2019

### **ELIGIBILITY TO ATTEND AS A VENTURER SCOUT**

- Be registered as a Venturer Scout with Scouts Australia
- Be a minimum of 16 years of age and have not had their 18th birthday by 7 January 2020
- Have completed the Venturing Skills Award or Milestone 1 and OAS Stage 4 in the new award scheme
- Have a desire to provide service to Scouts
- Be recommended by their Venturer Leader as being of excellent character, a good role model to Scouts and has the skills and abilities to undertake the activity (or other tasks) nominated on the application form
- Have written consent from parents/guardian
- Have approval from the Australian Contingent Leader

### **ELIGIBILITY TO ATTEND AS A ROVER SCOUT**

- Be registered as a Rover Scout with Scouts Australia
- Be recommended by their Crew Leader as being of excellent character, a good role model to Scouts and have the skills and abilities to undertake the activity (or other tasks) nominated on the application form
- Have approval from the Australian Contingent Leader
- Have complied with their home Branch Membership requirements
- Hold a valid working with children/vulnerable people registration issued within their state/territory
- Completion of the Scouts Australia e-Learning Modules on Child Safe and Workplace Health and Safety

### **ELIGIBILITY TO ATTEND AS AN ADULT LEADER OR OTHER ADULT**

- Hold a Certificate of Adult Leadership
- Be recommended by their Group Leader (or leader in charge)
- Have approval from the Australian Contingent Leader
- Hold a valid working with children/vulnerable people registration issued within their state/territory
- Completion of the Scouts Australia e-Learning Modules on Child Safe and Workplace Health and Safety

Other Adults who:

- Are registered members of Scouts Australia (e.g. Office Holders, Fellowship)
- Hold a valid working with children/vulnerable people registrations issued within their state/territory
- Be recommended by their line manager
- Have approval from the Australian Contingent Leader
- Completion of the Scouts Australia e-Learning Modules on Child Safe and Workplace Health and Safety

All participants must be members of the Australian Contingent, pay the Contingent Fee, and complete a Participant Application. All applicants must be recommended by their Group Leader and/or responsible line manager as suitable members of the Contingent.

All applicants are reminded that their membership of the Australian Contingent is a privilege, not a right, and that behaviour standards will be monitored over the period from point of application acceptance to and including participation in the Jamboree and if relevant, the post-jamboree tour to ascertain and maintain attendance eligibility. If accepted rules of behaviour for membership of the contingent are not adhered to the participant will be sent home at their own expense.

General Jamboree information is available by accessing the Australian Contingent Website at: <http://22nzj.scouts.com.au/>

A New Zealand Jamboree is a wonderful experience. Thank you for considering an application.

### **JAMBOREE ROLES (Rovers, Leaders and Other Adults)**

Jamboree roles will be allocated by the Australian Contingent Leader in consultation with the 22nd New Zealand Scout Jamboree organising committee according to the requirements and needs of that committee and the Contingent. Your preferences and skills will be considered in making this application however we may not be able to give you your preference and preference to camp with Scouts in troop lines will be given to eligible Scout section leaders. We seek your cooperation in accepting your role when allocated to ensure a successful and enjoyable Jamboree experience.

Alan Murray

Australian Contingent Leader

## APPLICATIONS OPEN EARLY DECEMBER 2018 AND CLOSE 28 FEBRUARY 2019

### How to Apply

Please complete all sections of the Participant Application via the online applications system (when it becomes available), submit online and print the application. (Follow the link via Australian Contingent Website <http://22nzj.scouts.com.au/>).

Ensure that parent(s) or guardian(s) sign all relevant sections (Rovers and Leaders sign for themselves)

Obtain the required approval signatures as follows:

Scouts	Scout Leader and Group Leader
Venturer Scouts	Venturer Leader and Group Leader
Rover Scouts and Adults	Group Leader or appropriate Commissioner

Applicant membership records will be checked by the Scouts Australia National Office with each State/Territory Branch.

Forward the Participant Application Form (except this page) together with:

- The completed Supplementary Information Form including payment details
- The Deposit of (see below).

Once all signatures are obtained, all forms must be scanned onto the participant's application as soon as possible but by no later than by 30 June 2019. The forms are to be held by the applicant. Note: adequate time should be allowed to obtain the required signatures.

### Travel to and from New Zealand

The Australian Contingent will be travelling to and from New Zealand by air. All participants must utilise the Contingent airfare arrangements. It is expected that all Contingent members will travel to and from New Zealand with the Contingent. However, for those requesting to travel independently, please notify your request at the time of applying. Independent travellers can only choose to travel both ways independently, one way independent travel is not permissible. All Contingent members **must** attend the Shakedown Activity in Auckland from 26 to 28 December 2019.

### Passports

All participants must be in possession of a Passport valid for travel to New Zealand. It is the participant's responsibility to ensure that they are in possession of travel documents valid for travel to New Zealand. The Contingent takes no responsibility should travel be denied due to insufficient travel documents. For Australian Passport holders there is no requirement for the passport to have 6 months validity. Participants are required to upload the covering page of their passport to the online applications system by 15 October 2019. The cost of the passport is at participant's expense.

### Travel Insurance

In accordance with existing Scouts Australia policy all members of the Contingent are required to be covered by the Associations travel insurance. The cost for this insurance is included in the Jamboree Contingent fee.

### Contingent Fee Inclusions

The Australian Contingent Fee includes all meals, accommodation, activities, Contingent merchandise, transfers and return flights from Adelaide\*, Brisbane, Darwin\*, Hobart\*, Melbourne, Perth\* and Sydney. The total cost is **\$3,000** for Scouts and **\$2,350** for all other Contingent Members including Venturer Scouts, Rover Scouts, Adult Leaders and Other Adults. The discount for independent travellers is \$800.

Departure cities with an \* include a domestic connection to an international departure point. Additional travel costs may be incurred for travel from other destinations to connect with an advertised departure airport (for example Broome or Townsville). Some participants may be required to fly on Christmas Day 2019.

An optional Post-Jamboree Tour is available at an additional cost. All Post-Jamboree Tour fees are additional to the Australian Contingent Fee.

### Payments

		<u>Australian Contingent Fee (Scouts)</u>	<u>(Others)</u>	<u>Post Jamboree Tour</u>
1st Payment	Due by 28 February 2019	\$500	\$500	\$300
2nd Payment	Due by 31 May 2019	\$1,000	\$800	\$400
3rd Payment	Due by 31 August 2019	\$1,000	\$800	\$290
Final Payment	Due by 31 October 2019	\$500	\$250	\$290
TOTAL		\$3,000	\$2,350	\$1280

### Withdrawal Policy

If after making an application you are unable to attend the Jamboree, you must advise the Australian Contingent Leader in writing as soon as possible.

<u>Notification Date</u>	<u>Refund</u>	<u>Refund (Post-Jamboree Tour)</u>
On or before 31 May 2019	Amount paid less \$300	Amount paid less \$200
1 June to 30 October 2019	Amount paid less \$1,200	Amount paid less \$400
After 30 October 2019	No Refund	No Refund

### Contingent News and Website

Applicants will receive updates from time of application, to, during and after the event and for further information can visit the Australian Contingent Website at <http://22nzj.scouts.com.au/> or contact the Australian Contingent Leader at [nzj2020@scouts.com.au](mailto:nzj2020@scouts.com.au)

### Medical Obligations

SHOULD YOUR MEDICAL CONDITION CHANGE FROM THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THE MEDICAL STATEMENT IN ANY WAY PRIOR TO DEPARTURE IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO INFORM THE AUSTRALIAN CONTINGENT MANAGEMENT TEAM OF THE CHANGE IN WRITING IMMEDIATELY.