

QUEENSLAND

# ENCOUNTERPASS

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Scouts enjoy Mud sliding at Triple SSS 2011, BP Park, Samford

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# News & Events

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### July

- 01-09 Brisbane Gang Show
- 17 Youth Activities—Bike Bungle
- 30 World Scout Day Function

### August

- 01 World Scout Day
- 06 Joey Scout Jaunt
- 13-14 Operation Nighthawk
- 20-21 Youth Activities Camp
- 26 Stone Age Rumble
- 28 Awards Ceremony

### September

- 3-4 Scoutout
- 3 Skillorama
- 9-11 BRAVSLAC
- 9-11 Cub Scout Expo
- 9-10 Darling Downs Scout Revue
- 9-11 Region Commissioners Professional Development Conference
- 17-23 Agoonoree
- 19-30 Holiday Adventure Camp (BP Park)
- 19-30 Holiday Adventure Camp (Karingal)

### October

- 8-9 Youth Activities Camp
- 15-16 Cunningham Capers
- 15-16 JOTA/JOTI
- 23 Waingunga Day

### November

- 4-6 Brisbane North Region Patrol Leader Adventure
- 4-6 QBRE Mid Term Conference
- 19-20 Youth Activities Camp

### December

- 2-4 Noosa Venture
- 03 Branch Team end of year function
- 12-20 Holiday Adventure Camp (BP Park)
- 12-20 Holiday Adventure Camp (Karingal)
- 22 QLD Scout Centre Closes

## LOGAN DISTRICT LEADERS GET TOGETHER TO SHARE THEIR TALENT

Logan District leaders enjoyed our latest District Leaders camp at Robs Kitchen, Karingal campsite 4th & 5th June . The weather was excellent and so was the Scouting Spirit. It reflected how well the District is progressing at the moment with growing Groups and good programming.

We spent the weekend getting to know each other and passing on many years of experience to the new leaders of the District. The theme of the weekend was fellowship, friendship and most importantly teamwork. The leaders were split up into 3 Patrols with each leader having a turn on being the patrol leader.



Our ADC Peter Cross and Jay Marsden Scout Leader (District Scout Leader) showed us the technical side of not only making a merry-go-round but how much fun they are (BIG JOEYS) . They also instructed us on the latest knots and lashings.

Chrystelle (Shailer Park Venturer Leader) gave us some very real looking wounds and a wonderful talk on first aid and the importance of C4 forms. All the while Steve also Shailer Park Venture cooking us a roast and showing us all, three different ways to cook on a fire...YUM!!!



The District awoke the next morning to a hot breakfast, then off to the flying fox.. Who said scouting just for kids.

We have an excellent District we're all looking forward to the 2012 Logan district Leaders Camp.

## ALGESTER CUB SCOUTS VISIT THE FIRE STATION

On Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June Algester Cubs visited Annerley Fire Station. What a great evening we had! The cubs had a wonderful time and were able to see a fire engine and vast amounts of equipment in it, the exercise tower and also cutting machinery being used to cut up a car.



Other highlights were seeing the water hoses, being able to try on the oxygen tanks (pew they were very heavy!) and looking through the thermal camera. All the Fire Officers made an enormous effort to help and answer the numerous questions the cubs had. At the end of the evening Fireman Joe gave the Cubs treasures to take home with them of pencils, balloons, cardboard fire engines, stickers and books. The Annerley Fire Officers made the visit a very special one which the Cubs will remember for a long time.

## KIRWAN SCOUT GROUP CELEBRATE LINK



A great night was had by all when Cub Scouts Monica Anderson, Jake Muhling, Thomas Jeeves and Jack Ford progressed to scouts.

To celebrate, the Kirwan Scout Group invited all scouts and their Families to a Campfire and supper. It was a huge success.

# News & Events

## WOOMBYE SCOUT GROUP CLEAN UP

Woombye Scout Group, led by DC Pam Budge, recently participated in River Sweep on the Maroochy River.

The volunteers removed litter and debris from along the river banks that would be harmful to the environment.

The small team managed to collect a wheelie bin full of rubbish while enjoying an early morning canoe paddle in perfect weather conditions. Dunethin Rock campsite donated the use of the canoes.

The completion of the Maroochy River Trail and pontoon lets water enthusiasts launch their water craft without getting their feet wet.



## BRISBANE SOUTH REGION INVADE RATHDOWNNEY

Over 200 youth members and their families descended on Rathdowney for the Region Family Camp on the 11th June to the 13th. Over the three days we had every type of weather -warm, cold, windy and raining. This did not lessen the enthusiasm for the weekend. When given the choice on the wet Sunday morning to leave everyone waited for the sun to come out and stayed.

The centre ring was the focal point for all the activities with Scout Olympics, "3 minute Base" on the Saturday. That night Campfire was attended by every one and I am sure some new songs were learnt by little Joeys and their parents. Sunday saw Kerry and the Branch Activity Team do their "Stuff" with orders for screen printing to be followed up later. Ian Lightbody went astronomical in the afternoon with the youth designing and launching water rockets. That night Ian set up his telescopes and we all saw Titan, The Moon and Saturn at close range.

On Sunday Paul Rogerson had set up a Treasure Hunt/Wide Game. The clues were in code and quite cryptic. It was spread over all of Rathdowney. The overall winners were Tennyson Group, but the best answer to the question who climbed Mt Barney with Cpt. Logan was Pat Malone. (Capt Logan climbed Mt. Barney by himself)

Answer to the question, "What did you think of the camp?" - **awesome. can we do it again next year.** The people of Rathdowney want to know when we are coming back.



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## Joey Scout Jaunt

*'We are the Future - start making a difference now'*

**When:** 6 August 2011 - 10.00am - 2.00pm to be followed by a campfire at 2.30pm

**Where:** Baden Powell Park, Cash Ave, Samford

**What:** Branch Joey Scout Activity

**Who can attend:** Joey Scouts, Leaders, Parents, Siblings/friends

**How much:** Joey Scouts - \$8.00 (including badge)  
Other children - \$8.00 (including badge)  
Adults - \$3.00 - badges available for purchase  
3yrs & under - free

**What do you need to do?** : Bring an activity to share and parents or extra leaders to assist with running the activity. JSL should take Joey Scouts around and take note of ideas for future programming.

**Lunch:** There will be an hour break for lunch. Bring your own for a picnic or buy from the Rover Sausage Sizzle - sausages, drinks, poppers

Face painting, Craft	Games	Puzzles	Singing / music	climbing wall
Outdoor activities	Youth Activities Team	Heritage	Environment	
Water activities	Cub Scout Pancakes	Venturer Sausage Sizzle		



## Cub Scout Leaders EXPO *Beach Safari*

**9 - 11 September 2011**

Friday from 7.30pm - Sunday 2.00pm  
Burleigh Heads Den, Stephens St, Burleigh Heads

\$70 - early bird registration by 19 August  
\$75 - registrations received after 19 August

This is a training weekend for Cub Scout Leaders Experienced as well as new Leaders can benefit from the hands-on activity bases so join in Beach Safari!

*Beach sports and a visit to the world's beaches  
Luau activities and cooking  
Cuboree 2012 and AJ2013 Info  
Mythbusting Cub Scouting and more....*

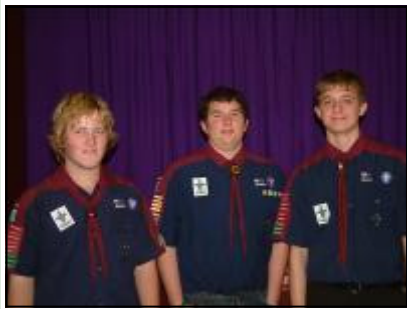
Applications will be available via  
[www.scoutsqld.com.au](http://www.scoutsqld.com.au)



# News & Events

## GREAT ACHIEVEMENTS BEING REACHED AT BANKSIA SCOUT GROUP

Three Venturer Scouts from Banksia Scout Group were recently presented with their Queens Scout Award and in the same week a Cub Scout was presented with his Grey Wolf Award.



Family members proudly took part in the ceremony to present the youth members with their badges, and their leaders spoke highly of each recipient.



## 1<sup>ST</sup> GREY WOLF FOR CAMBOOYA SCOUT GROUP

Congratulations to Cambooya Cub Scout Benjamin Frost who recently completed all of the necessary tasks to earn The Grey Wolf. This is the first Grey Wolf award that Cambooya Cubs has ever achieved in its 15 years of Scouting.

Benjamin's grandmother flew up from Sydney for the presentation.

Assistant Regional Commissioner for Cubs on the Darling Downs Peter Thompson presented the award on behalf of Branch Commissioner for Cubs Robin Devine.

Benjamin has now progressed to the Scout Section of Cambooya.



The photo shows Ben cutting the cake, and the other photo shows Bens Grandmother Heather Frost, Barry Keleher – Acting Regional Commissioner DD Region; Jenelle Twyford - Group Leader Cambooya Scout Group; Peter Thompson, Assistant Regional Commissioner Cub Scouts DD Region; Benjamin Frost; Peter Twyford, Assistant Regional Commissioner Scouts DD Region; Michael Brown Assistant Regional Commissioner DD Region; Stephen Frost Scout Leader Cambooya Group and Cr Carol Taylor Toowoomba Regional Council.



## COOROY SCOUT GROUP GREAT ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations to James Hardcastle and Brendan Williams on earning their Scout Medallions! This is an achievement that Cooroy Scout Group has not seen since 2004 when our last scout medallion was presented.



We can all be very proud of these two scouts and I'm sure anyone who has spent time with them would agree. They have made a huge effort in the scout section to achieve to the highest level they could achieve and are very deserving of this award..

Their final achievement in the scout section on the path to the scout medallion was a hike from Baroon Pocket dam to Gheerulla near Kenilworth over 4 days. They certainly met the challenge and ensured that the rest of their patrol did too in spite of appalling weather and challenging conditions. It was a great achievement to finish off their final year in the scout section.

Cooroy Scout Group celebrated the achievement with a special parade, games, a giant cake and lots of delicious supper prepared by the parents.

The parade was attended by our District Commissioner Pam Budge who was our guest speaker. James and Brendan have now gone up to the Venturer Scout section and are already planning many new adventures.

## ASPLEY SCOUT GROUPS DOUBLE SUCCESS

On the 27<sup>th</sup> May 2011, The Aspley Scout Group celebrated the achievements of 2 of their Venturer Scouts. Congratulations to Samantha Kingston and Kendell Clift on achieving their Queens Scout Awards.



The girls first met when they were only 6 years old as Brownies with Aspley Guides and during their time in Guides they both achieved their Junior BP and BP Awards.

They started in Aspley Venturers in March 2008 and were invested on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June'08 at the Toowong Ceremony. During their time in Venturers they encouraged each other to complete the badgework and worked together on their canoe expedition on the Noosa River. It has been 8 years since any Venturer at Aspley or in the Bramble Bay District has achieved their QSA. Samantha and Kendell hope their achievement will encourage others in the District to continue their badge work to complete their Queens Scout Award.

## Deadline for the next issue

The next deadline for articles is

**29th July 2011**

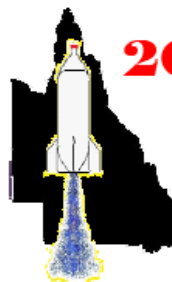
Submit your articles to [encompass@scoutsqld.com.au](mailto:encompass@scoutsqld.com.au)



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## QUEENSLAND WATER ROCKET COMPETITION - SUNDAY 14 AUGUST

Your Scout Group is invited to the first ever Queensland Water Rocket Competition. Students from Year 3 to 12, parents, teachers and the general public may take part. During the day participants will learn how to make a water rocket out of soft drink bottles and other bits and pieces, test their own rockets and then take part in an accuracy (target) and distance competition. No prior knowledge of water rockets is required. There is also a world record mass launch planned. Come and join in the fun as part of National Science Week!



## 2011 Queensland Water Rocket Competition

Sunday 14 August

Venue: St John's Anglican College, College Avenue, Forest Lake

Times: 10am - 2pm

Date: Sunday 14 August

Cost: \$5 entry fee

Optional: \$20 t-shirt plus \$5 for world record

Website: <http://www.wix.com/naomiiian/queensland-water-rockets>

Contact: [ilightbody@sjac.qld.edu.au](mailto:ilightbody@sjac.qld.edu.au)

## CUB SCOUTS INVADE TRIPLE SSS CAMP

Cub Scouts from Wahminda Park, Albany Creek, North Ipswich, Wynnum and Cleveland attended the very first CCC (Cubs Can Come) at SSS this weekend.



Thanks to Wolf (Branch Commissioner Scouts - Steve Marshall) and his team for inviting the Cub Scouts that will be linking in the next 12 months to see a bit more about what Scouting had in store for them. The Patrol Leaders from their Groups were encouraged to extend the invitation and the Cub Scouts had lunch with their home Patrol.



This creates stronger bonds and encourages successful linking, but don't tell the Cub Scouts – they just were there to have a great time as the photos from Sallie Fletcher and Brad Fields show.

Thanks to Alan Fleming as well for the support of the day but did not expect to see you inside the wheelchair. Bring on CCC in 2012!



## The Magical Mystery Tour cuboree 2012



23 - 27 JUNE 2012

*Rockhampton*

Join the Magical Mystery Bus and take the ride to Seonee Park, Rockhampton

Come visit Camelot, Utopia, Blackbeard, Sherwood the fun onsite and offsite activities

Don't be late make sure your applications get in as the application process will close on 2 Dec 2011

Join the Cuboree Facebook page!

Applications now online

<http://cuboree.scoutsqld.com.au>



# Chief Commissioner

Maurice J Law, AM  
Chief Commissioner of Queensland



We were very pleased on Friday 1 July to welcome Mr Luc Panissod, Secretary-General of the World Scout Organisation, to Scouting in Queensland. Luc attended a function at the Branch Headquarters on Friday night to give him the opportunity to meet the Branch Executive and the Branch Commissioners team and following that function, attended the opening performance of Brisbane Gang Show.

This was the first Gang Show that Luc had ever seen and was absolutely delighted with the performance that he saw. Luc was particularly impressed with the educational and training background of the Gang Show when he became aware that, not only was it members of Scouting and Guiding on stage, but it was also members of the Movement who did the lighting, the sound, the backstage, the costumes and the front house.

On Saturday morning Luc journeyed with me to Triple S at Baden-Powell Park where he was delighted to see so many young people in camp and enjoyed being showed around the camp and activities by Branch Commissioner Steve Marshall.

We also had the opportunity to show Luc around the Baden-Powell Park site and he commented about how lucky we are to have such a fantastic site and excellent training facilities for our leaders and young people.

Luc spent Saturday evening with long time friend Deputy Chief Commissioner Kirsty Brown and her family which was followed by a couple of days rest and relaxation before he headed back to Geneva and the World Scout Bureau.

With regard to the restoration of the Queensland Scout Centre, I am now pleased to advise that we are very close to being able to sign the contract to get this restoration work done.

I understand that the restoration work will take 8 to 10 weeks and all the staff at Branch Headquarters are looking forward to moving back into the building and being able to provide a better level of support to Scouting within the Queensland Branch.

On behalf of the Staff at Branch Headquarters, can I say a very sincere thank you for your patience and your understanding. Since the January 2011 flood, the Staff have been working under less than desirable working conditions and have been trying exceptionally hard to cater for the needs of the Movement.

We continue to work with our insurance assessor in relation to restoration of the other Scout buildings which were affected by the floods and also by Cyclone Yasi and I am very hopeful that we will be in a position to start the restoration work on these buildings in the not too distant future.

Over the last few months I have spoken about the changes to the requirements in relation to Formations becoming chartered. The new chartering requirements were released at the recent Branch, Region, District Seminar held in Brisbane and I am now pleased to advise that these requirements form part of the content in the

members only section of the Branch website.

In launching the revamp of the chartering process, I stated very clearly that it is now the expectation that every Formation within the Queensland become chartered.

Can I suggest that in preparation for the interviews which will take place during October that you may like to visit the website and have a look at these requirements and start looking towards the attainment of the goals within chartering so the Formation to which you belong is a chartered Formation.

There is nothing within the chartering requirements which is over and above what should normally be expected to be provided by a Formation within the Queensland Branch.

Until next month I wish you good Scouting,



Vice President John Pearn, Deputy Chief Commissioner (Training) Jean Clifford, Branch Commissioner (Cub Scouts) Robyn Devine, Chief Commissioner Maurice J Law, AM, Secretary General Luc Panissod, Deputy Chief Commissioner (Development) Kirsty Brown, Region Commissioner Irma Howell



The Scout Supply Centre is now open at 32 Dixon Street, Auchenflower., for the hours of Monday-Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm.

Saturday Trading has commenced and the Supply Centre is now open on Saturdays from 9.00am-3.00pm

To place an order for the Scout Supply Centre you can email [sales@scoutsupply.com.au](mailto:sales@scoutsupply.com.au) or alternatively you can call (07) 3721 5724.





## HANDPRINT SNOWFLAKE PAINTING

Here's an idea for some messy fun to while away a long winter afternoon!

### You will need:

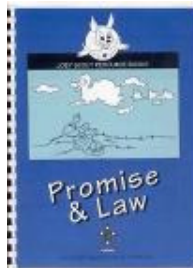
Construction paper  
White paint



### Instructions:

Paint 6 handprints in a circle but not overlapping. Make whatever shape you like with your fingers but hold the same shape for each print.

With your finger draw 3 white lines to connect the opposite prints and make a star shape.

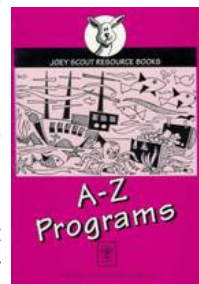


This book designed for the Joey Scout Section assists with all aspects of the Promise and Law.

**\$11.85 – Available from the Scout Supply Centre**

The original *A-Z Programs* book was put together following a Joey Scout Leader's Conference in the early 1990s. The 2010 edition features new games and activities, and a recipe section at the back. (some for eating, some for craft work).

Use your imagination and creativity to adapt and add to these programs to suit you and your Mob. But, most of all - have FUN!



**\$11.85 – Available from the Scout Supply Centre**

## National Joey Scout Campfire Project—Held at Joey Scout Jaunt 2011

To provide an opportunity for some Joey Scouts and Leaders to participate in this project we will be running a campfire at the campfire circle on Boys' Field at 2.30pm. Our campfire Leader will be Sean Giblin from North Region. If you have some favourite songs that your Joey Scouts know, you could email them to me for Sean to include in the program. Similarly, if JS Leaders would like to lead a song they could let me know and I will pass the information on to Sean.

Participants will be able to purchase a campfire badge at the conclusion of the campfire.

The badges will sell for \$2.50 each. It would be very helpful for Administration if you could fill in the form at the bottom of this page indicating the number attending and intending to purchase a badge and submit it at the beginning of the day.



At this time we will only be able to sell badges to participants. The badges originate from Western Australia and we have purchased a number but need more information to be sure of providing for everyone.

Cut here

National Joey Scout Campfire Project

Mob:.....

Number of Joey Scouts: .....Others:.....

Number of Leaders: .....Other Adults: .....

Badges required for purchase..... Total Cost:.....

Payment enclosed: ..... Payment on the day:.....

Leader contact: Phone:.....Mobile:.....

Email:.....

Please make cheques payable to 'Scouts Queensland – Joey Scout Jaunt' and attach to application.  
Receipts can be collected from Administration during the day.





## CUBOREE 2012 - The Magical Mystery Tour

The application forms have been distributed, the planning is in place, teams have been identified and we are ready to get started on the biggest adventure in Cub Scouts in 2012...Cuboree



The Magical Mystery Tour visit <http://cuboree.scoutsqld.com.au/> to keep up-to-date.

The Cuboree will be held in Rockhampton from 23 – 27 June 2012, each Pack will be transported to Seonee Park by the Magical Mystery Bus. They will pick up their Cuboree Pack members along the way, enjoying activities and excitement on the journey. Cuboree Packs will be accommodated in Sub Camps:

- C – Crocodile – Grey (caring and creative) led by Alan Fleming
- U – Unicorn – White (unique and understanding) led by Gary Hansen
- B – Bear – Brown (brave and big) led by Allan Mortensen
- S – Serpent – Red (special and smart) led by Sallie Fletcher

Activities will be provided onsite as well as this year we have an offsite activity and all coordinated by our experienced Branch Advisor John Mills (he is also supporting me in my role as Camp Chief!)

- C – Camelot – led by Maree Leschke
- U – Utopia – led by Ian Rubb
- B – Blackbeard's Base – led by Peter Thompson
- S – Sherwood – the Scout base

As well as our Roving Minstrels that will keep us entertained and on track led by Ben Bawden.

There will also be a bus activity coordinator and Mark Dowsett is running the transport side of this Cuboree, a large job so we will need to ensure we get applications in as quickly as possible to assist with management of this project.

Introducing the rest of the team:

- Welfare – Mark and Sue Bates
- Facilities – Stephen Kydd
- Logistics – Tim Gibbings
- Communications – Stephen Hughes
- Promotions – Richard Barrett
- Security – Ray Fletcher
- Administration – Melita Goff

There are still a few team players that we are currently in discussion but the teams are on track, this year Cuboree Pack Leaders will be invited to take up the role, these Leaders have experience

in a variety of different camps, activities and events and are the important glue to this Cuboree.

The other Cub Scout Leaders will be required to support these Cuboree Pack Leaders and take direction from them during the Cuboree. Letters will be sent out shortly from me.

The other important difference in this coming Cuboree to note is that applications will close with the second payment date, last year we allowed way too many late applications and it created difficulties for administration and processing. This year I will not be so kind – sorry but my team need time to coordinate Cuboree clothing, transport, catering and resources.

So get your applications in quickly – so your Pack does not miss out!

The Cub Scout has until the beginning of Cuboree to achieve their eligibility so applications can still be sent through by the 1st payment. We already have started to receive them so don't hold back!

The exciting thing about Cuboree for me has been the follow up, seeing so many blue Cuboree 2010 shirts at the Scout Section's activities this year, we may have had to finish early but the Cuboree was successful in providing another activity supporting Cub Scouts linking. Well done to all that participated – especially those awesome Cub Scouts.

### Cub Scout Expo

The next Cub Scout Leaders Safari will be held at Burleigh Heads, Gold Coast Region 10 – 11 September 2011. Cost is \$70 if you get your application in by 19 August or \$75 after that.

The first 44 Cub Scout Leaders will be allocated the Pack shelter accommodation the rest will be accommodated in tents. See the advert in this Encompass for more details.

This is for Cub Scout Leaders, it's a great training weekend, where we can all learn new tricks, tools and tips and get to share our experiences as well.

There will also be a St George Cub Scout Leaders Safari in October and possibly either one in Townsville or Mackay in March 2012.

Once again I applaud your passion, enthusiasm and dedication for spending the time with our Cub Scouts, they are our most precious Australian resource and you are assisting in building many healthy communities throughout Qld.





## SSS

SSS is all over for another year. After receiving over 170 expressions of interest the application process dragged its heels with only 70 Patrol applications being received by the week before SSS. A reminder went out to most Groups in SE Qld



and this saw 54 Patrol applications made in the last days before the camp. The final tally for the weekend was 729 Scouts and 153 Leaders. The Scouts enjoyed a number of activity bases over the weekend as well as a trip to the Gang Show. This year's show was very dynamic and thoroughly engaged the Scouts. I don't think they wanted it to end.

Some thing new to SSS this year was CCC (Cubs Can Come). An invitation was sent to Cub Scouts that are linking to Scouts before the next SSS and their Leaders. It is a great opportunity for them to come out and see Patrol camping in action.



The Cubs and their Leaders got to ramble around the site as well

as get involved in some of the activities. At lunch time they visited a Patrol from their home Troop so that they could get to know some of the Scouts a little better.

SSS had the honour of hosting the Secretary General of WOSM, Luc Panissod, for around 4hrs on Saturday. During this time he toured the site and took the time to chat with a number of Scouts and Leaders.

This year's winners are:

### SSS Shield:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Buderim Kingfisher
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Karalee Koala
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Victoria Point Panther

### Rikki Shield (Gateway):

#### Camping Award:

#### Talent Quest:

#### Smokey Award:

Howlett)

### Guessing Competitions

Jelly Beans:

M & M's:

Marshmallows:

Pumpkin:

Dingo (6kg) 6.08kg

Underwood Panther. (388) 635

Buderim Kingfisher (516) 517

Manly-Lota Platypus (133) 134

Cooroy Green Hornet/Burpengary

Over the weekend each Patrol camp site was judged twice. The basis of the judging was hygiene and safety. Following are a few tips from observations made by the camping team to follow up on when your Patrols go camping next:

- Make sure all of your food is stored safely away from animals and the environment.
- Keep food storage off the ground
- Have equipment to combat fire such as an extinguisher, fire blanket and bucket of sand or water. Make sure they are in a location that is easy to access and away from the most likely source of fire
- Have a clear escape path from the campsite in the case of fire.
- Minimise the trip hazards around the campsites
- Have a roster for each meal time so that everyone knows their job and the **dishes get done**.



## AJ2013

Promotional material for AJ2013 should have made through to most Groups by now. If you haven't received anything yet please follow it up through the line system. There is a meeting of the Jamboree Consultative Committee in mid July after which more information will be available.

A Jamboree base was run at SSS and this was very well received by the Scouts. I'm sure they are enthusiastically going back to Groups to start fundraising to reduce the personal cost of attending. Make sure that you visit the National Jamboree website to stay up to date with the latest information. You can also subscribe to the e-newsletter. Details are on a separate page.

## Scout Out

Scout out is coming up in September. This is a weekend for Leaders to come together and learn new skills or brush on some of those that are getting a little bit hazy. Application forms will be on the branch website soon.



"Scouting is a game for boys under the leadership of boys under the direction of a man."

Sir Robert Baden-Powell



## VENTURER BULLETIN BOARD

While I pretty happy that the Queensland Venturer bulletin board at <http://z8.invisionfree.com/QueenslandVenturers> now has 308 members, there are still many Venturer Scouts and Venturer Scout Leaders who are not members. As I talk to Venturer Scouts and leaders at training courses I am reminded that every year there are new members so I am taking this opportunity to bring this resource to the attention of all those who are reading this article.

The bulletin board is a members-only facility that enables members to post questions and answer the questions of others, or just keep an eye on what is happening in Venturer Scouts in the short and long terms. It is where I advertise details of new Venturer training courses, and provide notification if a course has been cancelled. Some information you need to know about what happens if a Venturer looks like running out of time to complete the Queen's Scout Award, or the changes to the post-2009 award scheme that came into effect with the publication of the eighth edition of the Venturer Scout record book in April 2010, are to be found in the forum on badge work queries. The site maintenance forum explains how you can subscribe to forums so you get an e-mail whenever a new topic is started, and how you can subscribe to a topic in which you are interested so you will get an e-mail if someone posts a reply to the topic. Details of events such as Urban Challenge, Operation Nighthawk, Australian Venture, and Operation Archer can be found in the forums on recreational camps or other notable camps and events. When Operation Archer had to be deferred at short notice earlier this year, the bulletin board was one of the best ways for Venturer units to hear the news.

I said at the beginning that the board is a "members-only facility". This means that you need to be a member to read the contents of the topics and replies already on the bulletin board, or post a topic or reply yourself. To become a member is pretty easy, just go to the site and next to where it says "Welcome Guest" click on the link to register. After you have provided some details such as your e-mail address and username, a message is sent to the board's administrator (currently me). Before a new applicant is granted access I ask the applicant to identify him or herself sufficiently so I can check that the applicant is probably a real member of the Scout Association. This process typically takes a few days but can take longer if I am unavailable. To date I have had a number of applicants that have not been approved because they never replied to my request for more information. This may have been because they typed their e-mail address incorrectly when they supplied it as part of the registration process, or it may have been because they did not want to reply to me for their own reasons.

I encourage all leaders involved with Venturer Scouts to join, and in turn encourage all Venturer Scouts to join so they can take some personal responsibility for knowing what is happening in the Venturer Scout section.

## SSS CAMP

Over the weekend of 2 and 3 July, about a dozen Venturer Scouts and at least four Venturer Scout Leaders attended the Scout Section Skills camp at Baden-Powell Park, Samford. The purpose of

their attendance was to help with making the event a success for the 124 (I heard) Scout patrols that were in camp.

Primarily they worked at the Venturer Scout base that was part of the activities for the patrols waiting to go onto the abseiling tower. My thanks go to those Venturer Scouts, and the Venturer Scout Leaders, who volunteered to do this service.



## Dates (a partial list)

July

22-24 Venturer Scout Leadership course – Gold Coast

23-24 Urban Challenge (run by Queensland Branch Rover Executive)

27 Branch Venturer Scout Council teleconference

August

13-14 Operation Nighthawk - Clifton

26 Stone Age Rumble - Stafford



## URBAN CHALLENGE 2011

Urban Challenge 2011 is fast approaching and now is the time for all Queensland Venturers (and linking Scouts) to register to save the world from an impending zombie apocalypse. Yes, that's right, the Rovers have been at it again and have put the world at risk of certain doom. Venturers (and linking Scouts), now is your time stand up and be counted among the heroes of our generation by registering for Urban Challenge 2011: Be Afraid.



You can sign up online at [www.urbanchallenge.com.au/](http://www.urbanchallenge.com.au/) application where you will need to input your data **save** and then **print** your application form and mail it to UC HQ for processing.

Alternatively, you can fill out the application form **attached** to this edition of Encompass. If you have any questions about UC2011, or saving the world more generally, please contact Matthew Ray at [urbanchallenge@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:urbanchallenge@qldrovers.org.au) or on 0413 073 863.

Stay up-to-date by 'liking' our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/UrbanChallenge](http://www.facebook.com/UrbanChallenge).





## URBAN CHALLENGE 2011

Urban challenge; an Urban Widgame run by Rovers for Venturer's is being held on 22-24 July.

Venturers - \$55.00 (includes meals except lunch, a nifty hat, and PRIZES)

Rovers - \$25.00 (includes meals except lunch and a t-shirt)

Go to [www.urbanchallenge.com.au/application](http://www.urbanchallenge.com.au/application) to apply online. For more information contact Matthew Ray, Chairman UC2011 at [urbanchallenge@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:urbanchallenge@qldrovers.org.au) This e-mail address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it This e-mail address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it This e-mail address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it or find us on facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/UrbanChallenge>

## REGION REPRESENTATIVES

Nominations are now open for 2011/2012 Rover Region Representatives.

Rover Region Representatives are an important activities and communication link between Crews, Regions and QBRE. As region representative, you are a voice for Rovering in your region. Your duties include regularly communicating with crews in your region, attending QBRE meetings (where possible) and participation in two major rover conferences each year.



If you are interested in becoming a Rover Region Representative, the term commences on 1 September and nomination forms must be submitted to [chair@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:chair@qldrovers.org.au) or [bc.rovers@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:bc.rovers@qldhq.scouts.com.au)

## QBRE EXECUTIVE 2011-2012

The QBRE Executive for 2011-12 term is as follows:

Chair— Rebecca Jaenke	<a href="mailto:chair@qldrovers.org.au">chair@qldrovers.org.au</a>
Deputy—Patrick Tilley	<a href="mailto:deputy@qldrovers.org.au">deputy@qldrovers.org.au</a>
Promotions—Travis Jordan	<a href="mailto:pr@qldrovers.org.au">pr@qldrovers.org.au</a>
Resources- Sam Caterer	<a href="mailto:resources@qldrovers.org.au">resources@qldrovers.org.au</a>
Training—Shaun Sandilands	<a href="mailto:training@qldrovers.org.au">training@qldrovers.org.au</a>
Awards—Alex West	<a href="mailto:awards@qldrovers.org.au">awards@qldrovers.org.au</a>
Secretary—Emma Kate Storie	<a href="mailto:admin@qldrovers.org.au">admin@qldrovers.org.au</a>
Communications—Nathan Swaffer	<a href="mailto:communications@qldrovers.org.au">communications@qldrovers.org.au</a>
BC Rovers Gavin Brady	<a href="mailto:bc.rovers@qldhq.scouts.com.au">bc.rovers@qldhq.scouts.com.au</a>

## ROVER NIGHT AT GANG SHOW

Over 60 Rovers attended this year is the 60th Anniversary Season of the Brisbane Gang Show on Rover night. The Rovers cheered on 23 of their fellow members on stage in a truly memorable evening.

## FUTURE DATES

QBRE Meeting – 17 July – Brisbane North Region Office, Alderley  
Future of Bash Working Group – 17 July - 3.30pm Brisbane North Region Office, Alderley

Urban Challenge – 23-24 July

QBRE Meeting – 21 August – Brisbane North Region Office, Alderley

Agoonoree Rover Games Night – 18 September – BP Park

QBRE Meeting – 18 September – BP Park – venue and time to be confirmed

QARM – 7-9 October – Atkinson's Dam

Check out the Qld Rover Website for a copy of the 2011 Rovalendar!

## SOUTHPORT SCOUT DEN

Fancy a weekend stay at Qld Rovers Southport Den? The Den is set up with basic kitchen, toilet and shower facilities and could be just the thing for your next weekend away? For more information Contact Rowan Yates on 0421 928 507

## HAS YOUR CREW ADVISED IT'S CONTACT INFORMATION

Does QBRE have a nominated mail, phone and electronic contact point for your Crew?

There is now a crew contact list on the "User Only" section of the website. To update or change your details (including crew meeting night) email [deputy@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:deputy@qldrovers.org.au)

## HAVE YOU JOINED THE QLD ROVER WEBSITE

If you have not joined the Queensland Rover Website, it's easy to join, just log onto the Qld Rover Website and follow the simple instructions. If you have any problems logging on or aren't receiving emails, contact [communications@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:communications@qldrovers.org.au)

## QBRE CONTACTS

Chairman Rebecca Jaenke [chair@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:chair@qldrovers.org.au)

Deputy Chairman Pat Tilley [deputy@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:deputy@qldrovers.org.au)

BC Rovers [bc.rovers@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:bc.rovers@qldhq.scouts.com.au) 0419 704 729

Rover Website [www.qldrovers.org.au](http://www.qldrovers.org.au)

## FOB - FUTURE OF BASH WORKING GROUP

Future of Bash Working Group Meeting - Not designed to be a talkfest - but meant for people seriously interested in being part of the group of Rovers willing to do the hard work including writing new rules, doing research, writing submissions, etc if Qld Rovers are to be successful in getting bash up and running again!



3.30pm Sun 17th July 2011 @ Brisbane North Region Office, 23 Sickfield Road, Alderley. For more information, contact QBRE Chairman or BC Rovers

# Youth Awards



## CONGRATULATIONS

Queensland Branch is pleased to announce the awarding of the following awards

### JOEY SCOUT PROMISE CHALLENGE

Benjamin Archer	Emerald Scout Group
Charles Johansen	Emerald Scout Group
Jesse Lewis	Nerang Scout Group
Oliver Kingston	Nerang Scout Group
Jocelyn McAlister	Clifton Hill Scout Group
Ella West	Clifton Hill Scout Group
Declan Van Acker	Clifton Hill Scout Group
Jonathon Kitchen	Clifton Hill Scout Group
Madeline Crawley	Clifton Hill Scout Group
Ben Finke	Clifton Hill Scout Group
Andrew McPhail-Clarry	Gumdale Scout Group
Kyle Langridge	Capalaba Scout Group
Ella Montenegro	Cleveland Scout Group
Harrison Mega	Kallangur Scout Group
Daniel Bannister	Noosa Sea Scout Group
Alexandra McGarvey	Noosa Sea Scout Group
Rhiannon Beveridge	Camira Scout Group
Brendan Haynes-Sheath	2nd Toowoomba Scout Group
Kasey Woodhead	Pimlico Mundingburra Scout Group
Ewan Lattimer	Buderim Scout Group
Mitchell Skipworth	Grovely Scout Group
Samuel Metcalfe	Grovely Scout Group
Bailey Ferguson	Grovely Scout Group
Tristan Rose	Grovely Scout Group
Lachlan Dowsett	Camira Scout Group
Jacob Donald	Kedron Scout Group

### CUB SCOUT GREY WOLF AWARD

Tavis Bancroft	Birkdale Scout Group
Jake Luskie	Birkdale Scout Group
Thomas Berry	Birkdale Scout Group
Quinn Dransfield	Morayfield Scout Group
Jake Adam	Morayfield Scout Group
Jeremy Forsdyke	Morayfield Scout Group
Olivia Lea	Majestic Park Scout Group
Rhys Leitch	Majestic Park Scout Group
Oliver Lindsay	Majestic Park Scout Group
Alex Brandis	Gumdale Scout Group
Riley Sten	Baddow Scout Group
Phillip Todd	Grovely Scout Group
William Masters	Burpengary Scout Group
Bridgette McMillan	Burpengary Scout Group
Max Pickard	Kepnock Scout Group
Aden Christensen	Alice River Scout Group
Matthew Wade	Bribie Island Scout Group
Scott Allen	Bribie Island Scout Group
Rebecca Lys	Beenleigh Scout Group
Eleanor Borger	Edge Hill Scout Group
Fabien Menagazzo	Hermit Park Scout Group
Billie Saunders	Hermit Park Scout Group
Stephanie Field	Greenbank Scout Group
Lachlan Brown	Greenbank Scout Group
Adrian Rose	Grovely Scout Group
Jake Muhling	Kirwan Scout Group
Finn McQuoid	Samford Scout Group
Thomas Longmore	Banksia Scout Group
Eleanor Hambleton	The Gap Scout Group
William Hancock	Kareeba Scout Group
Naomi-Jon Redshaw	Kareeba Scout Group
Avril Hocking	Kareeba Scout Group
Rory Clarke	Ashmore Scout Group
Sarah McConaghy	Ashmore Scout Group
Jemma Pickering	Ashmore Scout Group
Talia Pofandt	Coomera Scout Group
Samantha Wells	Coomera Scout Group
Mia Cornell	Coomera Scout Group

### AUSTRALIAN SCOUT MEDALLION

Liam Carter	West Centenary Scout Group
Duncan Nicol	Taringa Milton Toowong
Grace Wallace	Shailer Park Scout Group
Kate Dowse	Karalee Scout Group
Amy Thompson	Karalee Scout Group
Tiffany Ede	Nerang Scout Group
Joshua Bayly	Karana Scout Group
Kayden Burley	Edge Hill Scout Group
Brittany Tolliday	Richlands Scout Group

### VENTURER SCOUT QUEENS SCOUT AWARD

Stephanie Piper	Baddow Scout Group
Courtney Rohde	Kareeba Scout Group
Shaun McGuinness	Noosa Sea Scout Group
Georgia-Mae Smith	2nd Toowoomba Scout Group
Haydn Brindley	Rangeville Scout Group
Matthew Goulter	Highfields Scout Group
Daniel Chlonta	Mount Cotton Scout Group
Fiona Walker	Glenvale Scout Group

### BADEN POWELL SCOUT AWARD

Cameron Stanley	Brisbane Inner City Scout Group
Shari Cunningham	Victoria Point Scout Group
Daniel Bourman	Sandgate Scout Group
Shandell Vescovi	Capalaba Scout Group

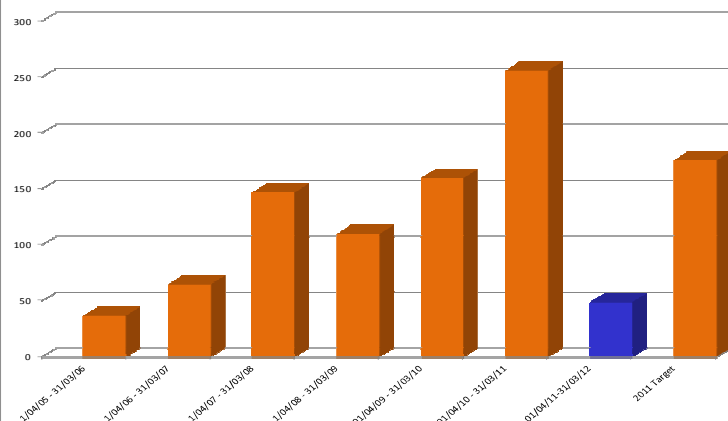




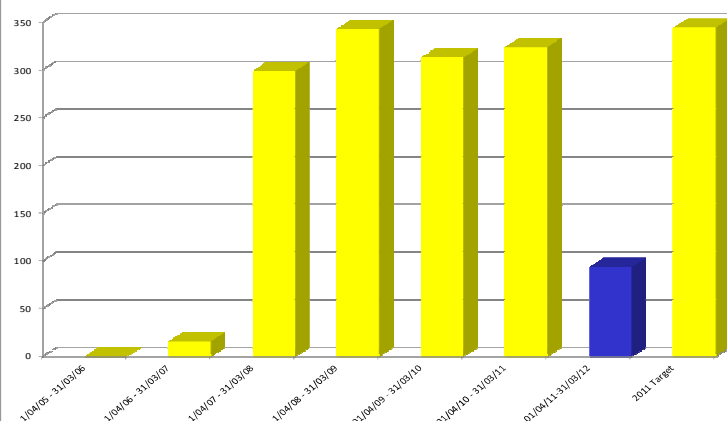
# Youth Awards



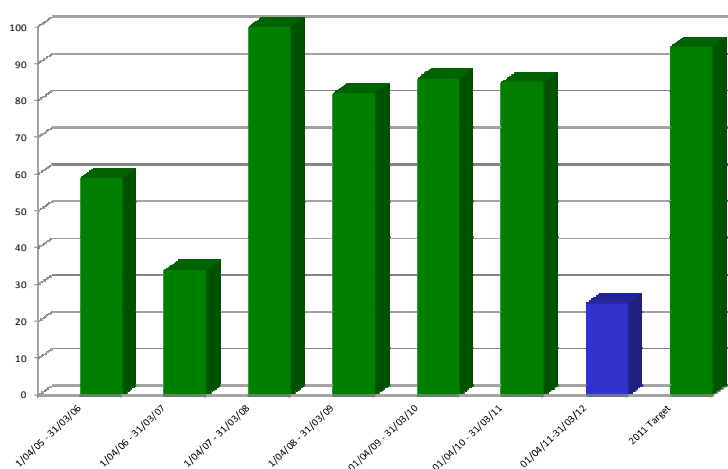
Joey Scout Promise Challenge



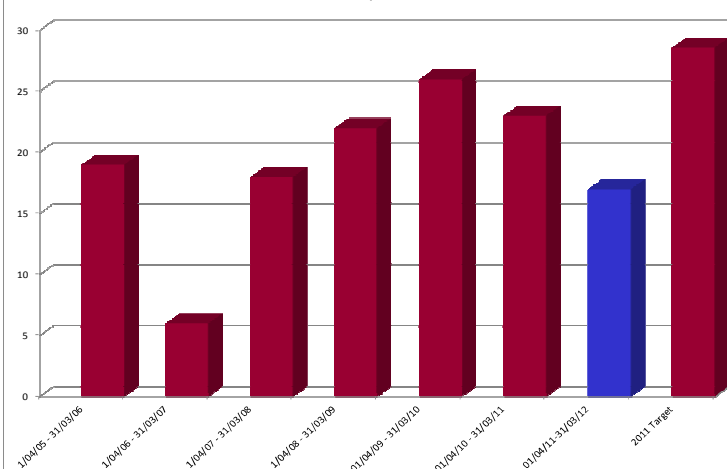
Cub Scout Grey Wolf award



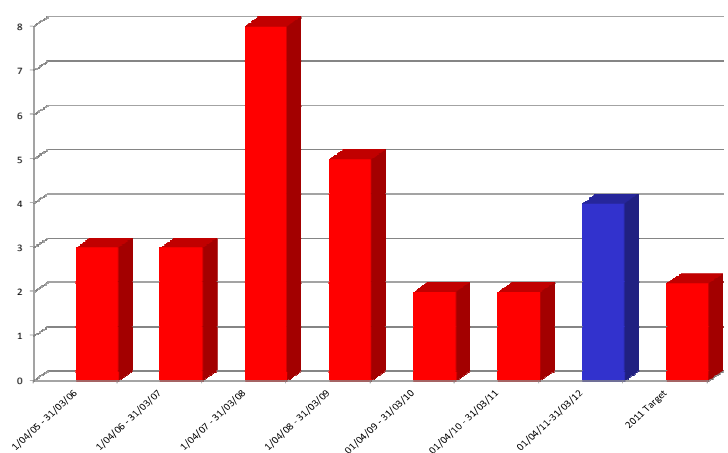
Scout Australian Scout Medallion



Venturer Scout Queen Scout award



Rover Baden-Powell Scout award



## PLEASE NOTE:

The following forms are required to be submitted for the Youth Award badges to be processed and issued:

- D9—Joey Scout Promise Challenge Application
- D8—Request for the Grey Wolf Award
- D7— Australian Scout Medallion Nomination Form
- D1—Queens Scout Award Recommendation
- D10—Nomination for the Baden Powell Scout Award

All forms are available in the Members Only Area of the Scouts Queensland Website.



BADEN POWELL AWARD PIN  
\$6.95 each + P & H (if applicable)  
Also available  
BADEN POWELL AWARD PENS  
( in presentation case) \$20.00



QUEEN'S SCOUT LAPEL PIN  
\$6.95 each + P & H (if applicable)  
Also available  
QUEENS SCOUT AWARD PENS  
( in presentation case) \$20.00

# Administration & Communications



Queensland Branch

## WEBSITE UPDATES

<http://www.scoutsqld.com.au>

### UPDATED FORMS

The following forms have been updated on the Scouts Queensland Website in the Members Only Area.

To download these forms you need Adobe Acrobat Reader.  
Download free from <http://www.adobe.com>

Form	Description	Issue	Date
	Blue Card Application & Renewal		06/11
	Blue Card Confirmation		06/11
	Blue Card Exemption Notice		06/11
B4	Group Committee Rules	7	06/11

### LEADER AND ADULT MEMBER RENEWAL INVOICES 2011/2012

The 2011/2012 Leader and Adult Member invoices have now been sent via post. If you do not receive your Formations invoice please contact the Finance Department to request a copy.

### NEW BLUE CARD FORMS—WORKING WITH CHILDREN CARD

Please be advised that we have just received updates to the Blue Card forms as follows:

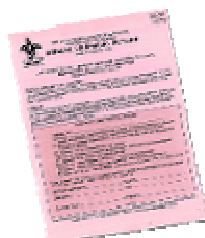
- Blue Card Application and Renewal (now a merged form, instead of having one 'Application' and one 'Renewal' form)
- Blue Card Confirmation
- Blue Card Exemption

These are all effective as at 1 July 2011 with the old versions expiring on 30 June 2011.

## REMINDER

**ANNUAL FINANCIAL RETURNS ARE AVAILABLE TO BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE SCOUTS QLD WEBSITE**

**ANNUAL FINANCIAL RETURNS WERE DUE BY 31ST MAY 2011**



### ADULT MEMBERSHIP AND YOUTH MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORMS

In the past the Adult Member and Youth Member registration forms have been a carbon copy form. The Branch will not be reproducing these forms in carbon copy and a PDF version of the forms is available through the Members Only Area of the Branch website.

It will enable Formation Leaders to print off the forms as required and not wait for them to be posted out. The Adult Member form is accompanied by a number of other attachments to form the Leader Sign Up Kit. The attachments will also be linked.

### UNKNOWN BLUE CARDS RECEIVED

We have received Blue Card information from the Commission for the following people, however there is no record of their involvement with Scouting as a Member or an Adult Helper. If any of the people listed below are attached to your Formation please contact the Adult Membership Support officer immediately. Failure to determine where these people are attached to will result in advice to the Commission of their non involvement with Scouting in Queensland. Contact the Adult Membership Support officer on 3721 5732 or [adult.membership@scoutsqld.com.au](mailto:adult.membership@scoutsqld.com.au)



Nicholas Kutasi	Melissa Dowsett
Karin Weller	Owen William Duffy
Benji Dean Hulse	Abdelkhalek El Ghalemi
Clayton James Tomlin	Stephen Bruce Harris
Brett Stephen Shepherdson	David Edward Sayer
Ashley Thomas Stephenson	Laraine Ashlee Rigby
Michael Robert White	Andrew David Graves
Robert Gordon Shepherd	Tracy Lee Smith
Ashley Brown	Cecilia Claire Wearmouth
Gavin Mark Wilson	Esther Caroline Wearmouth
David Andrew Flanagan	Anthony Dean Wright
Rebecca Rae Mata	Samuel Paul Rose
Malcolm John Cleworth	Justin William Lemberg
Kim Maree Verbeek	Saraid Mary-ellen McKay
Jeffrey George Pollock	Geoff Methers
Benita Salvatore	Alessia Vera Keech
Samuel Robert Charles Evans	Carolyn Joy Barnett
Stephen Marc Barden	Benjamin Jimi Atkinson
Cheyne Debra Collingwood	Gayle Susan Justo
Gary James Cross	Gerald K Phipps
Patricia Ryan	Josephine Frances Worsfold
Ross Allen	

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

These books save you \$15,000 a year and are only \$65.00  
Order form available from April 2011 Encompass





# Administration & Communications



## CHARTERED FORMATIONS

The following Formations have become Chartered or rechartered during the month:

Burpengary Scout Group



## BOAT FOR DONATION

Sunnybank State High School will be producing a small wooden boat in November and would like to donate the finished product to a scout group.



It will be a plywood, flat bottom dinghy with a length of 11ft (3.35m) that will be good for general purpose work. It would suit being rowed, or take a small outboard up to 4hp. The boat will be coated in epoxy before painting so will serve well for many years. It's flat bottom will make transport on top of a standard box trailer easy.

My first preference is that the group that receives the boat will use it in their activities (it would make a good support boat for a canoe/kayak trip) but I understand that this will not always be possible, so would also be happy for a group to raffle it off and use the money raised to help fund other needs of their group.

If your group is interested in being the recipient of this boat please contact James Elcock at [jelco4@eq.edu.au](mailto:jelco4@eq.edu.au).

## P&H MINE PRO LENDS A HAND TO SCOUTING FAMILIES IN NEED.



The January floods and February's cyclone affected many families all over Queensland, including many scouting families. A mining company in Brisbane, P&H Mine Pro, heard about the devastation caused and decided to see what they could do to help. P&H Mine Pro deals with the manufacturing and distribution of mining equipment and each year they try and make some worthy donations to organisations within the local community.

With the donation from P&H Mine Pro Scouts Queensland has decided to replace Scout Uniforms for the families that were affected by the Queensland disasters.

Do you know someone in a Scouting Family that was affected and still has no access to a uniform? If this is you, or you know someone, please nominate them for this assistance. To nominate yourself or a family please tell us in 150 words or less how you/they were affected during the Queensland Disasters and how a new uniform would help you out in Scouting. Please be sure to include your name, address and Scout Group with your nomination, and that of your nominee if applicable.

All nominations can be emailed to [marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au](mailto:marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au) or mailed to P&H Mine Pro 2011 Queensland Disaster support package, ATTN: Shaun Sandilands, P.O. Box 520, Toowong QLD 4066. Please note that nominations close on the 30<sup>th</sup> of June 2011.

# Training

*Dates are subject to change throughout the year*



Course #	Venue	Start Date	End Date	Closing date
<b>Abseiling Level 1 (Artificial Surfaces)</b>				
1011102	Rocky Creek Campsite	27-Aug-11 (Sat)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
1011103	Loam Island	9-Sep-11 (Fri)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Abseiling Level 1 (Natural Surfaces)</b>				
1091101	Rocky Creek Campsite	27-Aug-11 (Sat)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
1091103	Loam Island	9-Sep-11 (Fri)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Bushwalking (Difficult and Trackless) Level 2</b>				
1101102	Tarmaroo Campsite (Bluewater)	23-Sep-11 (Fri)	25-Sep-11 (Sun)	2-Sep-11 (Fri)
<b>Canoeing (Flat and Undemanding Water) Level 1</b>				
1051111	Lowood	19-Aug-11 (Fri)	21-Aug-11 (Sun)	29-Jul-11 (Fri)
1051106	Murrenbong Campsite - Kurwongbah	27-Aug-11 (Sat)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
1051107	Barrabadeen Campsite	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Canoeing (Flat and Undemanding Water) Level 2</b>				
1061111	Lowood	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
1061105	Murrenbong Campsite - Kurwongbah	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Cub Scout Skills Training 1(new)</b>				
5101109	Baden-Powell Park	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
5101114	St Margarets	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Cub Scout Skills Training 2(new)</b>				
5111109	Queensland Scout Centre	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
5111113	St Margarets	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Cub Scout Skills Training 3(new)</b>				
5121106	Rowallan Park - Mackay	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5121107	Tarmaroo Campsite (Bluewater)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5121108	Baden-Powell Park	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>First Aid - Apply First Aid Fast Track</b>				
7001109	Moreton Region Scout Centre	20-Aug-11 (Sat)	20-Aug-11 (Sat)	29-Jul-11 (Fri)
7001103	Non Scouts Site	27-Aug-11 (Sat)	27-Aug-11 (Sat)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>First Aid - CPR Fast Track</b>				
7301107	Moreton Region Scout Centre	3-Sep-11 (Sat)	3-Sep-11 (Sat)	12-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Joey Scout Skills Training 1(new)</b>				
5001109	Baden-Powell Park	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
5001114	St Margarets	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Joey Scout Skills Training 2(new)</b>				
5011108	Queensland Scout Centre	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
5011112	St Margarets	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Joey Scout Skills Training 3(new)</b>				
5021106	Rowallan Park - Mackay	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5021107	Tarmaroo Campsite (Bluewater)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5021108	Baden-Powell Park	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Kayaking (Flat and Undemanding Water) Level 1</b>				
1071108	Lowood	19-Aug-11 (Fri)	21-Aug-11 (Sun)	29-Jul-11 (Fri)
1071104	Murrenbong Campsite - Kurwongbah	27-Aug-11 (Sat)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Kayaking (Flat and Undemanding Water) Level 2</b>				
1081108	Lowood	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
1081104	Murrenbong Campsite - Kurwongbah	17-Sep-11 (Sat)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Leadership Training 3</b>				
4491118	St Margarets	12-Aug-11 (Fri)	14-Aug-11 (Sun)	22-Jul-11 (Fri)
4491112	Baden-Powell Park	19-Aug-11 (Fri)	21-Aug-11 (Sun)	29-Jul-11 (Fri)
<b>Leadership Training 3 ( 6 Evenings)</b>				
4491113	Queensland Scout Centre	1-Sep-11 (Thu)	6-Oct-11 (Thu)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>LOA Skills Training 1 (new)</b>				
5501109	Baden-Powell Park	21-Aug-11 (Sun)	21-Aug-11 (Sun)	29-Jul-11 (Fri)
5501115	St Margarets	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>LOA Skills Training 2 (new)</b>				
5511108	Queensland Scout Centre	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
5511113	St Margarets	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)



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<b>LOA Skills Training 3 (new)</b>				
5521106	Rowallan Park - Mackay	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5521107	Tamaroo Campsite (Bluewater)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5521108	Baden-Powell Park	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Module 1 Train the Trainer (2011)</b>				
2801102	Queensland Scout Centre	5-Aug-11 (Fri)	6-Aug-11 (Sat)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
<b>Module 2 Train the Trainer (2011)</b>				
2811102	Queensland Scout Centre	6-Aug-11 (Sat)	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
<b>Module 4 Train the Trainer (2011)</b>				
2831103	Queensland Scout Centre	21-Aug-11 (Sun)	21-Aug-11 (Sun)	29-Jul-11 (Fri)
<b>Scout Skills Training 1&amp; 2</b>				
5211110	Baden-Powell Park	6-Aug-11 (Sat)	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
5211110A	Baden-Powell Park	6-Aug-11 (Sat)	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
5211115	St Margarets	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
5211115A	St Margarets	10-Sep-11 (Sat)	11-Sep-11 (Sun)	19-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Scout Skills Training 3 (new)</b>				
5221105	Rowallan Park - Mackay	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5221106	Tamaroo Campsite (Bluewater)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5221107	Baden-Powell Park	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Specialist Outdoor Activities Skills 1</b>				
5601115	Lowood	19-Aug-11 (Fri)	20-Aug-11 (Sat)	29-Jul-11 (Fri)
5601105	Murrenbong Campsite - Kurwongbah	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	27-Aug-11 (Sat)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5601106	Rocky Creek Campsite	26-Aug-11 (Fri)	28-Aug-11 (Sun)	5-Aug-11 (Fri)
5601107	Barrabadeen Campsite	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	17-Sep-11 (Sat)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)
<b>Venturer Scout Skills Training 1&amp; 2</b>				
5311110	Baden-Powell Park	6-Aug-11 (Sat)	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
5311110A	Baden-Powell Park	6-Aug-11 (Sat)	7-Aug-11 (Sun)	15-Jul-11 (Fri)
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5321107	Baden-Powell Park	16-Sep-11 (Fri)	18-Sep-11 (Sun)	26-Aug-11 (Fri)

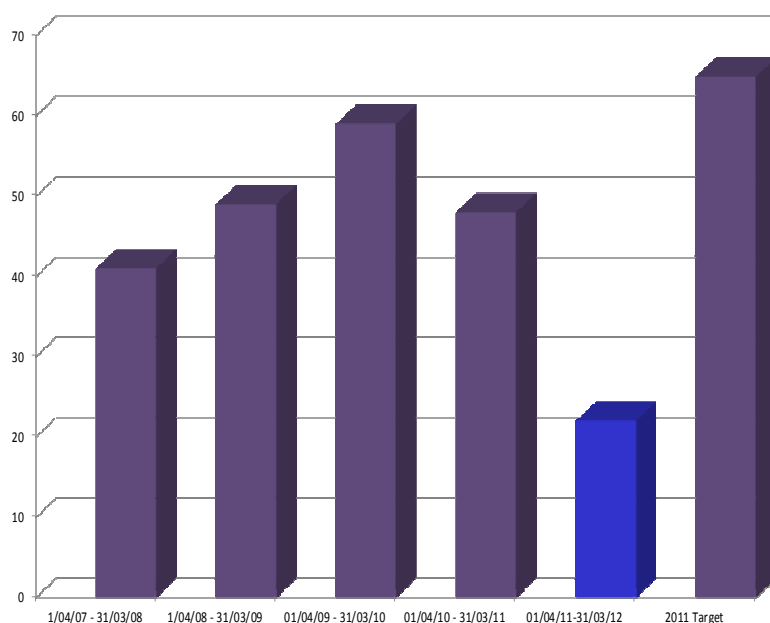


## CONGRATULATIONS WOOD-BADGE

Pleased to announce the awarding of the Wood-badge to the following Members.

Betty-Ann Hite	Warripari Scout Group
Michael Holmes	Dolphin Sea Scout Troop
Emma Woodbridge	Raceview Scout Group
Bradley Mackie	Wynnum Scout Group
Maree Leschke	2nd Toowoomba Scout Group
Wayne Rashleigh	Kallangur Scout Group
Michael Brown	Darling Downs Region
Tracey Ferguson	2nd Toowoomba Scout Group

Wood Badge





Scouting is a worldwide Movement with over 30 million Scouts in 160 countries. International Scouting is aimed at creating an understanding of other cultures as well as promoting peace and tolerance through our common understanding of the Scouting Aims and Principles.



*"When you join a Patrol you become part of a worldwide brotherhood in which every member has promised to keep the Scout Law. Because of this it doesn't matter if they speak different languages, are of different colours or hold different religious beliefs. When you meet Scouts at large gatherings, remember that they are your brothers and show by your actions that you regard them as friends."*

**- Lord Robert Baden-Powell, Founder of Scouting**



The Scouts of the World (SoW) Award provides the opportunity for Venturer Scouts and Rovers to "create a better world" by facing the three main challenges of the future as identified by the UN Millennium Development Goals:

**PEACE**, security and disarmament, **DEVELOPMENT** and poverty eradication, Protecting our common **ENVIRONMENT**

The SoW Award can be completed in partnership with a section of the BP Award or the World Scout Environment Badge as long as appropriate approvals for each of the Awards have been received. The guidelines for the SoW Award and the SoW Passport are available through [bc.international@qldhq@scouts.com.au](mailto:bc.international@qldhq@scouts.com.au) or your Branch Rover Council and Branch Venturer Council.

The International Explorer Award is a belt and buckle that can be worn in place of the standard belt buckle on the uniform belt. This award can be earned by any registered member of Scouts Australia who travels to an officially recognised international Scouting event overseas and participates in two of the following activities:



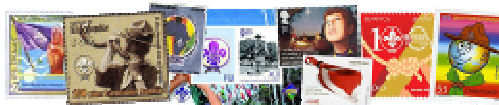
1. Service (minimum 4 hours)
2. Camping (minimum 1 night)
3. Training (minimum 1 complete day)
4. Attend at least three meetings (minimum 3 hours)

Upon their return from overseas, the candidate is required to complete at least three reports or presentations. For more detailed information on the International Explorer Award contact Paul Rollason on [bc.international@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:bc.international@qldhq.scouts.com.au)



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## URGENTLY REQUIRED Our International Pen-Pal Program

has many overseas links requesting Australian links

If you're a section leader apply today for your link by filling out the online Pen-pal form on the Scouts Qld International page. Or send an email containing your Scout details i.e Name, Age, Scout ID number, Group, Position in Group, email and snail mail address to [penpals@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:penpals@qldhq.scouts.com.au)



## 7th Asia-Pacific Air/Internet Jamboree

The General Association of the Scouts of China will be hosting the 7th Asia-Pacific Air/Internet Jamboree from 6 to 7 August 2011 and we are encouraging all National Scout Groups to promote the event to all Scouts for wider participation of this regional event. The Air-Internet Jamboree is established in 2004 which Scouts can contact each other by means of amateur radio and through internet. Having a live conversation with a fellow Scout in some other place in the world gives the same excitement like having a normal jamboree on the land minus the normal expenses. Just like the normal Jamboree, the Air-Internet Jamboree is also an event which Scouts can share their experiences and exchange their ideas.

The World Scout Bureau, Asia-Pacific Regional Office will compile an overview of the Air Jamboree weekend and make it available to all participants so we encourage all participating Qld Scout Groups to give us an article with high resolution photos of the activities for us to publish an article.

See the official website <http://www.scout.org.tw/APR-AIJ/APR-AIJ.htm> or contact Paul Rollason

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## Invitation for Painting Competition and Exhibition

The 24th APRSC 2012 Organising Committee is requesting all the National Scout Organisation (NSO) of the Asia-Pacific Region to participate in the forthcoming Painting Competition and Exhibition. This competition and exhibition will be held during the 24th APRSC 2012 in Bangladesh.

Any scout boy or girl aged between 10 to 15 years will be eligible to take part in this competition. Each NSO is requested to send 3 best paintings to the Publication and Publicity Sub-committee of the 24th APRSC by 30th April 2012.

Paper size will be 15" x 20" and medium used will be water colour. The theme of the painting would be "*Scouting- Bridging the Gap.*" All paintings would be put on exhibition during the 24th APRSC 2012 in Bangladesh. Gold, Silver, Bronze medals along with certificate will be given to the three best painters. Four colours Souvenir will also be published during the 24th APRSC 2012 where all the participating painters' work will be presented.

## Scout International Student Exchange Program



The search is on for interested Venturers to participate in the Scout International Exchange Program. Anyone who is currently a Venturer and does not turn 18 until after January 2013 will be eligible to participate.

The earlier you apply, the more time you will have to raise/save the money to attend. All the Venturers who have participated agree that it is the best time and experience and well worth the effort. If you would like to get a sample of the experience before committing to such a Program, then why not Host a Venturer Scout equivalent next year. That way, you and your Family can experience International Scouting in the comfort of your Home and show off your Australian way of life.

For those of you who may be too young to go next year, I am still interested in getting your expression of interest as this will help towards future planning of the program both here and overseas. It will also give you a lot more time to save money for the experience of a lifetime. We are also looking at expanding the list of Countries to attend and this can help.

For more information on the Program both as a potential Exchangee or Host Family, please email me at [sisep@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:sisep@qldhq.scouts.com.au) I will then send you more information and Expression of Interest Forms.

Hope to hear from you soon.

**Scott Edwards**—[sisep@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:sisep@qldhq.scouts.com.au)

**Youth Program Support Branch Advisor (International) – SISEP Coordinator - Qld(Scout International Student Exchange Program)**

## See the exciting events we have in the Asia-Pacific Region.

### August 2011

\* 7th APR Air/Internet Jamboree, 6-7 August

### September 2011

\* Launch of Messengers for Peace, 23 September, Saudi Arabia

### October 2011

\* JOTA-JOTI, 15-16 October

### March 2012

\* 29th APR Scout Jamboree, 31 March - 6 April, Sri Lanka

### 2014

\* 40<sup>th</sup> World Scout Conference, 12<sup>th</sup> World Scout Forum, Slovenia

### World Wide

### 2017

\* 15<sup>th</sup> World Scout Moot, Iceland

### 2019

\* 24<sup>th</sup> World Scout jamboree, North America

Scouts Australia is currently seeking Contingent Leaders for the following upcoming international events:

### Boy Scouts of America Jamboree 2013

### World Scout Jamboree 2015

### Gallipoli Centenary 2015

## International Visitors - Reminder

Just a reminder to all members/ groups/ formations/ regions, if you have someone contact you from overseas requesting assistance, you should always refer this back to the International Team as we can check it out to see if they are legitimate and see if the request is reasonable. There are many people who prey on Scouting and their generosity. Many requests come from people claiming they are Scouts but they aren't registered. We have had two such instances in the last two months.

Additionally, if an international group wishes to travel to Australia and meet with you or organise an event, you should also contact the International Team so we can once again see that they are a legitimate group and are registered with WOSM. Once again we recently had a group coming to Australia and flights were booked, activities organised etc. This group were claiming to be Scouts but were not registered with WOSM. In fact they were using the Scout name illegally and pretending to be Scouts. What this means is that Scouts Queensland will not endorse such a visit and in fact will not permit out youth members to have any contact as we do not know anything about these people attending. Allowing such unauthorised visits may also contravene the Child Protection Act.

## In Closing

Being part of a world-wide brother and sisterhood is really exciting. You don't have to leave Australia to feel part of it. You can participate in international Scouting right here at home! There are plenty of options, and here are just a few ideas:

**SISEP (Scout International Student Exchange Program) –Scott Edwards** SISEP Coordinator QLD [sisep@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:sisep@qldhq.scouts.com.au)  
**JOTA & JOTI – Ian Lightbody** Qld Coordinator [jota@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:jota@qldhq.scouts.com.au)  
**International Pen-Pal Program –Susan**

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# Program Ideas

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## SCOUT PROMISES FROM AROUND THE WORLD

### AUSTRIA

I promise on my honour  
To do my best  
To serve God and my country  
To help my fellow people  
And to live according our Law.

Ich verspreche bei meiner Ehre,  
dass ich mein Bestes tun will,  
Gott und meinem Land zu dienen,  
meinen Mitmenschen zu helfen  
und nach unserem Gesetz zu leben.

### BRAZIL

*Prometo pela minha honra  
Fazer o melhor possível para cumprir os meus deveres  
Para com Deus e minha Pátria  
Ajudar o próximo em toda e qualquer ocasião  
E obedecer a lei escoteira*

I promise on my honour  
To do my best to fulfill my duties  
To God and my Country  
To help the other in each and any occasion  
And obey the Scout Law.

### Canada

On my honour  
I promise that I will do my best  
To do my duty to God and the Queen  
To help other people at all times,  
And to carry out the spirit of the Scout Law.

### Columbia

Yo \_\_\_\_\_ por mi honor y con la Gracia de Dios,  
prometo hacer to do cuanto de mí dependa  
para cumplir con mis deberes para con Dios,  
la patria y mi Hogar, hacer una buena acción cada día,  
trabajar por la paz y cumplir fielmente la Ley Scout.

I \_\_\_\_\_, by my honour and with God's Grace,  
promise to do all that depends on me  
to fulfill my obligations with God,  
my country and my home, to commit a good deed everyday,  
to work for peace and to faithfully obey the Scout Law.

### Japan

I swear on my honor to uphold the following three practices:  
To act in good faith towards God and my country, and uphold the  
[Scout] law.  
To always help other people.  
To strengthen my body, to make sound my mind, and to cultivate  
virtue.

### Sweden

*Jag lovar att efter bästa förmåga följa scoutlagen. (translated from  
Swedish) I promise to do my best to keep the Scout law.*

## WORLD FRIENDSHIP KNOT

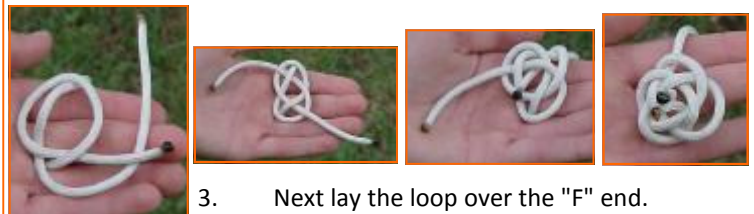
This is a real pretty knot. It isn't very hard to tie either. It is often  
given as a token of thanks or friendship and is tied with smaller  
rope or string and hung over a pocket button. The pictures below  
were made using parachute cord. I think it looks best using a stiff  
rope that holds it shape better. It doesn't look very pretty tied using  
a twisted or fuzzy string.

This makes a good activity at a retreat. They could be made from  
different colored and sized rope. Trade  
them with a special friend you've made



at camp. Or use them at a religious retreat as a symbol of unity

1. Fold the rope in half and drape it over your top two fingers. We'll call the two ends "F" for front and "B" for back
2. Make a loop in the "B" end. Make sure the end goes UNDER the loop.



3. Next lay the loop over the "F" end.
4. Take the end that goes under the loop and pull it up slightly through the loop.
5. Now take the "F" end and move it around and under the "B" end.

6. Next, thread it over the loop and under the  
rope that you pulled up in the middle of the  
loop. The shape you have should look like the  
picture. Note the diamond shape in the center.  
Also, note that you have made a loop around  
your two fingers.

7. Take one of the ends and loop it around the  
outside of the loop that is around your fingers.  
Then slide it up through the center of the dia-  
mond.





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## CAMPING PHOTO FRAME

### Materials

- Black Foam Frame
- Wiggle Eyes
- Foamie Camp Fires
- Tacky Glue
- Low Temp Glue Gun
- Cardboard
- 4-1/2" Cardboard Easel
- Scissors
- Photo
- Tape



### Instructions:

If using the multicolor campfire option, cut the logs from the brown campfire foamie. Glue it to the yellow foamie. Trim the orange foamie to make flames as shown in photo above. Glue it to the yellow foamie.

Glue the completed campfire to the corner of a black foam frame. Glue pairs of wiggle eyes to the rest of the frame. Tape photo to the back of the frame. Cut a piece of cardboard to 5" x 7". Glue to the back of the frame. Hot glue on an easel.

## KNOT BOARD ACTIVITY

Materials	Tools
1/4" thick craft foam	Scissors
3-6' thin wire	Wire Cutters
Various dowel rods	Needle nose pliers
Coat Hanger	Hot Glue
Printed names of knots	White Glue
PVC "D" ring	

Use thin wire of different colors, dowel rod, and metal hooks to demonstrate the use of the knots. Before tying the knots, decide how they will be mounted on the foam. If you plan to glue them to the foam you don't need much spare wire on each end. The other method of attaching the knots to the foam is to poke one or both ends through the foam and twist them together on the backside. Don't pull the knots too tight. If they are loose and neat, it is easier to see how they are tied. Use wire cutters to trim off any excess wire.



Print the names of the knots on paper using a computer. They are 10-point font in the photos above. Cut them out and use a little white glue to attach them to the foam. Hot glue a PVC "D" ring to the back to turn it into a slide.

## THE WORLD SCOUT EMBLEM

The Scout emblem which has been worn by an estimated 250 million Scouts since the Movement was founded and is today still used by 16 million Scouts in 150 countries and territories, is one of the world's best known symbols. But Scouts and members of the public often ask how the emblem originated.



Lord Baden-Powell himself gave the answer, "Our badge we took from the 'North Point' used on maps for orienteering them with North". Lady Baden-Powell said later, "It shows the true way to go."

So, the emblem helps to remind Scouts to be as true and reliable as a compass in keeping to their Scouting ideals and showing others the way.

In Scouting, we take the three tips of the emblem to represent the three main points of the Scout Promise. The two decorative five-pointed stars are taken in some countries to stand for truth and knowledge.

In the World Scout Emblem, the basic motif is encircled by a rope tied with a reef or square knot symbolizing the unity and brotherhood of the Movement throughout the world. Even as one cannot undo a reef knot no matter how hard one pulls on it so, as it expands, the Movement remains united.

The colour of the World Scout Badge is a white on a royal purple background. These, too, are symbolic. In heraldry white represents purity and royal purple denotes leadership and helping other people.

## INTERESTING SCOUTING FACTS

So, what really happens to a Scout, when they have left the Scouting movement? Records show that for every 100 people who join Scouting:

- 4 will become Queen's Scouts.
- At least 1 of these will say they value their Queen's Scout Award above their University degree.
- 17 will become future Scout volunteers.
- 12 will have their first contact with Church.
- 1 will enter the clergy.
- 18 will develop a hobby which will last throughout their adult life.
- 8 will enter a vocation that was learned through the Progressive Training Award Scheme.
- 1 will use his/her Scouting skills to save his/her own life.
- 1 will use his/her Scouting skills to save the life of another person.

Additionally, Scout's Account for:  
64% of RAF graduates.  
85% of FBI agents.

The following websites were used for this months Program ideas:

- [http://www.makingfriends.com/photos/frame\\_camp.htm](http://www.makingfriends.com/photos/frame_camp.htm)
- [http://www.e-scoutcraft.com/misc/knot\\_board.html](http://www.e-scoutcraft.com/misc/knot_board.html)
- <http://www.pinetreeweb.com/crest.htm>
- [http://atkinson.scoutsqld.com.au/famous\\_scouts.htm](http://atkinson.scoutsqld.com.au/famous_scouts.htm)



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## Meet the team

To run a great event you need a good team, to assist me and the Camp Chief we have the following team of Directors



Finance Director is Jean Clifford. Jean is a Jamboree Junkie and has held many roles at various Jamborees. Some of the roles have been Contingent Leader, Contingent Finance Leader, JTL and Assistant JTL. Jean is employed in the finance field and brings a wealth of experience to the role.



SafeTrans Director is Trevor O'Hara. At this Jamboree Trevor will be responsible for Transport and Security. Trevor has a lot of experience at Jamborees especially in the transport area. In his real job he works for Crime Stoppers which gives him a great insight on security and all dealings with Police, Am-

bulance and Fire Services



Support Services Director is Ryan Sodziak. Many of you know Ryan through contact with Branch Headquarters. Ryan has gained invaluable experience in Administration with his employment in Scouting and previously outside of Scouting. Ryan enjoys Jamborees and has been part of Administration teams for Queensland Contingent at various Jamborees.



Sites and Services Director is Albert Shelley. Albert is the Regional Commissioner for Western Region. Albert fits right into this role as his employment is in the electrical and communication field. His work also involves other trades that are beneficial in his role at the Jamboree.



Andrew Williamson is the Camping Director. Andrew is an Engineer and has a vast amount of experience in organising, planning and solving difficult situations. Andrew was an Assistant Jamboree Troop Leader at AJ2013 and is currently Assistant Regional Commissioner for South Brisbane Region



Michael Rice is Health Services Director. Michael is a doctor in Beaudesert and has been part of medical teams for two Jamborees and two Ventures. Michael has already formed a great team for AJ2013. In Scouting Michael is a Venturer Leader.



Paul Marnane is the Program Director and has many years of experience in Scouting. Paul has been involved with Committees in many other activity events especially in the Venturer Section. Paul was a former BC Venturers. Paul has formed a great team of assistants to help him put together a great program



Robyn Devine is Director for Marketing and Communications. Robyn's current role is BC Cub Scouts. Robyn slots into this role well as this is her field of expertise in the other world. Robyn has attended many Jamborees and has been part of the Queensland Contingent Team (known as Scoop)



Tim Gibbings is the Logistics Director looking after Catering and Supply. Tim has a vast amount of experience through his many years in the Army. Tim is District Advisor Cub Scouts for Murrumba District which is within the Near North Coast and Country Region.



Leith Clift is our Minutes Secretary and Contingent Liaison Officer. In Scouting you would have met Leith at either the Gang Show or Air Activities.

## Jamboree Information

Between now and January 2013 you will receive information regarding the Jamboree through the Queensland Contingent. Steve Marshall is the Contingent Leader and you should direct any questions through him. Steve will in the very near future be distributing promotional material.



Enjoy your Scouting  
Pieter Van Der Kamp (Smokey)  
Chief Director AJ2013

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# THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER QUEENSLAND SCOUT FOUNDATION GRANTS 2011 – NOW OPEN

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The paramount purpose of the Scout Foundation is to assist the development of Scouting in all Formations within Queensland Branch. Grants will be made only for purposes/projects, which provide apparent ongoing benefits for future generations of Scouting in line with Scout plan objectives. Grants are only available for up to one third of the total project costs.

**Grants will not be approved for the construction, upgrade or extension of Scout Dens.**

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**Applications close Thursday 1 September 2011**

Should you require any further information or details please contact Cameron Stanley, Project Development and Grants Officer Ph: 3721 5734 or Email: [grants@scoutsqld.com.au](mailto:grants@scoutsqld.com.au)



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**Hands Across The Water Program (Joey Scouts)**  
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If you **would like to know more about what is happening internationally in Scouting** or would like to participate in an overseas event, visit Scouts Australia's Website at [www.international.scouts.com.au](http://www.international.scouts.com.au) and it will open up many more links for you to explore?

If you have International stories and pictures to share, or require further International information please contact Paul Rollason, BC International, via Branch or E-Mail [bc.international@qldhq.scouts.com.au](mailto:bc.international@qldhq.scouts.com.au) or visit the Queensland website at [www.scoutsqld.com.au](http://www.scoutsqld.com.au) and click on "Events" and then "International".

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Contact  
Brent Greenfield

[QARM@OldRovers.Org.Au](mailto:QARM@OldRovers.Org.Au)



## Queensland Branch, Water Activities Scout Fellowship

### What is the Water Activities Scout Fellowship ? -

The Water Activities Scout Fellowship is a group of adults who share the common interest of Water Activities and come together as a group registered under the umbrella of Scouts Australia, Qld Branch. Membership is open to anyone over the age of 18 years.

### What Activities can I take part in ? -

All activities of the Fellowship are organized by members, for the benefit of members and their families. Our Fellowship is focused around Water. So, dependant on the wishes of the members we may canoe/kayak, sail, water ski, fish, or any other related activity.

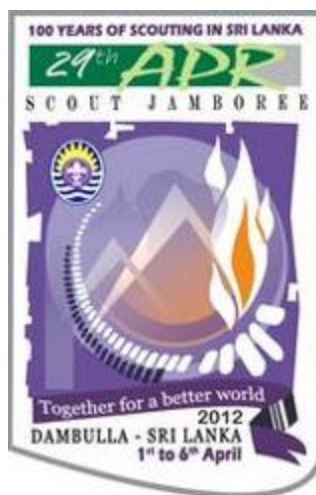
Our members use participation in Fellowship Canoe and Kayak events to improve and maintain their skills, logging hours to ensure that they can demonstrate CURRENT COMPETENCY as required in line with V.E.T accreditation.

As part of our obligation to our affiliation with Scouts Queensland, we have undertaken to provide "service" to the association on at least an annual basis. This most likely would take the form of supporting a large water activity for youth members.

### How do I find out more? -

The Fellowship maintains a website [www.waterscoutfellowship.scoutsqld.com.au](http://www.waterscoutfellowship.scoutsqld.com.au) with details of Coming events, Newsletters, Trip reports and Photo's. There is a direct link to our email address (waterfellowship@hotmail.com) or Please contact the office bearers as below.

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Secretary : Mark Lawrie 0421 697 123  
Treasurer : Lynette Kingston 0408 989 182



## 29th Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Jamboree

The Asia-Pacific Scout Jamboree is a major Scouting event which aimed at giving additional opportunity to young people between the ages 12 to 17 years old. For 2012, the Sri Lanka Scout Association will be hosting the 29th APR Scout Jamboree in conjunction with the 100 Years of Scouting in Sri Lanka.

**Date:** 1 – 6 April 2012. Participants are requested to arrive on 31 March 2012 and should leave the Jamboree site on 7 April 2012. International Service Team (IST) will arrive on 30th March and depart on 08th April.

**Venue:** Gam Udawa & Kandalama sites Dambulla, Matale District in the Central Province of Sri Lanka. 121 kilometres from the Bandaranayke International Airport (CMB).

**Fee:** USD 150.00 for all participants & Staff, USD 100.00 for IST. Jamboree Registration Fee will cover transportation to and from airport, tent accommodation, food (from 31st March to 7th April) and Jamboree souvenirs.

**Eligibility:** The Jamboree is organized for young people both male and female aged 12 to 17 years old. International Service Team (IST) should be above 18 years old and ideally not above 45 years old.

**Programme Highlights:** Opening and Closing ceremonies, adventure park (horse riding, archery, water activities), Youth Forum, friendship programme, camp Fires, APR village, sight seeing to places of World Heritage sites, etc.

**Home Hospitality:** Maximum of three days before or after the Jamboree will be arranged for overseas participants who are interested to extend their stay in Sri Lanka on request.

**Climate:** Warm and sunny weather.

For more information contact Paul Rollason

## SCOUT BUSINESS CARDS

Looking for a great way for new members to remember your details the business cards are the key. Scouts Queensland is offering leaders the chance to order business cards. The cards are priced at \$80 per 250 and are available for ordering on the member's only area on the Scouts QLD website. Please note business cards can only be ordered when order minimums have been reached. For more information please email [marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au](mailto:marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au) or call 07 3721 5712.

Shaun Sandilands  
Marketing and Promotions Manager







## QUEENSLAND BRANCH

### ENVIRONMENT EDUCATION

Is your Scout Group looking for an exciting conservation activity to get involved in? Then why not consider the Tiwest Night Stalk? I'm sure you would agree that anything that gets Scouts out in to nature and exploring their local environment has got to be a good thing!

**So what is Tiwest NightStalk all about?**

**Basically, grabbing a torch and spotter's log and discovering Australia's wildlife under the stars!**

It's a nation -wide spotlight survey of native and feral species. During the six weeks of Tiwest Night Stalk, surveys are conducted around Australia by a range of community groups. The surveys, which can be completed on any night between 1 September and 16 October, are designed to collect information about animal numbers and their distribution. This information is extremely important and will be collated into a nationwide database that can be accessed by individuals, Scout Groups and schools, community groups and conservation agencies.

As you will no doubt be aware, the United Nations has designated 2011 as the International Year of Forests. In recognition and support for this global initiative, this year's Tiwest Night Stalk is calling members of the community to action and invites them to explore local 'forests' and record the number of faunal species seen. For more information visit the Tiwest Night Stalk website at <http://www.perthzoo.wa.gov.au/Act/Nightstalk/>.

#### **CALENDAR DATES:**

- ★ Joey Scouts –July 23 at Rocky Creek (Environment CB)  
August 13 at Erapah (Environment CB)
- ★ Cub Scouts – July 9 at Rocky Creek (WSEB)  
August 20 at Erapah (Water Wise)
- ★ Scouts –August 6 at Erapah (WSEB)
- ★ Scouts/ Venturer Scouts –September 10&11 at Erapah (Weed Bust)

For bookings contact: [marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au](mailto:marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au)  
or for information - BC Environment, Judy Seymour 3203 4193

## JOEY SCOUT JAUNT 2011

**REGISTRATION:** Register at table at the entrance to Boys Field from 9.00 am.

**SITE LOCATION:** All Joey Scout Mobs select their own sites from the area near the fir trees. Remember to bring your **Joey Scout** flag (if you have one) to use on your site.

**NO VEHICLES ARE PERMITTED ON BOYS FIELD AFTER 9.00am**

**CAR/BUS PARKING:** All vehicles should be parked in the designated Car/Bus Park area. All vehicles moving around the site should display hazard lights.

**BASES:** Each Mob will be required to set up and run an activity base. It should be fun and challenging but be of little cost to the Mob. The theme is - **'We are the Future – start making a difference now'**. Please bring parent helpers to run your base to give leaders the opportunity to take the Joey Scouts to the bases and pick up some new ideas.

If you have a small Mob or are very new to the role please try to team up with another Mob – maybe from your District or Region. It's important that we provide plenty of options for both the Joey Scouts and Leaders.

**STAMP or STICKER:** Each Joey Scout will be given a passport to wear. **Please write their name on it immediately.** Joey Scouts will receive a stamp or sticker at each base they visit – **so remember one for your base!**

**PARADE:** Opening Parade will be at **10.00 SHARP**. Please assemble your Mob on the Parade Ground near the flagpole at 10.00 am. There will be **NO** closing parade.

**HYGIENE:** Rubbish bins will be placed around the site for your use on the day. Please leave your area as you found it. Please take your rubbish with you.

**TOILETS:** Toilets are located near the Agoonoree shed next to the abseiling tower and near the Cub Park Shelter.

**FIRST AID:** A First Aid base will be set up near the Registration tent at the entrance to the Boys Field service road.

**LUNCH:** Lunch will be from **12.00 – 12.45**. During this time please shut down your base, round up your Mob and take a break. Please re-open your base at 12.45. It is important that your base continues to run until **2.00pm**. After packing up please join us for the campfire at the campfire circle on Boys Field.

**FOOD:** Bring a picnic lunch or buy from the Rovers Sausage Sizzle... sausages in bread, sauce, poppers and cans of drink will be on sale.

**HELP:** An information base will be operating at the entrance to Boys Field should you require assistance during the day. Please make Leaders and other adults aware of it and please **SHOW IT TO THE JOEY SCOUTS** so they can report there if they become separated from their Mob.

Please ensure that parents who have other children with them understand that they are responsible for them during the day. Please return the tear off section to Michele marked 'Joey Scout Jaunt'.

We are happy to assist you with advertising your functions or activities but please check in at the registration desk before distributing flyers.

**REMEMBER HATS, SUNSCREEN AND WATER BOTTLES**

**HELP YOUR JOEY SCOUTS TO PARTICIPATE IN AS MANY BASES AS POSSIBLE AND HAVE A GREAT DAY!**

**Michele Johnson (Bilby)**

**BC Joey Scouts**

*Tear off here and return to:*

BC Joey Scouts  
Michele Johnson  
44 Willow Street  
ALBANY CREEK 4035

Mob:.....

Number of Joey Scouts: .....Others:.....

Number of Leaders: .....Other Adults: .....

Base you are providing;.....

Total Cost:.....Payment enclosed: .....

Leader contact: Phone:.....Mobile:.....

Email:.....

**Please make cheques payable to 'Scouts Queensland – Joey Scout Jaunt' and attach to application.  
Receipts can be collected from Administration during the day.**





## Venturer Participant Application Form

Please complete, sign and mail this form to Urban Challenge 2011, PO Box 520, TOOWONG, Q. 4066 together with payment form. After your form has been received you will be contacted about your Team Allocation. Please note that drop off for the event is at **Camp Hill State Infants and Primary School, 676 Old Cleveland Road, Camp Hill, Friday, 22 July 2011 from 7:00pm** and pick up at the same location by no later than **Sunday, 24 July 2011, 4:30pm**.

### Participant details:-

SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES	MEMBERSHIP NUMBER	SECTION
DATE OF BIRTH	GROUP	EMAIL ADDRESS	MOBILE
ADDRESS	DATE OF TETANUS	<b>Medical and dietary requirements:-</b>	
DIETARY REQUIREMENTS		MEDICARE NUMBER	
ALLERGIES		<b>Emergency contacts:-</b>	
NAME OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN		RELATIONSHIP	
MOBILE	HOME	ADDRESS	

### In signing this form I am agreeing to the following:-

In consideration of the Scout Association of Australia – Queensland Branch Inc accepting me or my child as a member or accepting me or my child as a non-member partaker in an activity(s) I/we agree to release, indemnify and save harmless; and at all times hereafter to keep released, indemnified and saved harmless the indemnified persons (as defined in Definition A) from and against all liability, claims, suits, demands or actions of whatsoever nature or description, including liability, claims, suits, demands or actions for negligence directly or indirectly arising out of or in relation to my/my child's attendance or conduct at, or travel to or from any Scouting Activity. I/we agree to be bound by the Constitution Rules and Regulations of the Scout Association of Australia – Queensland Branch Inc being those existing as at the time of acceptance of me as a member/or non-member participating in a scouting activity and thereafter as lawfully modified and amended or added to from time to time. I/we acknowledge that the intent of this Indemnity is that it may be pleaded in limitation of liability by the indemnified person with respect to any claim that may be brought against the indemnified person.

I/we acknowledge that the intent of this Indemnity is to benefit the indemnified person and agree for the purposes of Section 55 of the Property Law Act (Qld) that acceptance of me/ my child as a member of the Scout Association of Australia – Queensland Branch Inc or as me/ my child as a non-member attending a scouting activity will constitute an acceptance by all the Indemnified persons of the benefit conferred by this application for membership/non-member activity advice.

I/we authorise the Scout Association of Australia – Queensland Branch Inc and all other branches of the Scout Association of Australia in the event of accident or illness to myself/my child to obtain such medical assistance or treatment as may be necessary and for this purpose to engage any doctors nursing assistance or hospital accommodation or other procedures and in such an event I agree to pay for those expenses and if necessary reimburse the Scout Association of Australia – Queensland Branch Inc or any other branch of the Scout Association of Australia for such expenses on demand.

I/we acknowledge that as member/non member myself/my child may be exposed to risk of injury as a result of participating in scouting activities.

I/we acknowledge that if the Scouting Association of Australia-Queensland Branch Inc permits the member to partake in scouting activities such permission constitutes consideration for the above indemnity.

I/we acknowledge that I have been given an opportunity to read and consider this indemnity and have read and considered it to my satisfaction and I/we accept those terms.

I/we acknowledge that as a member of The Scout Association of Australia, Queensland Branch Inc. I/my child may participate in activities which may be photographed or filmed for publicity and archival purposes. This enables us to raise the profile of Scouting within the community. Photographs, footage and information gathered may be used in The Scout Association of Australia, Queensland Branch Inc promotional material including but not restricted to: newsletters, annual reports, brochures, posters, videos, letters and website. The Scout Association of Australia, Queensland Branch Inc would be happy to send you copies of promotional material if requested.

It is acknowledged that the information contained on this form will be scanned by the Association and the Association will hold an electronic copy of this form and the information contained in it. Consent is hereby given to these actions proposed by the Association.

I understand the Scout Promise and Law and agree to abide by the Rules of Urban Challenge and all directions of the Urban Challenge Committee, their delegates and other activity Leaders while attending Urban Challenge. I understand that at the discretion of the Urban Challenge Committee, if I detract from a Scouting standard of behaviour I may be returned home by the most direct means at my own expense and no claim can be made by me for compensation in lieu of uncompleted activities.

I recognise that Urban Challenge is a DRUG & ALCOHOL FREE event and I will not bring drugs, alcohol, illicit substances or weapons to Urban Challenge, and doing so will

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions please contact Matthew Ray, Chairman UC2011 at [urbanchallenge@qldrovers.org.au](mailto:urbanchallenge@qldrovers.org.au) or on 0413 073 863.



### Venturer Payment Form

Please complete and mail this form to **Urban Challenge 2011, PO Box 520, TOOWONG, Q. 4066** together with application form.

SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES	EMAIL ADDRESS
SECTION	GROUP	

NAME OF PAYER
BILLING ADDRESS
CONTACT PHONE NUMBER

**Activity Fee: \$55.00**

I wish to make payment of the Activity Fee by:

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**CHEQUE/MONEY ORDER ATTACHED**

Please make cheques payable to **"QUEENSLAND ROVERS"**

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**PAYMENT ALREADY MADE WITH LINKED APPLICATION**

Name of applicant payment made with:

UCID of applicant payment made with:

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**CREDIT/DEBIT/EFTPOS CARD**

Please circle: VISA or MASTERCARD

NAME ON CARD	
CARD NUMBER	
EXPIRY DATE	AUTHORISED AMOUNT
CARD HOLDER'S SIGNATURE	



## Near North Coast and Country

# SKILLORAMA

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2011

11am – 3pm, Redcliffe Showgrounds



### Theme: Space

Activity and Fun Day for Joey Scouts,  
Cub Scouts, Brownies and Guides.

Also **BRING A FRIEND**

We encourage you to use the Bring a Friend system to fill your bus and recruit new members

**PRE BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL TO ENSURE ADEQUATE MATERIALS**



To assist in your planning for the day please remember:

- Local Dens are available for sleepovers
- Have everyone bring a District Badge for swapping at Badge Swap
- Food and Drinks available for very reasonable prices; including Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Sausages on Bread, Hot Chips, Cold Drinks, Tea & Coffee, & more.
- Slip, Slop, Slap – Hats must be worn
- Registration can be picked up from Administration Tent from 9:30am onwards.

Enquiries: Irma Howell , 30 McGregor Street, CLAYFIELD QLD 4011, Mobile: 0400 575 335

John Mackinnon: john.mackinnon@defence.gov.au

### REGISTRATION FORM

NAME OF GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_ LEADER: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE INDICATE NUMBERS:

JOEY SCOUTS \_\_\_\_\_

CUB SCOUTS \_\_\_\_\_

FRIENDS \_\_\_\_\_

GUIDES \_\_\_\_\_

SUB TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$5.00 EACH = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

EXTRA BADGES \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$2.50 EACH = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL (less \$0.50 per person if received prior to 27/8/10) \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**Please pre-book for catering and badges.**

Please make Cheques payable to 'Scouts Australia, Qld Branch'

And return with registration form to:

REGION COMMISSIONER, IRMA HOWELL, 30 McGregor Street, CLAYFIELD QLD 4011

I and \_\_\_\_ of my Leaders are prepared to be rostered on a skill for an hour. Yes/No

Preferred Times: 12pm-1pm 1pm-2pm 2pm-3pm





# SCOUTS QUEENSLAND



## Photo Competition



**LAST CHANCE**

- Take a photo between 1st January 2011 & 30th June 2011
- Each month between February and August 2011 a monthly winner will be announced in Encompass.
- Monthly winners will receive a \$25 Scout Supply Centre voucher.
- All Monthly winners go into the judging for the Major to be awarded in late August of a brand new Canon digital camera valued at over \$500.
- To be in the running for this great prize simply email your photos to [marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au](mailto:marketingmanager@scoutsqld.com.au) before 15th July 2011.
- Photos must be of Scouting activities and please no flood photos as we would like to see Scouts in Action.

Photo entrants must be from Queensland and photos must be between specified dates.

**WILD DAYZ**  
15TH AUSTRALIAN VENTURE - TASMANIA JANUARY 2012

Get In Touch

Come join us for the 15<sup>th</sup> Australian Venture "WILD DAYZ" and experience the best that Tasmania has to offer 3-14<sup>th</sup> Jan.

For the Ultimate experience join the Queensland Contingent Pre-Venture Tour 30th Dec - 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan.

**APPLICATIONS OPEN NOW**

[www.wilddayz.com](http://www.wilddayz.com)

Any Questions email [wilddayz.2012.qld@hotmail.com](mailto:wilddayz.2012.qld@hotmail.com)

**Port Arthur tour**