

UNLOCK YOUR WORLD of *International Scouting*



Be Prepared...
for new adventure!



WELCOME

Did you know that there are over 40 million Scouts around the world? Have you ever wanted to travel overseas and make new friends from across the globe?

International Scouting provides amazing opportunities for youth members to challenge themselves to explore new cultures, meet new people, try new activities and step out of your comfort zone in a safe and supported environment.

Over the next 18 months, there are many exciting events for you to explore. There are activities for Scouts, Venturer Scouts and Rover Scouts in countries ranging from New Zealand to The Netherlands and Ireland to Japan! Take a look through this brochure to learn about some of the amazing opportunities for you to travel overseas. Have you considered joining our Scouts International Student Exchange Program (SISEP) or attending an overseas Jamboree as part of an Australian Contingent?

An International Scouting experience can also be enjoyed at home and in your local Scout Group. There are opportunities to volunteer as a host family for a foreign Scout while they are visiting Australia. Your Scout Group could also participate in JOTA/JOTI or connect with the Pen-Pal program to communicate with Scouts overseas. More information about these activities are included inside this brochure!

I encourage every Scouting member to find at least one opportunity to explore the world around us!

Happy Scouting!

Aaron Wardle

International Commissioner of Australia

Euromoot! ***- New Zealand Rover Moot***

Rovers



Event runs: 29 March to 2 April 2018

Cost: \$865, Optional Post Tour \$675
+ Flights

Applications Open: 1 November 2017

Applications Close: 31 January 2018

Contact: Angus Boxall,
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nzmoot2018@scouts.com.au

The 76th New Zealand Moot will be held in Ashburton on the 2018 Easter long weekend!

The programme is organised around the three tenets of Rovering: service, social and self-development. So you can expect moot to be an action-packed, fun-filled adventure.

Typical activities include:

- Service project - take part in an amazing community project.
- Tour day - spend the day off-site on one of a number of adventurous tours with which to challenge yourself; or take it easy and spend the day on a relaxing tour instead.
- Costume parties - Each night there is a themed costume party with live bands, DJs or other entertainment.
- Shooting Trophy - Spend the afternoon at different bases, completing interesting challenges and fun games, as you compete for the prestigious Shooting Trophy.
- Sporting events - Compete in some sporting events including a cross-country and a tug-o war.

The Australian Contingent is offering an optional post tour to Queenstown with opportunities to enjoy a wide variety of adventurous activities or simply relax on the shores of Lake Wakatipu.



JamboRi – Scouting Ireland's National Jamboree

12 – 17 year old Scouts and Venturers



Event runs: 14 July to 7 August 2018

Cost: \$5,100
or \$3,100 with independent travel

Applications Open: 15 October 2017

Applications Close: 30 November 2017

Contact: Noel Davar
ireland2018@scouts.com.au

www.facebook.com/JamboRi2018OzContingent

This is the first time in 10 years that Ireland's opened its Scouting doors to the world – it's going to be big!

Scouts and Venturers from all over the world are invited to come and experience the legendary Irish friendship and hospitality. On the way there we will be touring the Scottish Highlands and meeting and possibly staying with some local Scottish Scout groups.

We'll look for the legendary Loch Ness monster, climb a Scottish mountain and maybe sleep in a real Scottish Castle! Meet new Scouts from the other side of the world and make some friends for life.

JamboRi 2018 "The place to be!"



17th Nippon Scout Jamboree 2018

12½ – 17 year old Scouts and Venturers



Event runs: 27 July to 16 August 2018

Cost: \$3,700
or \$2,400 with independent travel

Applications Open: 15 October 2017

Applications Close: 30 November 2017

Contact: Keith Gerrard – Contingent Leader
nippon2018@scouts.com.au

PO Box 1035 Dee Why NSW 2099

www.facebook.com/Nippon2018AusContingent

The Contingent will land in the busy Tokyo metropolis. You will experience the city and theme parks before traveling by bullet train to Kanazawa.

On the Sea of Japan, it maintains a rich cultural heritage of arts, cuisine, and castles.

The Jamboree is next to the beach up in Noto joining with 12,000 Japanese Scouts. After the activities, camp life, and making international friends you will join a Japanese family for homestay.



Roverway 2018

Rovers aged 18-22 years



Event runs: 23 July to 2 August 2018

Cost: \$1,680 + optional post tour \$1,100 + flights

Applications Open: 1 November 2017

Applications Close: 30 November 2017

Contact: Roy Velting, Contingent Leader
0432 860 945
roverway2018@scouts.com.au

Ever dreamed of camping on a raft, a rooftop or maybe a 17th century setting or how about camping on a beach with almost 3000 Rovers in The Hague?

Scouting Netherland will play host to Roverway, a triannual European camp for Rovers.

Optional post-tour to Drave Scout Centre in Portugal.



Baden-Powell Scout Peak Expedition 2018

Rovers

Event runs: November to December 2018

Cost: \$5,500 (including flights)

Applications Open: 1 November 2017

Applications Close: 30 November 2017

Contact: Eleanor Hewitt

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www.rovers.com.au/international/bp-scout-peak-expedition

A once in a lifetime opportunity to climb Baden-Powell Scout Peak in the remote hills of Nepal.

Over 25 days, the contingent will trek through the Langtang Valley and climb along a breathtaking ridgeline to reach the summit which stands at 5,800m above sea level.

On our way back to Kathmandu, we'll spend 5 days in the Langtang village, helping the village in their rebuilding efforts after the 2015 earthquake. You'll be pushed harder than ever before.

It's not for the faint hearted, high fitness standards are a must, and spaces are very limited.

The Baden Powell Scout Peak expedition will truly be a trip to remember where you'll come away with more than just a summit.



Illuminate 2019 ***- 14th New Zealand Venture***

Venturers



Event runs: 27 December 2018 to 15 Jan 2019

Cost: \$2,500 + expedition fee
+ optional pre-tour

Applications Open: 12 February 2018

Applications Close: 12 March 2018

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The 14th New Zealand Venture - Illuminate 2019 will be held in Kaiwaka, Northland.

The Pre-tour in Queenstown is about the thrills, you'll be jetboating, skydiving and lots more. Then you'll hit the Venture site in Northland to learn new skills, challenge yourself and meet heaps of new people! Finally, as you prepare to depart, you'll head to Rotorua for more adventure, a Maori cultural experience and to relax in, thermal pools all before you farewell your new best friends.



SISEP (Scouts International Student Exchange Program)

Venturers



Event runs: 25 November 2017 to 13 Jan 2018
(Denmark, Japan Scotland)
and mid-December to mid-Jan
(Indonesia)

Cost: \$1,500 - \$3,300

Applications Open: 1 October 2017

Applications Close: 1 April 2018

Contact: Email your Branch Coordinator
SISEP
www.scouts.com.au/sisep

Experience Scouting, Family & School life in Denmark, Indonesia, Japan or Scotland!

Every SISEP experience is different, but no matter what happens you'll have a Christmas and New Year that you'll never forget! Being linked to the Scout Association in your host country gives you the unequalled opportunity to take part in challenging and diverse activities that only Scouting can offer.



Jamboree On The Air – Jamboree On The Internet

All

Event runs: Third full weekend of October each year

Approx Cost: No registration fees
only local activity costs

Applications Close: Check with your local group

Contact: Email your Branch
Coordinator JOTA/JOTI

www.international.scouts.com.au/programs-in-australia/jotajoti

Jamboree On The Air (JOTA) and Jamboree On The Internet (JOTI) is the world's largest annual Scouting event with over 1 million Scouts spread across more than 150 countries participating.

It is a virtual global camp with Scouts simultaneously communicating with other Scouts by means of amateur radio and the internet. JOTA-JOTI enables Scouts around the world to share their experience, establish and build scouting friendships promoting a sense of belonging to the worldwide Scout Movement.



International Pen-Pals

All

Event runs: Open all year

Cost: Free!

Applications Open: All year round

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www.international.scouts.com.au/programs-in-australia/penpals

Learn about Scouting in different cultures, develop lifelong friendships and travel the world from your own home. With Pen-Pals you'll develop skills in understanding youth from different cultures. Pen-Pal programs are age specific. For Joeys the whole mob participates as a group with leader support, Cubs as a six with leader supervision, Scouts as individuals or small groups, and Venturers and Rovers on their own.





For more information on International Scouting in Australia

www.international.scouts.com.au

