



Scouts Australia - ACT Branch

22 Australian Jamboree
Cataract Scout Park - NSW
4 – 14 January 2010



ACT Information Sheet Australian Capital Territory (ACT) Participants ELIGIBILITY

SCOUTS

- Must be older than 10^{1/2} and have not reached their 15th birthday by the 4th January 2010
- Must be an Invested and Registered Scout
- Must have been awarded the Pioneer Badge by the 30th September 2009
- Must have camped 10 nights under canvas as a Scout, 3 of which must have been consecutive
- Must have the endorsement of the Scout Leader and be considered by their parents/guardians to be of sufficient maturity to successfully participate in a Jamboree
- Must be supported by their Group Leader and by the Contingent Leader

JUNIOR SERVICE LEADERS (Venturer Scouts)

- Registered members of a Venturer Unit, at least 16 years of age on 4th January 2010 & not older than 18 years at the conclusion of the Jamboree.
- Recommended by the Unit Council and Venturer Leader and Group Leader
- Approved by the Venturer Commissioner and supported by the Contingent Leader.

ROVERS

- Registered members of a Rover Crew at least 18 years of age, but not older than 26 years, at 4th January 2010 will be accepted as Service Leaders.
- Must be recommended as suitable to attend by their RA/BRC and approved by the Contingent Leader.

LEADERS

- All registered Leaders (from any Section) and Rovers that attend the Jamboree must be part of the ACT Contingent.
- All Leaders must hold a Certificate of Adult Appointment as at 30th September 2009.
- Appointed Adult Support Members can also attend.
- Must be recommended as suitable to attend by their Group Leader or next appropriate Level of Commissioner, and approved by the Contingent Leader
- All Adults Attending the Jamboree are required to have a Police Clearance

All ACT participants must apply via the ACT contingent. All applicants must be part of their home Contingent and pay the appropriate Jamboree fee including a Contingent fee.

All applicants must be recommended by their Group and/or responsible Commissioner as suitable members of the contingent.

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

General Jamboree information is available by contacting scout.commissioner@act.scouts.asn.au

A Jamboree is a wonderful experience. Thank you for considering an application. Your Scout Group and the ACT Contingent team is keen to assist you get to the Jamboree so don't hesitate to ask for assistance

Rob Fredericksen
Contingent Leader

APPLICATIONS DUE 31ST March 2009

How to Apply

Please retain this page for your information

1. Please complete all sections of the *Participants Application*
2. Ensure that parent(s) or guardian(s) sign the Agreement, Activities and Authority (Rovers and Leaders sign for themselves)
3. Obtain the required signatures as follows

Scouts	Scout Leaders and Group Leader
Venturer Scouts	Venturer Leader and Group Leader
Rovers and Leaders	Group Leader or appropriate Commissioner
4. Forward the Participant application form (except this page) together with;
 - A current passport sized photograph of the applicant, attached where indicated.
 - A complete ACT Contingent details sheet including payment details – see a separate sheet
 - The Deposit of \$300. If cheque payment then an attached cheque made payable to Scouts ACT AJ2010

All forms must arrive at ACT Branch Headquarters, 89 Kitchener Street Garran by 31st March 2009. Note adequate time should be allowed to the required signatures with Groups encouraged to collect for their Group and submit as a set to ACT Branch Headquarters.

Late applications may be submitted, however attendance at the Jamboree cannot be guaranteed because of the need to finalize arrangements and placement with others from your group will become progressively more difficult throughout the year

Costs

	Scouts	Venturers	Leaders / Rovers /Other Adult Members
Jamboree Fee	\$840.00	\$530.00	\$500.00
ACT contingent Fee	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$300.00
Total	\$1140.00	\$830.00	\$800.00

Participant cost differences reflect the activity offerings i.e. scouts get the full program

Payments

Note: The table below reflects a recommended payment structure. Following a deposit payment a more flexible or more frequent payment arrangement may suit personal circumstances – this will be supported if the payment milestones can be met. In addition other arrangements may be considered if raised with the ACT Contingent Team.

Any costs associated with rejected transactions or returned cheques will be returned to the customer

	Payment	Cost	Due at ACT Branch HQ
Scouts	Deposit	\$300.00	31 st March 2009
	2 nd Payment	\$450.00	30 th June 2009
	Final Payment	\$390.00	30 th September 2009
JSL (Venturers)	Deposit	\$300.00	31 st March 2009
	2 nd Payment	\$300.00	30 th June 2009
	Final Payment	\$230.00	30 th September 2009
Rovers/Leaders	Deposit	\$300.00	31 st March 2009
	2 nd Payment	\$300.00	30 th June 2009
	Final Payment	\$200.00	30 th September 2009

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

Withdrawal

- Withdrawal Policy**
- If you withdraw prior to 1st July 2009 there will be a refund of all monies paid
 - If you withdraw after 1st July and prior to 1st November 2009 there will be a refund of monies paid less \$90
 - If you withdraw after 1st November 2009 there will be a refund of all monies paid less \$220, noting that you will be provided with some personal equipment ordered on your behalf.

Transport

The ACT Contingent will be travelling to the Jamboree by coach. The journey is approximately 3 hours each way. The ACT Contingent Fee component of the total Jamboree for ACT participants includes coach transport.

ACT Contingent participants choosing to travel independently and declaring so at the time of application are still required to pay the full fee. However should funding allow a rebate will be paid after the Jamboree.

Contingent Newsletters and Website

Applicants will receive newsletters through the year and have access to the website www.actscoutaction.org.au

Medical Obligations

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