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The Region Training Team ran a successful AL1 course over two days in February. The participants had lots of fun learning new skills and sharing knowledge. The flexibility of the two Saturday's training meant no one had to give up their entire weekend!

Photos courtesy of Matt Thompson.



1st WINSTON HILLS SCOUT GROUP

40TH ANNIVERSARY

All current members, past members and associates are warmly invited to join our very special 40th Anniversary celebrations on

Sunday 2nd May, 2010

11 am - Annual General Meeting
12 noon – BBQ, Games, Activities Photo and Memorabilia Displays

1st Winston Hills Scout Hall

Edison Parade
Winston Hills

All Welcome

www.winstonhillsscoutgroup.com



THE BUNDY CLUB

WORKING BEE

at Bundilla

Saturday 1st May from 9am to 1pm

Please come and lend a hand to help make Bundilla beautiful .

Stay for one hour or four - whatever you can manage every little bit helps and is appreciated.

Bring gloves and gardening tools if you wish to help with the gardens.

Morning tea will be provided.



For all the latest news from the Region visit

www.greaterwestscouts.com.au

ANNUAL GWS REGION JAMBORETTE

11th - 14th June, 2010

Bent's Basin State Conservation Area

Theme:

Wipeout Disasters

All forms available on the GWS website or at Region Office.

Early bird registrations due 14th May

Registrations close 1st June



FROM THE REGION COMMISSIONER

Finally some great news... We have two ladies in Region Office and they are Kim Harris and Maggi Roynon. Please call in and say good day if you are in the area. The office hours are now Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 9.00am to 3.30pm and Friday 10.00am to 4.30pm. The office will be closed Monday unless there is a special reason to open. I thank Anne Thompson for the excellent job she has done whilst we were without office staff.

The Camp Caretaker's position has been filled at last and Michael and Adele Lockman will be taking up residence very soon.

Bundilla is starting to look good after a major face lift. The construction work, sewer renewal and all the painting is now completed. The new carpet and air conditioning are yet to be installed. This will be the best scout camp site in Sydney once all the work is completed!

The AGM packs have been distributed to your District Commissioner and every Group should have set their AGM date. Treasurers should have the books ready for or with the auditors. Please make sure you book your AGM with your DC or Region Office.

We received over 50 nominations for 2010 Adult Recognition Awards and these were sent to State Office for approval by the Awards committee. Awardees will be advised by mail in late July 2010. The presentation dinner will be held in October and you will receive notification prior to the date.

Don't forget to put 1st August in your diary as this is our Big Day In. Our planning committee has started meeting, so if you would like to make any suggestions for the day or would like to run a stall, please talk to me.

Neville Henderson RC
rc@greaterwestscouts.com.au

Congratulations and Best Wishes to

Erica Barlow

1st Blaxland Venturer Unit

who has earned her Queen's Scout Award

BRAVO



WELL DONE

JOEY SCOUT NOTES

The Joey Scout section has started the year with twenty registered mobs. As well, there are two new mobs starting and about to be registered. Welcome Blackheath and North Mt Druitt. There are 64 Leaders looking after the youth members in the 22 mobs.

Planning has started for our **Fun Day in May**. We are having a **Super Joey Day** with the Joey Scouts participating in adventurous activities such as the climbing wall, the flying fox and an obstacle course.

At a recent Commissioners Conference, a set of **Desirable Standards for Joey Scouts** was drawn up. These standards give the Leaders something to aim for in the mob and are a way of achieving the aims in the Strategic Plan. If any Joey Scout Leader does not have these documents please contact me.

Kathy Cuneo RC Joey Scouts
joeys@greaterwestscouts.com.au



SUPER JOEY SCOUTS FUN DAY

Sunday 16th May

9:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Bundilla Scout Camp

6 Baden Powell Place

Winston Hills

Cost

\$15 for Joey Scouts

\$ 5 for Leaders

CUB SCOUT NOTES

I look forward to seeing you all at **PALANEE** on **Friday 7th May** at Bundilla. Come along and join the fun! Go home with new programme ideas shared by the Region Team and by chatting with other Leaders. Remember to bring your Youth Helpers with you. Cost \$5.00 per person - supper included. Wear your uniform and bring a torch. See you there for all the fun.

Have you arranged a **CUBOREE** information night for your Pack? If not see your District Cub Scout Leader NOW!

I am still looking for Leaders to assist on our activity base at CUBOREE. If this sounds like something you would be interested in doing please contact me at cubs@greaterwestscouts.com.au

Our Region Cub Outing, otherwise known as **Parramatta Ramble**, will be held on **Sunday 30th May**. We expect those of you travelling by train or bus to start your ramble at the station, while those who need to drive, to start at Parramatta Park. On arrival you will be given instructions and tasks to complete. Expected cost is \$10.00 this includes a badge, entry to Lancer Barracks and some other surprises. See the website or your DLCS for the A1. Participation in this day's activities will see your Cub Scouts complete Part 2 of the Local History Badge.

Looking for more program ideas? Then visit <http://scoutsfirstaid.stjohnqld.com.au> for great First Aid ideas and take part in **Scouts in Action Week**.

Diary Dates

- May 15 & 16** Meeting for Pack & Base Coordinators for Cuboree
- August 28** PALAVER
- September 18** Cub Scout Leadership Course
- October Dates for your Cub 23 & 24** Cuboree Shakedown Camp
- October 30 & 31** Cuboree Shakedown Camp
- November 6 & 7** Cuboree Shakedown Camp
- January 9 - 13, 2011 CUBOREE @ Cataract Scout Pk**

Have Fun!

'Tricia Shaw RC Cub Scouts
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Congratulations and Best Wishes to the following Cub Scouts who have earned their Grey Wolf Award

Fouad Al-Lakkis	3 rd Merrylands
Wajih El-Lakkis	3 rd Merrylands
Ahoo Imanikaf Shari	3 rd Merrylands
Samuel Black	1 st North Rocks
Alyssa Pluke	1 st Glossodia
Scott Green	2 nd Castle Hill

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AN INVITATION

To

**ALL CUB SCOUT LEADERS
AND YOUTH HELPERS**

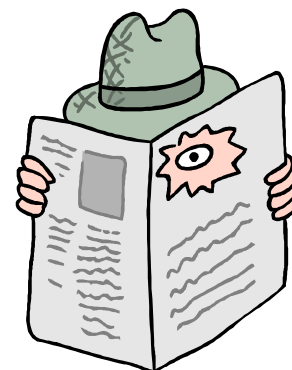
To attend

PALANEE

on

Friday 7th May 2010

Come along and join the fun



Cost \$5.00

Supper Provided

Dress: Uniform

BRING A TORCH!

FROM THE SCOUT DEN

DISTRICT SCOUT LEADERS NEEDED URGENTLY

We are now down to just one District Scout Leader in our Region! We really do need people to take on the role of a District Scout Leader (DSL) to help our programs move forward. The job of a DSL is not as heavily involved as that of a Scout Leader - unless you want it to be. You do not need to attend Troop meetings every week, unless you want to. The main meetings a DSL attends, is the District Council, District Mindari and the Region Mindari. Other times the DSL meets with various Leaders within the District and Troops.

You get to 'visit' Scout Troops on their camps and you don't have to camp there unless you want to or you are invited by the Troop. You get to organise your District's events with the assistance of all the other Leaders in the District and you get to work with all the other DSL's in the Region along with the Region Commissioner Scouts (who really is a nice guy)! One of our DSL's meets and eats with all the Troops in his District at the annual Jamborette, so he doesn't even have to cook for himself!

As a DSL you would need to; have a great sense of humour, a willingness to listen to others, give practical advice and assistance, organise teams of people for District and Region events, run the District Mindari and you should possess a Wood Badge. The Wood Badge can be worked on whilst temporarily filling the role of DSL. You also need the approval of the Region Commissioner as well as the blessing of your District Commissioner and Region Commissioner Scouts.

If you think you might be interested, please contact either Neville Henderson or myself. **WE NEED YOU** and look forward to seeing or hearing from you soon.

SCOUT YOUTH COUNCILS

A couple of years ago the State PL Council came up with the idea of creating the Scout Youth Council which not only included PL's but also other Scouts mature enough and willing enough to contribute their ideas and help to improve the quality of Scouting in the State.

One of the main concerns from that original meeting was that information was not being passed to them from the State, Region or District levels, nor was it going from them up the lines. Also information was not necessarily going to them across the lines from the Region and District Mindari's and back again. Another concern was that Scouts who were PL's involved in the PL Councils were not there long enough before moving on to Venturers, and so continuity and good ideas were being lost.

The intention was that a Scout Youth Council (SYC) be formed at the District, Region and State levels which included both PL's, APL's and mature thinking Scouts to discuss relevant details on matters related to Scouts within their District, Region and State. Representatives from the District SYC, usually at least the chairperson and one other person, are nominated to attend the Region SYC. Then at the Region SYC nominations are sent to a State SYC. Hence information flows up the line and they in turn, should bring information back down the line.

We already have our Region SYC formed with an executive. We now need District SYC's formed with representatives to attend the Region SYC.

We ask you as Leaders to please promote this within your Districts and get a District SYC organised. We have two Leaders in our Region who have an assignment as mentors and can be called upon to assist in getting them going. There is also a good deal of information on the [patroltent.com website](http://patroltent.com) on how to get one started in your District as well as sample agendas and forms. If you need further assistance, please contact me.

DESIRABLE STANDARDS

This year we are also going to focus on achieving a level of Desirable Standards for the Scout Troops within our Region. At our last Region Mindari, everyone was given a one page document, referred to as Desirable Standards. This document lists the expected standards which we should be trying to achieve in our Troops. Some of the standards may be already be in place in your troops, perhaps none of them are being achieved. The idea is, for you as Leaders of your troops, to see what standards you are already achieving and identify those which you know you can work on, to achieve in your Troops this year. You may not be able to reach all of them, but if you can reach an extra five then that is a great achievement. Ask your District representative for a copy of the info sheet or contact me and I can email one to you. Let's see what can be achieved in 2010. More to come next month.

Yours in Scouting

Robin Garrett - RC Scouts

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VENTURER REPORT

Last month saw a good number of Venturers on our Region Canoe Course. Congratulations to everyone who gained their qualifications on the weekend and a special thank you to Keith Travers and John van den Burg for their assistance in running the course. The course ran very smoothly and the Venturers learnt a great deal from the experience.

Well done on the great performance and I am looking forward to seeing many more boating activities within the Venturer section in the year ahead.

If there are any Venturers interested in gaining their qualifications, we are looking at scheduling an extra course later in the year. Please contact me to register your interest.

I would like to congratulate 1st Ermington on the successful registration of their new unit. Having personally visited the unit recently, I can testify to the great enthusiasm amongst the Venturers and their Leaders. The unit is running an exciting program with many great activities and I wish the unit well in their future endeavours. Thank you also to 1st Winston Hills, for hosting the unit over the past 12 months as they prepared themselves for registration.

Anzac Day is fast approaching. Venturers interested in attending Anzac Day in the city must ensure that they have correct uniform (including appropriate trousers). The Venturers will be gathering on the night before to travel into Sydney by train. Listen out for more details at the next District Venturer Council.

Finally, I would like to welcome Judy Barr as the new District Venturer Leader to work with units in the Penrith, Hawkesbury and Blue Mountains Districts. Judy has a wealth of experience in the Venturer section and will be a great source of support to the units in these areas.

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TRAINING TALK

COURSES

The TT1 and AL1 courses were most successful, with participants appreciating the local training which accommodated their needs. Since running the courses there have been a number of requests for another TT1 and the possibility of running a combined AL2 and AL3 course! The simple answer is yes - if there is enough interest and we can get dates that suit everyone - we will run the courses. The location will depend on the participants. The flexible training times seem to suit many people, so if you are interested in either a TT1 course or a multi sectional AL2 and or AL3 then email me via the training email address.

COURSES

Basic Leadership 1 Course

As part of our Region's flexible training commitment, a BL1 course has been organised for two Sundays, the 23rd and 30th May at Blaxland Scout Hall. Cost \$85. Applications to GWS Region Office by 30th April please.

A **Basic Leadership 2** Course is being organised for June or July. Watch the Region website for more details.

PERSONAL LEADER ADVISOR'S MEETING

The next PLA meeting will be held on 29th April at 7.30pm in the Rotary Hut, Bundilla. Please RSVP via the training email.

NEW LEADER KITS

The 2010 New Leader Kits are available from the Region Office for \$10 each. Please note that all forms must be dated 2010, so Groups need to scrap any old kits they may have stockpiled. Old kits are old kits and 2006 is definitely old! These kits are obsolete and you are doing a disservice to your new Leader by trying to get them past the Trainers!

We welcome on board Mary Garrett, as DLT for Blue Mountains but sadly David Robinson is unable to continue as DLT for Blacktown. Thank you David for your support and we hope to see you back when commitments ease.

Aafke Futchter-Hall is currently running the Introductory Training nights. Bookings can be made through Region Office or via my email. I do encourage bookings to ensure we have enough helpers for the night. Paperwork completions continue to be the 4th Thursday at Bundilla - once again, please book in with Region Office or email me.

Ann Pounder
training@greaterwestscouts.com.au

ROVER REPORT

At the GWS Region Rover Council's AGM, following a successful year under the chairmanship of Bennett Lansley, the following Rovers have taken up positions on the **Region Rover Council for 2010 - 11**;

Lauren Thorn (Westmead Rover Crew)
Chairman and Activities/Services Co-ordinator

Matt Thompson (1st/2nd Merrylands Rover Crew)
Vice-chairman and Training Officer

Rebecca Sampson (Westmead Rover Crew)
Secretary

Bennett Lansley (Kings Langley Rover Crew)
Treasurer and BRC Delegate

Brendan Richards (Kings Langley Rover Crew)
PR/Internet Officer

Mitchell Shaw (Kings Langley Rover Crew)
Venturer Liaison Officer

Josh Crump (1st/2nd Merrylands Rover Crew)
NSW YACS Delegate

Tom Ibbotson (1st/2nd Merrylands Rover Crew)
BRC Delegate

ANZAC Day will see the Rovers helping out again at the Sydney Dawn Service and March and also at their local RSL services and marches.

On the eve of **St George's Day**, NSW Rovers are hosting a **Thanksgiving Service** in honour of St George, the Patron Saint of Scouts and Guides. All Scouts, Rovers and Guide members are welcome to attend this very special service at St James Church, King Street, Sydney on **Thursday 22nd April from 7.30pm**. Full uniform to be worn. ALL sections welcome to attend (Joeys, Cubs, Scouts, Venturers and Leaders). Rovers are invited to bring their crew flag/St George's Flag to be blessed.

On **Saturday 1st May**, come dressed in your Sunday best and have a fun night of candles, suits and burgers at the **Annual Formal Regressive Maccas Dinner**, which will be run by the Kings Langley Rover Crew. For more information, please send an e-mail to kingslangley@gwsrovers.com.au.

Are you *game* on attending this year's GWS Region Moot on August 7 and 8? The Kings Langley Rover Crew are certainly *game* to get the *game on* at this year's **Gamer Moot!** For more information, please send an e-mail to kingslangley@gwsrovers.com.au. And stay tuned for info on this **July's Roventure!**

DIARY DATES

St Georges Eve Service - 22nd April
ANZAC Day, Sydney Dawn Service + March - 25th April
ACT Moot (AZT Moot) - 30th April to 2nd May

Full details available on
www.greaterwestscouts.com.au/rovers/calendar

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Blaxland Rovers cleaning up Yellow Rock on Australia Day.



Photos courtesy of Matt Thompson

St George's Day Service

Thursday, 22 April 2010
7.30pm - 8.30pm
St James Church, 173 King Street, Sydney

This service is being held on the Eve of St George's Day, that is Thursday 22 April.

Please pass this information onto all Scouts and Guides in your local area. We also extend this invitation to all members of the Scouting and Guiding families.

This service is a non-denominational thanksgiving service to St George, who was chosen by Lord Baden-Powell to be the Patron of the Scouting Movement. This year we are fortunate to have the Children's Choir which has a few Scouts in amongst them.

Baden-Powell recounted in *Scouting for Boys*, "that the Knights of the Round Table, had St George as their Patron Saint, because he was the only one of all the saints who was a horseman. He is the Patron Saint of Cavalry, from which the word chivalry is derived".

On St George's Day, all Scouts and Guides are asked to remember their Promise and the Law.



REGION ACTIVITIES TEAM

I have a number of issues this month - the first is an ongoing problem with the **Flying Fox Team** - nearly all the members' qualifications have expired. I am looking at running a flying fox course in early May but I need to know who would be interested and available. Please advise with your preferred day/weekend.

The second issue I have is with the **A1 forms**. Most find their way to me, but many are incomplete and have errors, such as wrong dates, missing membership numbers, insufficient info on names of participants etc. or are missing parent's signatures. The main purpose of this form is to make sure all our members (youth and adults) are safe and covered. Let me be very clear, if you are the activity Leader and someone is injured or killed under your charge, there will be a lot of court action and the A1's will be scrutinised. These forms are designed to protect you and head off the blame game - but if they are not completed correctly, with all the relevant signatures and details, you are leaving yourself wide open to litigation. I am getting to the stage of deciding to cancel activities if the forms are not filled in correctly.

My third and final issue is that we are desperately **short of Leaders to run boating activities**; if you have Level 2 or 3 and wish to help with sailing or canoeing, please contact me. Remember your qualifications are only valid for three years and then they need to be renewed.

Congratulations to those that recently completed their TAA301c Training qualification.

DATES for CANOE COURSES

April 17 & 18 Winston Hills course

May 8 & 9 available

May 22 & 23 available

May 30 & 31 Holroyd District canoe course (20 only)

Don't forget our FAMILY FUN DAY ON THE WATER on December 5th at Lake Chipping Norton.

See you on the water!

Keith Travers

activities@greaterwestscouts.com.au

(H) 9632 - 3341



POSITIONS VACANT

DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS

Hawkesbury District

Parramatta District

DISTRICT LEADERS

District Scout Leader – Hawkesbury

District Scout Leader – Parramatta

District Scout Leader – Hills

District Scout Leader – Blue Mountains

DISTRICT LEADER TRAINING

District Leader Training – Penrith

District Leader Training – Holroyd

District Leader Training – Parramatta

District Leader Training – Blue Mountains

DISTRICT DELEGATES TO REGION EXECUTIVE

Most Districts need a representative.



If you are interested in any of the above positions please contact the Region Commissioner.



Congratulations

to

Guy Fitzimmons CSL

1st Castle Hill

and

Melissa Clarke DCSL

Blue Mountains District

*who have been awarded their
Cub Scout Wood Badges*

Bravo - Well done!

ROCK RELATED ACTIVITIES

A1 FORMS

In order to attend a Rock Activity, it is necessary to send an A1 form and some money to the Bundilla Office two weeks before the course. To locate the A1 form: go to the website www.greaterwestscouts.com.au up on the top line, click **Activities**, click on **Calendar**, click on the **relevant course** and **download** the **A1 form** for that course.

COMING ACTIVITIES

Abseil Courses:

11, 15 and 16 May. Also 10, 14 and 15 August.

Caving Course:

18, 22 and 23 May (abseil experience needed)

Scout Abseil Badge Course:

17th September (theory) and 19th September (practical)

Scout Top-Rope Climbing Course: 2

5th June (theory) and 27th June (practical)

Rescue Course:

13th June (Abseiler qualification needed)

Theory nights for Scout badge courses are organised at locations to suit attendees.

The complete year's program is on our web site at www.beprepared.com.au/gws

Group Courses can be arranged by contacting Rick.

Applications (on the A1 Form) should be sent to the Region Office (phone 9639 2488) two weeks before the course. Two-day and three-day courses cost \$20, one-day trips \$10, Scout Proficiency Badge courses \$5 (one-day) or \$10 (two-day).

Rick Jamieson Region RRA Coordinator
4572 1321 (for all enquiries)
rickj15@bigpond.com



A Scout on a recent GWSR Abseil Badge Course

Photo courtesy of Rick Jamieson

RADIO, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

RADIO OPERATIONS

I have noticed there is a lack of understanding and misinformation about radio transmission and radio related equipment within Scouts. This was particularly apparent at the recent Jamboree. At the amateur radio base, I compared some tracking equipment to an **EPIRB** (Emergency Position Indicating Radio Beacon) and to my surprise found that the Scouts had no idea what an EPIRB even was. This concerned me greatly, as did their delusion that mobile phones will work "every where". I have also witnessed some poor radio operating procedures and inappropriate language over the radio, from both Leaders and Scouts, particularly at large camps! I think as Scouts we should lead by good example.

To clear up some of these misunderstandings, I have created a **Radio Operations session** addressing all the common pit falls; the use of GPS, EPIRBs, Mobile Phones, Two-way radios and CB (Citizen Band) radio equipment. It will cover most radio operations that Scouts are likely to encounter in their activities. It will also relate to the **Scout Communications badge**. If this sounds interesting, or you have something you would like to add, please let me know as the program is still in the development stage.

On a related note, we are now the proud owners of a **Training EPIRB**. What is that, you ask? A training EPIRB is an EPIRB that will not transmit a signal if set off i.e. a **dummy EPIRB**, so it is safe for youth or Leaders to practise with, without the fear of sparking an emergency. It produces all the sounds and lights of a real unit, and I will be using it during the Radio Operations program I have described.

A special thanks to GME Australia and Action Communications at Kingswood, who donated this training EPIRB.

Karl Humphreys (BUZZ) VK2HKF

RECENT NIGHTS



We started February with a **Liquid Nitrogen** night at 1st Baulkham Hills ROVERS, who meet at Murray Farm hall. It's always interesting to visit Rovers as something different usually happens. This time it was a Python, who luckily, was not there to be frozen or slither

around in the ice cream - it had been shown to the Cubs who meet on the same night!





Next stop was the waterside Group, 2nd Abbotsford, for an **Arcs & Sparks** night with their Cubs. A picturesque new, small hall, next to the ferry terminal and a flashback to younger days for Andy Walker.

Then onto Quakers Hill/Doonside for a first visit with their Cubs and Scouts. Just Jodie and I to present a shorter version of the **Arcs & Sparks** night, but the Leaders were most appreciative anyway.

The third week we made **Model Rockets**, with about 30 South Penrith and St Marys Scouts. Started Friday evening gluing on fins and parachute shock cords. Sort of organised chaos, but with help from Leaders, parents and my son and daughter (veterans in rocket making), the models were up to the stage where we could let the glue dry overnight. Back on Sunday morning to spray paint them white (with paint that actually dried in 10 minutes) and then decorate, apply stickers and make the launch base and electrical ignition wire. A pause to double check each rocket and explain the launch safety procedure, then out to the park and COUNT DOWN. A great experience for the Scouts, and a model they can display and launch again (except for two that were not recovered)!



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Alex Burke
1st/2nd Merrylands Rover Crew

29/1/1988 - 27/2/2010

Our deepest sympathy to his family and friends

REGION OFFICE

Thank you to Neville Henderson and all the kind people who have made us feel welcome and helped us to settle in to our new roles. It is a steep learning curve and we appreciate your patience. Just a few things that you can help us with please;

Y1 FORMS

- These forms must be dated 2010.
- They need to be sent in as soon as the youth member has been invested into your Group.
- They need all the requested signatures and dates and they need to be legible, so that we can process them immediately.
- Only the original Y1 can be sent to State.

A1 FORMS

- These forms must be dated 2010.
- They need all the required dates and signatures especially parent's signature for under 18's.
- Membership numbers must be entered on the form.
- Your Group name must be entered on the form.
- Do not create your own A1 if there is one on the website or available from the course coordinator.
- All cheques must be made payable to Scouts Australia, not GWS Region Office or Bundilla.

ACTIVITY COORDINATORS

- Could all activity coordinators notify us of any new courses they propose to run, so that we are not caught by surprise, when A1 forms start arriving .
- It would also be nice to know if a course is cancelled for any reason, so that refunds can be arranged.
- Please contact the office on or after the closing date to find out how many applicants there are for your course and let us know if the course will proceed or not. We can then finalise the course and complete the paperwork for you.

FIRST AID COURSES

SENIOR FIRST AID

June 19 and 20 Cost \$85 Closing date 5th June

ONE DAY REQUALIFICATION COURSES

May 15	at Penrith	Closing date	1st May
August 14	Cost \$75	Closing date	31st July

You must have a current (not expired) First Aid Certificate in order to do this course. A photocopy of current certificate must be submitted with your application form and money.



A1's and payment to be at Region Office by the closing date please.
Cheques payable to Scouts Australia.



The 41st Cumberland Gang Show

2010 BOOKING FORM

Special Event Nights: Key
 > Gala Opening - walk the red carpet on our 41st opening night (9th)
 # Red Scarf Night - a chance to catch up with old chums (13th)
 + Finale Night - special farewell shows from both casts (16th and 17th)

A RESERVE tickets all STALLS & the back of CIRCLE
 B RESERVE tickets top level GALLERY & sides of CIRCLE

Bookings OPEN
MARCH 20th



EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT: \$3.00 OFF EACH TICKET IN THIS TABLE FOR EARLY BIRD PURCHASES BEFORE 19TH JUNE 2010 - EXCEPT FAMILY TICKETS

BOOKING PLAN	Cast	Adult				Child/Pensioner				Family (2 Adults & 2 Child)		Office Use only
		A Reserve	B Reserve	A Reserve	B Reserve	A Res	B Res					
PERFORMANCES		Price	Qty	Cost	Price	Qty	Cost	Price	Qty	Cost	A Res	B Res
Friday >	9th 7.30pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50			\$75.00	\$65.00
Saturday	10th 2.00pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Saturday	10th 7.30pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Tuesday #	13th 7.30pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Wednesday	14th 7.30pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Thursday	15th 7.30pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Friday +	16th 7.30pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Saturday	17th 11.00am	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Saturday	17th 3.00pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
Saturday +	17th 7.30pm	\$28.50			\$25.50			\$19.50				
TOTAL Number of Tickets & Cost				\$			\$			\$		

How to Book Tickets

- By Phoning Lyall Wood on 9636 2731
- By Faxing this form to Lyall on 9636 2731
- By mail to 2 Oldfield St, Greystanes 2145 before 18th June 2010
- In person at Rehearsals from 20th March to 19th June 2010
- online at www.gangshow.asn.au from 20th March to 19th June 2010

PLEASE NOTE:

- All cheques to be made payable to SCOUTS AUSTRALIA . When forwarding a booking by mail, a stamped, self-addressed envelope for return of tickets would be appreciated.
- A Child is a person 15 years and under. Pensioner concession is at Child rate.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING DETAILS:

Name: _____ Phone No.: _____
 Address: _____
 Postcode: _____ Email: _____
 Money must accompany bookings. No refunds No returns No exchanges
 If paying by Mastercard / Visa / AMEX please circle and complete the following:
 Card No: _____ / _____ / _____ Valid Date: _____

Cardholders name: _____

Signed: _____ Amount: _____

GANG SHOW TICKET SELLERS DETAILS

Gang Members Name: _____ Patrol/Dept: _____

COST EXCLUDING FAMILY TICKETS

LESS \$3 PER TICKET FOR EARLY BIRDS (EXCEPT FAMILY TICKETS)
 LESS 20% GROUP DISCOUNT FOR 20 OR MORE TICKETS AT ANY ONE PERFORMANCE (EXCEPT FINALES & FAMILY TICKETS) PURCHASED BEFORE THE 19TH JUNE 2010

ADD THE COST OF FAMILY TICKETS PURCHASED BEFORE THE 19TH JUNE 2010

TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE \$



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**MR NEVILLE HENDERSON
Region Commissioner**

AND

**MR GEOFF MCGRATH
Region Chairman**

would like to invite you to be present at the

**63rd GREATER WESTERN SYDNEY REGION
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

to be held at

**BUNDILLA ACTIVITY CENTRE
6 Baden Powell Place
WINSTON HILLS**

on

**Sunday 20th June 2010
2.30 PM**

Please RSVP by Thursday, 15th June 2010 to:

6 Baden Powell Place
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Phone: 9639 2488
Fax: 9686 2510 or
Email: gws.region@nsw.scouts.com.au

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Tear off and return to 6 Baden Powell Place, Winston Hills NSW 2153

Name/s.....

Accepts the invitation to attend the Greater Western Sydney Region AGM

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