



The Bulletin

Newsletter of the Greater Western Sydney Region

Issue 414 - October 2013



COME AND JOIN US ON STAGE!!

Open to all active members of Scouts or Guides,
10 years old by 1st July 2014

Saturday 7th December 2013
Between 9am and 5pm




SPECIAL OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUNGER SCOUTS AND GUIDES

We're offering a taste of being in the Show to Joey Scouts, Cub Scouts, Pre Junior Guides and Junior Guides aged between 7 and 9 years old by 1st July 2014. In keeping with their ages, the requirements for them will be shorter and simpler. They will attend a general audition and information session, rehearsals will start and end earlier and their presence on stage will be limited.

Singing, Acting & Dancing

AUDITIONS NOW OPEN !!

JUST LOGON TO OUR WEBSITE:
WWW.GANGSHOW.ASN.AU
AND FOLLOW THE 'AUDITION NOW' LINK





Online applications close on **Friday 22nd November 2013**.
For more information or for late applications
please contact Lorraine at personnel@gangshow.asn.au or call **0425 318 952**

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FROM THE REGION COMMISSIONER

I am now back in the chair after three months touring around Australia with my wife in our caravan.

Firstly, I must thank David Stopps, my deputy, for filling in so ably in my absence and in particular, dealing with a number of contentious issues that arose in the past three months. These were handled efficiently by David and I thank him for keeping me informed during my leave.

Secondly, a belated huge congratulations to the recipients of the Adult Recognition Awards announced on World Scout Day. Don't forget the dinner on Thursday, 7th November at the Toongabbie Sports and Bowling Club and I look forward to seeing you on the night. Please get your registration in early to avoid disappointment.

I understand that the layside training day held in September was a success and those who attended learned a lot about the roles they have undertaken. Thanks to the Region personnel and the layside office bearers who helped on the day.

Not long now until the Cuboree Shakedown Camps at Bundilla and I look forward to visiting and having a chance to catch up with the Leaders who will attend and look after our children. I hope that the experience is fun for you all.

While I was away I had the opportunity to see how some Groups in other states operate and how they go about promoting Scouting. I will be discussing with the District Commissioners and my Region Team how we should go about increasing our numbers and having all Groups with at least two sections and 40 members.

I look forward to catching up with many Leaders in the next month.

Until next time...carry on scouting

Neville Henderson - Region Commissioner

Email: rc@greaterwestscouts.com.au

Please Note:

THE REGION OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

from

Monday December 23, 2013

to

Monday January 27, 2014

inclusive.



SCOUTS AUSTRALIA NSW

GREATER WESTERN SYDNEY REGION

Mr. Neville Henderson
Region Commissioner

and

Mr. Alan Overton
Region President

and

Mr. Geoff McGrath
Region Chairman

Cordially invite you to attend the annual

*Adult Recognition Awards
Presentation Dinner*

on

Thursday, 7th November 2013

6.30pm for 7.00pm start

at

Toongabbie Sports and Bowling Club
12 Station Street, Toongabbie

\$40 per person includes three course meal

*Full and correct uniform and
decorations to be worn please.*

R.S.V.P. to Region Office by
25th October 2013
(See page 13 for RSVP form)

REGION COMMUNICATIONS TEAM

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Region Leader Communications

Are you looking to do something different in Scouting or do you know of a Venturer or Rover who would like to become involved in Communications or Website Development?

We are currently looking at appointing one or more volunteer *Web Content Coordinators* to join the Region Communications Team. The appointment will be: **Region Leader Communications.**

The Web Content Coordinator would be responsible for adding and updating content on the Region website. News articles, links, calendar events, contacts and resources, which need to be monitored to ensure the information is current and relevant and updated in a timely manner.

The applicant should have basic graphic design and HTML skills and a high level of English language communication skills. The use of our web content management system will be taught to the ideal candidate or candidates on a one-on-one basis by the webmaster.

If you think you are the right person for this role or you would like some further information please contact:

Matt Thompson, RC Communications and PR

Email: webmaster@greaterwestscouts.com.au



Above photo, left to right:

Jack McCulloch - 1st Hawkesbury

Andrew Martin - 1st North Rocks

Robin Garrett, Region Commissioner Scouts

Jye Sloan - 1st/2nd Blacktown

Callum Firth - 1st Hawkesbury

Randall Jones, State Commissioner Scouts

The presentation of Australian Scout Medallions took place on Sunday September 15, at a special function at the Pennant Hills Scout Centre. Four proud Scouts from GWSR were awarded their ASM Certificates by the State Commissioner, Mr Doug Menzies.

Photos: David Stopps



YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

GWS Region Venturers are at it again with Waratah 2013: *The Amazing Race!*

9th and 10th November 2013

Volunteers are needed to assist with Support, Activities, Catering, Entertainment and many other roles

For further information please visit our website:

www.waratah.greaterwestscouts.com.au

or

Email: waratah@greaterwestscouts.com.au

We look forward to hearing from you and joining us for this fun event.

APPOINTMENTS LIST

03/9/2013— 07/10/13



APPOINTMENTS

O'HARA, Toby	Appt TL (J)	1st Ermington Joey Mob
HIBBARD, Mark	Appt TL (C)	1st Hazelbrook Cub Pack <i>Cumbora</i>
ROBERTS, Caroline	Appt TL (C)	1st South Penrith Cub Pack <i>Glenmore</i>
GORMAN, Sally	Appt TL (J)	1st Hazelbrook Joey Mob
FLETCHER, Kellie-jo	Appt TL (C)	1st Springwood Cub Pack <i>Tibrogargan</i>

TRANSFERS

GRIFFITHS, Colin	From Appt TL (J)	1st Greystanes Joey Mob
	To AJSL	1st Greystanes Joey Mob
MCELREA, Dean	From Appt TL (S)	1st Blaxland Scout Troop <i>Erskine</i>
	To ASL	1st Blaxland Scout Troop <i>Erskine</i>
OWEN, Carla	From Appt TL (C)	1st Carlingford Cub Pack <i>Alleena</i>
	To ACSL	1st Carlingford Cub Pack <i>Alleena</i>
SMILLIE, Philip	From Appt TL (J)	1st Dural Joey Mob
	To ACSL	1st Dural Cub Pack
TURNER, Tonya	From Appt TL (C)	1st Dural Cub Pack
	To CSL	1st Dural Cub Pack

RESIGNATIONS

CHARLES, Natasha	Appt TL (C)	1st Quakers Hill-Doonside Cub Pack
WHEAT, Adam	VSL	1st Hazelbrook Venturer Unit
COLLETTE, David	ASL	1st South Penrith Scout Troop <i>Gundooi</i>
PRITCHARD, Donna	AJSL	1st South Penrith Joey Mob <i>Jamison</i>
SAUNDERS, Brendan	RA (Responsible)	1st Baulkham Hills Rover Crew
SHAROFF, Jonathan	ASL	1st Springwood Scout Troop
BUSKIN, Michael	Appt TL (C)	1st Springwood Cub Pack <i>Tibrogargan</i>
HATCHER, Chloe	Fellowship Member	Blue Mountains Scout Fellowship
HOWARD, Christopher	ASL	2nd Northmead Scout Troop 28/08/2013
LIPSCOMB, Brian	AL (G)	2nd Northmead Scout Group
WEST, Shane	AL (G)	1st Grose Vale Scout Group

JOEY SCOUT REPORT

NOTICE of REGION WANDARRAH

Thursday, 17th October 2013 7:30pm

Rotary Hut, Bundilla

(All Joey Leaders to Attend please)

This month we will be discussing the future arrangements for Wandarrahs in GWS. Attendance at Wandarrahs has been very minimal almost rendering them ineffective. This has been reviewed and we will be discussing changes to the way we organise Wandarrahs in the Districts and the Region.

GWS Joey Region Team

Over the last 12 months we have been running with two District Leaders (Charlie 'Jock' McLean & Valerie Lockman) and myself. Our District Leaders were given two core districts to look after and then we have been trialling different ways to also support the other districts. We now have Leonie Plummer on board as a Wandarrah Leader for Parramatta District.

Support requests for Joey Leaders should also follow the organisation tree i.e. Group -> District -> Region.

Our Region Structure for Joeys is now as follows:

Blacktown	Charlie 'Jock' McLean
Blue Mountains	RCJS
Hawkesbury	RCJS
Hills	Valerie Lockman
Holroyd	Valerie Lockman
Parramatta	Leonie Plummer
Penrith	Charlie 'Jock' McLean

Trek about Badge

New stocks of the Trek about Badge have arrived at the Region Office (light blue background). This badge was introduced to promote outings for Joeys. Get them out of the halls - with summer very close, why not organise a bush walk or an excursion into the city, etc. Details for the Badge, as well as a list of ideas, can be found on the GWS Joeys website under "Badges" -> "Special Interest Badges" <http://www.gwsjoey.org.au/special-badges/>

Remember that each activity should only be credited towards a single badge. The Trek About Badges can be ordered from the Region Office for \$2 each. See the GWS Joeys website for the order form.

Long Term Programs

Do you know what you are doing next Year? Well now's the time to start considering it. This doesn't mean we need your weekly programs for next year

sorted out, you just need to consider all the State, Region, District and Group Calendars for next year and see where you can fit your activities in between them and start considering themes and challenge badges for 2014!

The GWS Long Term Programme form is being updated with the 2014 dates and will be released shortly. When it's released we might make it a Wandarrah Topic to get everyone on the right track.

**NSW State Konara
17th and 18th May, 2014
Glenfield Scout Camp**

Konara is a weekend camp for Joey Scout Leaders only and should be treated as a Mandatory Training item for ALL JOEY SCOUT LEADERS.

Each Region is running a base along the theme of **Our World** which will give ideas and examples of the things you can do with your Joey Scouts. GWSR has been volunteered to run a Games Base.

It's a Fun Weekend and a great opportunity to meet Joey Scout Leaders from all over NSW. There will be a **Training Module** run on the Sunday that can be credited towards your Leader training.

As this is deemed a Training Activity it is expected that your Groups should be funding the registration fee of around \$150 (to be confirmed).

All attending Leaders will be provided with electronic copies of all the resources.

Brian Zarth (Maggie) - RC Joey Scouts

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CUB SCOUT NOTES

All Cuboree final payments should have been posted to Cuboree Office by now. Applications for newly invested Cubs need to be forwarded to Region Office with full payment as soon as the application is able to be submitted on-line. Any one who is not travelling to or from Cuboree by bus must complete an Independent Travel form and forward it to Region Office as soon as possible please, as we are trying to finalise bus numbers.

Pre Cuboree camps are about to happen at Bundilla for our eleven Cuboree packs. My sincere thanks to the Pack Coordinators for the great job they are doing, bringing everyone and everything together, which is no mean feat! Thank you also to all the Cub Scout Leaders who are busy preparing their Cubs for Cuboree and supporting the Pack Coordinators. Don't forget that the Cuboree merchandise is now on the website. Collect the orders from your parents and give the forms and money to your Pack Coordinators as soon as you can - you don't want to miss out on some of the great souvenirs on sale!

Orders for the navy Cuboree fleece jacket go directly to Cuboree Office, Port Kembla - they are not ordered through your Pack Coordinators.

I have a very new looking Cub Scout cap that was left behind after the last CS Leadership Course - unfortunately it has no name on it! Please email me if you know who owns it, so I can return it to them?

This seems a good time to remind all parents of the need to label everything that their children pack to take to Cuboree. Have a laundry marker handy as you help them pack their bags and tag everything. This will save a lot of grief at Cuboree for all Cubs and Leaders!

My thanks to all the Leaders who sent me messages of thanks for the Parramatta Ramble, it is lovely to get positive feedback to share with my team - it makes all the preparation and hard work worthwhile. Thank you for supporting the outing and making it such an enjoyable day.

Anne Thompson - RC Cub Scouts

Email: cubs@greaterwestscouts.com.au

Congratulations to these Cub Scouts
who have earned their
Grey Wolf Award



Blake Gibbons - 2nd Castle Hill
Keithrick Ho - 1st Carlingford
Connor Brooks - 1st/2nd Merrylands
Caspar Zauner - 1st Blaxland

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TRAINING REPORT

At present we still have 30+ Leaders that just need to hand in their in-service to receive a CoAL (Certificate of Adult Leadership) and be fully qualified. If you are one of those Leaders can you aim to get all the paperwork to your PLA this term PLEASE?

We also have quite a number of Leaders eligible for the courses at Pennant hills in October/November. Well done to those Leaders who have completed the pre-requisites. You can have most of your in-service ready as well so that you too, can receive a CoAL in 2013.

The 2014 training calendar is expected to be released early next month. There a fewer courses, so planning will be essential!

Please note that there will not be an introductory interview night in November. Our usual first Thursday is the Region Awards night. If you have Leaders needing to be interviewed contact the Training Team.

Kathy Cuneo RC AT&D

Email: training@greaterwestscouts.com.au



1st Kellyville Cubs enjoying
themselves on the recent
Parramatta Ramble!

Photo: Ian Lutz (Hathi) CSL

VENTURER REPORT

In recent weeks we have held two successful courses at Bundilla. 16 Venturers attended our **Leadership Course** at the end of August and 28 Venturers joined the **Unit Management Course** in early September.

Eight Venturers received their **Queen's Scout Award** certificates from the NSW Governor last month.

Rat Skin was also held last month with three leader teams from GWS competing. Congratulations goes to two of our GWSR teams on securing first and second place yet again! Special mention to the Venturers from 1st Kings Langley for organising an activity base for the event and representing the Region so well.

The next big activity in the Region calendar is Waratah on 8-10 November. Applications are currently open for Venturers and Scouts over the age of 14 to join us for **'The Amazing Race'**. Registrations will close on **Friday 11 October**. All adults from any section are also invited to join us for a very enjoyable weekend.

PLANNING FOR THE QUEEN'S SCOUT AWARD

The Queen's Scout Award is very achievable for every youth member. Here is a quick guide to help decide when to complete each of the required Region courses. Please remember that all of our courses fill up very quickly in this Region – sometimes well before the closing date! Our Region website features a full list of all courses scheduled both in GWS and across the rest of NSW. Please be sure that Venturers apply early to avoid disappointment.

Aaron Wardle RC Venturer Scouts

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**Queen's Scout Award Presentation
at Government House**

UNIT MANAGEMENT COURSE

The Unit Management Course is designed for Venturer Scouts who are approximately 14 years of age and who have recently completed their Venturing Skills Award. This would normally be their first course as a Venturer and provides further understanding about how the Unit Council operates, the purpose of Unit Programming and useful information on completing the Award scheme.

INITIATIVE COURSE

The Initiative Course is designed for Venturer Scouts who are approximately 15 years of age and looking for new challenges, with the added benefit of getting to know other youth members from around the region.

LEADERSHIP COURSE

The Leadership Course is designed for Venturer Scouts who are looking at joining the Unit Council and are approximately 15 or 16 years of age. The Leadership Course must be completed **BEFORE** counting the six months on the Unit Council or other leadership role to receive the Leadership badge.

graffiti

REMOVAL DAY

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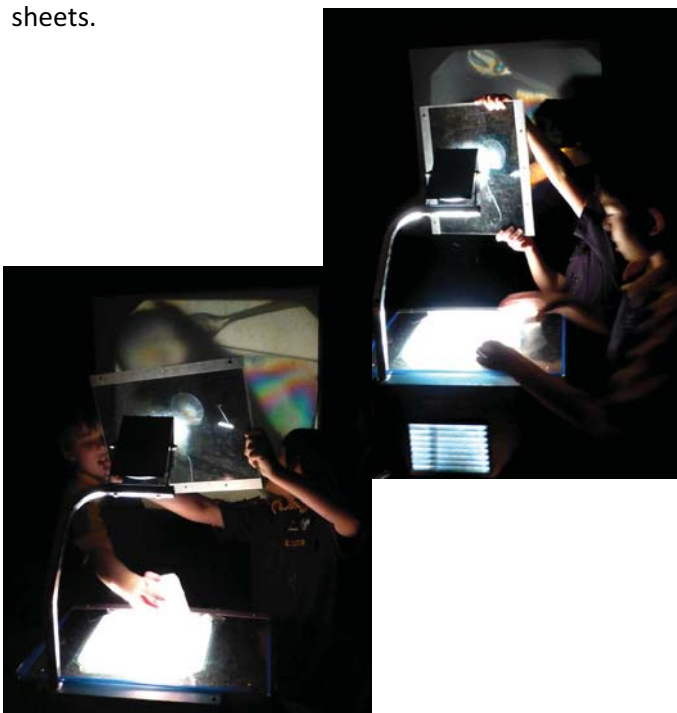
RADIO, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

RECENT NIGHTS

We presented a Light night at 1st Parramatta Cubs in September. Here we see a cub with his face close to the fluorescent screen (and eyes closed) just as the flash goes off to freeze his profile as a shadow on the screen. The shadow glows for about one minute, gradually fading, then another cub can try a more gross profile.



Photographs are rarely as successful on a light night, as this one of cubs touching a plasma glow plate. The Leader in the background looks a little surprised because he was in total darkness a microsecond before! A more descriptive photo is this of cubs exploring the artistic images formed when transparent plastic objects are placed between two light polarizer sheets.



NEXT NIGHTS

Wed 16 Oct	1st QHD	Cubs Chemistry
Sat & Sun 19-20 Oct JOTA-JOTI		
Tue 22 Oct	1st Ermington	Joeys then Cubs Arcs & Sparks
Thurs 31 Oct	1st Carlingford	Joeys then Cubs Hover
Mon 4 Nov	2nd Baulkham Hills	Cubs
Mon 11 Nov	1st Oakville	Joeys then Cubs Hover
Mon 18 Nov	1st Erskine Park	Joeys + Cubs Chemistry
Wed 4 Dec	1st Cherrybrook	Cub pack 2 Chemistry

JOTA - JOTI 2013

How are you going in planning an interesting JOTA for your Scouts? Only a week or so now until 19-20th of October.

Penrith district is taking their Scouts AND Cubs to Mt Keira Scout camp. The scouts were there in 2007, and the radio organised at the Guide camp, down the road, was a disappointment. This time Karl is bringing his considerable array of technology to bear on the problem; if a radio can be coaxed out of the ether at Mt Keira camp, Karl will do it!

The Blue Mountains Amateur Club members are keen to assist on the weekend. Some will be operating at **Glossodia** and others at **Kings Langley**. Their clubhouse in the old **Glenbrook Scout hall** on Moore St. will be operating Radios on Saturday and possibly on Sunday by arrangement (contact Karl for details).

For an interesting story on how JOTA started in the words of Les Mitchell himself, please click on this link:



<http://www.greaterwestscouts.com.au/region/activities/radio-science-technology/the-history-of-jota>

THE RADIO, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TEAM

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1ST RYDALMERE CUB CAMP

Melissa McAulay (Won-Tolla) ACSL

I would like to tell you about our fabulous Cub Camp weekend:

Our small Group at 1st Rydalmer held an overnight Cub camp at our Scout hall over the weekend. We often struggle for numbers to attend our activities but this weekend saw a 100% turnout! The weather was perfect, the Leaders were pumped and our fantastic Cubs had a ball.

In preparation for shakedown and Cuboree, we had a few cubs that had never attended a Cub Camp, or attended a camp under canvas. They took to the adventure like ducks to water!

A weekend packed with adventure, activities, music, dancing and loads of fun; our Cubs explored the local area, engaged with nature and enjoyed their time together.

Some of the weekends highlights included playing games in the reserve, searching for leaves to make plaster casts, cooking over the fire for dinner, eating Won Tolla's chocolate pudding for dessert and learning that Nushka loves to dance!

We finished off our Masks and Sculptures badge with some origami folding during quiet time and two cubs presented their Level 2 Collector badge displays. Our Cubs also worked towards their Campout badge by packing their own bags and having the campout at the hall. We now know that our Cubs, who will be attending Cuboree, are better prepared for the adventure of a lifetime!



REGION ACTIVITIES TEAM

As leaders we have all been participants on a huge variety of training courses within Scouting. *It's part of our commitment to becoming a Leader.* Not only does it help us with instructing and dealing with our youth, it also provides us with skills to become, I believe, a better person. Some courses are really good; while others ...well you just have to do them!

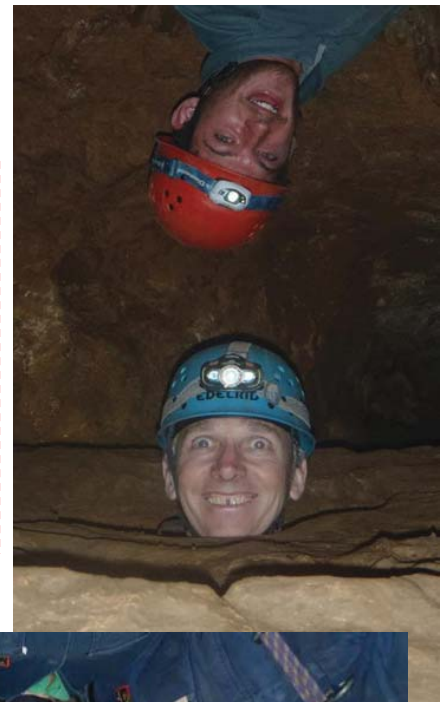
But there is one training course I participated in recently which was quite different! It wasn't on the training calendar, or even in E-learning. It didn't have a course leader or known by a fancy series of numbers. It was simply called "**RATSKIN**" and I reckon it one of the best ways for leaders to learn and hone real outdoor Scouting Skills.

Run by Golden West Region, RATSKIN is basically the Venturers running a whole range of bases for us Leaders. Working as a team, the leaders armed with a map, a compass, a GPS and a heap of enthusiasm have to navigate around a State Forest, find and then participate in the required activity. Covering all sorts of skills from construction, to First Aid while blindfolded, to even composing a song, with a bit of cross dressing thrown in!

Each team is judged on their skills and teamwork etc., with the winning team earning the much coveted **RATSKIN**. With three teams from GWSR attending, we took out 1st and 2nd place. Someone even mentioned there was a bit of bribery and corruption - but I can't imagine that ever happening....! Of course after a big day in the bush there is nothing better than sharing a lamb roast cooked on the hot coals, in an outdoor million star restaurant. *Another great Scouting Skill!*



It might be lack of oxygen, or maybe they have been in the dark too long - but our Caving Wombats seem to be having fun!



Victory to the GWSR Caving Team at RATSKIN



While still on a high from RATSKIN, the Caving Team was back in action the following weekend with a Caving Trip up to the lesser known Timor Caves, located near Scone. While mainly a horizontal caving system, our "*Wombats*" all came back with some great stories to tell. A bit of a plug for GWS Caving Team; we are getting a number of enquiries from other Regions asking if they could attend some of our Caving trips.

Region Networking! ...now there's a concept which could work...!

A big thank you to Keith Travers and Bruce Brigden who ran a Sailing course over the School Holidays, at Chipping Norton. Great weather to be outdoors, but not necessarily the best weather for sailing. At times it was out with the paddles to get moving, while one day had to be completely cancelled due to high winds!

A date for the diary!

Sunday 1st December for our annual Fun Day on the Water, at Lake Chipping Norton. This is a great day to bring the whole family along. There will be canoes, kayaks, sailing craft, and we may even have a power boat and a jet ski or two. ***What about using the day as your group's end of year Christmas Party?!*** More details and an A1 are on the Region Website.

Weathers warming up, it's time for some action! So let's all get out there and have some adventurous fun ... and don't forget, "be activity safe!"

Mark Fell (DINGO) RC Activities

Email: activities@greaterwestcouts.com.au



At times the wind was just right!

FUN DAY ON THE WATER

Sunday 1st December 2013
ANGLE PARK
LAKE CHIPPING NORTON
9.00am till 3.00pm



Only \$5.00 per person or \$20.00 for a family

Kids under 5 years - Free with paying parents.

Grandparents are free with paying kids.

**Don't forget your Hat, Scout Scarf, Sunscreen, Water Bottle
Towel, Swimmers and River Shoes.**

(River Shoes must be worn while in the water or boats)

PFD's will be supplied to all participants while using watercraft.

There will be a food stall selling drinks and hot food.

There are limited BBQ facilities available.

**You will need to register using the A1 Form available from
www.greaterwestcouts.com.au and forward with your payment to
the Region Office by **Friday 22 November 2013.****

Further information is on the A1 Form.

Unfortunately we are unable to accept registrations on the day.

CUMBERLAND GANG SHOW



Be a part of the Gang: Cumberland Gang Show 2014

Cumberland Gang Show is a great place for young people to develop self confidence and learn teamwork. From age 10 and upwards, members of the Gang are developed through the medium of self expression and motivated to widen their Scouting and Guiding experience through the fellowship of other young people.

In 2014 we are offering an exciting new opportunity for younger Scouts and Guides as we launch our "Comet Cast" aged 7 to 9. The 'Comets' will have a special opportunity to be part of the Gang and experience what it is like, to be on stage as part of the Show, with a limited rehearsal schedule and a significantly reduced amount to learn, to give them a taste of being on stage.

Audition to be on the stage

Applications are now open for 2014, but close on Friday 22nd November 2013.

To complete your audition application, just log on to our website:

www.gangshow.asn.au and follow the 'Audition Now' link.

For more information or for late applications (which may be accepted) please contact Lorraine at personnel@gangshow.asn.au or call 0425 318 952



Host a Gang Show workshop or group visit

We also have workshop teams who would love to visit your group, run a self-expression activity and tell you all about the 2014 show. To make a booking email workshops@gangshow.asn.au



This is the seventh year of Scouts Australia's partnership with Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) to raise funds for seriously ill children and their families by participating in McHappy Day 2013. 100% of the money raised on McHappy Day goes to RMHC, so our Members can feel good about helping seriously ill kids and it's also a great way for your Group to talk about Scouting with families in your local community.

If your Group is planning to participate in McHappy Day, please visit the Scouts NSW website to read more about your role in McDonald's Restaurants, including what to expect and consider as part of your Group's involvement.



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Be Prepared...
for new adventure!

GWS Region Awards Presentation Dinner

Toongabbie Sports and Bowling Club
12 Station St, Toongabbie

Thursday, 7th November, 2013

6.30pm for 7pm

Full uniform and decorations to be worn please.

Please confirm on the slip below whether you will be attending the dinner as our guest and whether you will be inviting any additional guests (additional guests will cost **\$40 per head**). Please book early, as numbers are limited. To reserve your place, just complete the slip below and return it with any payment for additional guests **to Region Office by 25th October, 13.**

NAME OF ATTENDEES

(include yourself if you are coming. Please PRINT clearly for place cards)

Name	Dietary requirements

Total amount enclosed @ \$40 per person (excluding awardees) \$ _____
Cheques payable to Scouts Australia

** You can make a note of those people you would like seated at your table. We will do our best to ensure everyone is seated with their family, friends and groups however, as table numbers are limited, we may have to split large groups.*

Forward this advice slip and money to; Region Office, 6 Baden Powell Place, Winston Hills, NSW 2153 **by close of business 25th October , 2013.**

For further enquiries phone GWS Region Office on 9639 2488.

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