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Welcome to our monthly e-newsletter for parents and guardians to keep up to date about what's happening in Scouts across NSW.

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Latest News

2023 King's Birthday Honours



Congratulations go to the six amazing individuals in Scouting who were recognised for their service to our Movement and their communities in this year's King's Birthday Honours list. The awards have shown the impact our current and former leaders have had within the Movement over a significant period.

[Click here to read this years honours list.](#)

King's Birthday long weekend events



The King's Birthday long weekend was the perfect time to get out and about, with Scouts across NSW holding region camps, Jamborettes and more! Huge thanks go to all involved with putting on these awesome events:

- 🏕️ South Met Region Camp at Camp Courtts
- 🏕️ The 45th Greater Western Sydney Jamborette at Cataract Activity Centre
- 🏕️ South Coast & Tablelands Jamborette at Cobargo Showground
- 🏕️ Two Sydney North events – Garigal/Northern Beaches District Scout Camp and Lower North Shore/Turrumburra District Scout Camp

[Check out all the action on Facebook here!](#)

Scout Events

Scouts Australia: Governor-General Camp 2023



Experience a once-in-a-lifetime event camping on the grounds of Government House Canberra. Brought to you by Scouts Australia, the event will see up to 2500 Scouts, Venturer Scouts and Rover Scouts from across Australia camping at the residence of our Chief Scout, the Governor-General of Australia, for the first time in almost a century.

Taking place from 24 to 29 September 2023, Units, supported by adult Leaders, will camp together, eat together and support wellbeing together. Joey Scouts and Cub Scouts can join in the fun for One Program Day on 27 September to experience the adventure together.

Registrations are now open and close 30 July!

[Find out more or register here!](#)

Find out more

ScoutHub is LIVE and registrations are NOW OPEN!



We're excited to announce our new membership and billing platform – ScoutHub – is now live and registrations are open for your Scouting adventures in Trek 2.

Parents – this is a NEW process to pay your State registration fees and Group fees in one easy platform. No more separate State invoices and Group fee payments!

All members are required to register and pay via this new platform, prior to participating in Scouts in Trek 2 (July).

If you missed it, [click here](#) to read the email that went out to all parents on Monday 3 July on how to register.

We hope you find lots of useful information in this e-newsletter – if you'd like to send in your stories or suggestions about other topics, please email communications@nsw.scouts.com.au.

Youth Safety in Scouting

Scouts NSW is committed to operating as a youth safe organisation and implementing youth safe policies and practices in accordance with the elements of a child safe institution outlined by the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse report entitled Creating Child Safe Institutions.

Remember

All suspicions, concerns or allegations about criminal matters or child protection matters should be reported directly to the Chief Commissioner, CEO, State Commissioner (Youth Protection & Issues Management) or the Manager of Safeguarding Youth, Issues Management and Research at the NSW State Service Centre. To make a report you may use the [online youth protection form](#), call 9735 9000 or email YouthProtectionTeam@nsw.scouts.com.au.

Imminent Danger

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