

Camping Awards



The Camping Directorate will award three awards to Troops that display excellence in camping. These will be:

- Best Campsite Award
- Best Gateway Award
- Best Hygiene Award

The awards will be Sub Camp based and hence for each Sub Camp there will be one Best Campsite Award, one Best Hygiene Award and two Best Gateway Awards. For each award, the winning Troop will receive one banner and one badge per person in the Troop.

These awards will be awarded based on the sum of points scored during two inspections conducted by the Sub Camp Rangers using the attached scoring sheets. The first inspection will take place on the 6th to 8th of January and the second on the 9th to 11th of January. Troops will be informed of the exact day and approximate time of inspection by the Sub Camp Rangers at the start of the Jamboree.

The winners of the awards will be announced in the morning of Celebration Day (12/1) with prizes being distributed by the Sub Camp Team.

The idea behind two inspections is to allow for improvements to be made and as such, the score sheet will be given to the Troop after each inspection. Additionally, at least one Leader and one Patrol will have to be present during each inspection to facilitate the inspection and answer questions.

To further improve the standard of Troop sites, the Sub Camp Rangers will regularly patrol the Sub Camp and will happily clarify any criteria or offer feedback prior to inspections.

The criteria of the awards are designed to encourage good Scouting practices as well as for ensuring the safe and efficient running of Troops. As such, JTLs are encouraged to use the score sheets as a checklist.

Through "Leading by example", it is hoped that Senior Scouts will learn the proper methods for organising and running a camp. As such

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there are a number of pre-Jamboree criteria such as lists of equipment or sketches. It is expected that not all of these will be completed before the Jamboree and hence they will offer a great opportunity for Scouts to complete these tasks on Jamboree and learn about the work of preparing for such a camp.

The criteria are also designed to award equal points for effort made as well as actual skills presented. This is in line with “Doing your best”. Each criterion is also weighted based on its importance. For example scores, please consult the scoring sheets.

As the awards are Sub Camp based and the exact interpretation of the criteria is determined by the team of Sub Camp Rangers for each Sub Camp, some variation may occur between Sub Camps. However, the criteria will be applied uniformly inside of each Sub Camp.

This approach is designed to give Sub Camp Rangers discretion in the way they want their Sub Camps to be run. There is also the Judge bonus, whereby Judges can reward any special treatment they receive whilst inspecting (hint hint Troops).

If you have any questions regarding the Camping Awards, please do not hesitate to contact the Deputy Director – Camping, Matthias Fresacher at campingdeputy@aj2019.com.au.

In the unlikely event of disputes, the decision of the Camping Directorate will be final.

Campsite Score Sheet



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| Score |
| /700 |

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| Sub Camp | | Troop Number | |
| Date | Time | Judge | |

| Criteria | Max Score | Performance | Effort/ Attitude | Sub Total | Multiplier | Score |
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| Example | | | | | | |
| Example perfect score | 5 | 5 + 5 = 10 | x 2 = 20 | | | |
| Example poor execution/good attempt | 5 | 2 + 4 = 6 | x 1 = 6 | | | |
| Example good execution/poor attitude | 5 | 4 + 1 = 5 | x 3 = 15 | | | |
| Overall | | | | | | |
| Planning sketches, documents | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |
| Written list of gear required | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Layout – use of space | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Overall cleanliness – tidy | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Storage – everything has a place | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Safety – trip hazards, falling objects | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |
| Clothes line – including tea towels (if applicable) | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Log book | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Relaxation equipment – hammock, games, balls, bats | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Sufficient shade created | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Troop sunscreen | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |

Campsite Score Sheet



| Tents | | | |
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| Correctly assembled | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Sturdiness | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Guy ropes – consistent, placement | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Doors and windows appropriate for weather | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Bedding stowed and aired | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Personal gear stowed in bag | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Cleanliness – no rubbish, dirt | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Cooking/Dinning Area | | | |
| Correctly assembled | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Sturdiness | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Guy ropes – consistent, placement | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Tables/benches – clean, level, safe | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Personal items in dilly bag | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Dilly bags suitably stored | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Cooking utensils suitably stored, clean | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Food suitably stored | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Stove – correctly assembled, safe, clean | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Hand washing facility | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Rubbish correctly sorted, removed | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| First kit in plain view | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Stoked drinking station | 5 | + | = x 3 = |

Campsite Score Sheet



| Flagpole | | | |
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| Planning sketches, documents | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Appropriate knots used for application | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Knots are tight and neat | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Use of pioneering construction - no cable ties, duct tape | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Recycled materials used – reusing materials | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Guy ropes suitably placed | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Safety – sturdy and secure | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Flag suitably sized | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Any lighting features – LEDs, solar lights | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Visual impact | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Camp Gadgets | | | |
| Planning sketches, documents | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Appropriate knots used for application | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Knots are tight and neat | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Use of pioneering construction - no cable ties, duct tape | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Safety – sturdy and secure | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Practicality – usefulness | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Uniqueness – originality | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Number of gadgets – size, build time | 5 | + | = x 3 = |

Campsite Score Sheet



| Fire Safety | | | |
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| Fire extinguisher suitably placed | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Fire blanket suitably placed | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Fire buckets suitably placed, sufficient number | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Patrol System | | | |
| Established Patrols – PLs, APLs | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Established Duty Patrols | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Troop Council – regular meetings | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Overall – use of PLs to delegate tasks | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Scout Law & Promise | | | |
| Application of Scout Law & Promise | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Scouts Own – number, quality | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Handicap for disadvantaged Troops | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Judge bonus – freely awarded | 5 | + | = x 3 = |

Gateway Score Sheet



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| Score |
| /300 |

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| Sub Camp | | | | Troop Number | | | |
| Date | | Time | | Judge | | | |

| Criteria | Max Score | Performance | Effort/ Attitude | Sub Total | Multiplier | Score |
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| Example | | | | | | |
| Example perfect score | 5 | 5 + 5 = 10 | x 2 = 20 | | | |
| Example poor execution/good attempt | 5 | 2 + 4 = 6 | x 1 = 6 | | | |
| Example good execution/poor attitude | 5 | 4 + 1 = 5 | x 3 = 15 | | | |
| Planning | | | | | | |
| Planning sketches, documents | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |
| Written list of materials | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Knots | | | | | | |
| Variety of knot types used | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Appropriate knots used for application | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |
| Knots are tight and neat | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Suitable ropes used – length, thickness | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Excess rope neatly terminated | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Use of pioneering construction - no cable ties, duct tape | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |

Gateway Score Sheet



| Materials | | | |
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| Suitability of poles used | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Suitable materials used | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Recycled materials used – reusing materials | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Design | | | |
| Visual impact | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Recognisability from a distance | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Complexity of design | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Uniqueness – originality | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Easy of entry/exit – including with cart | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Any lighting features – LEDs, solar lights | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Troop Banner | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Troop number/name clearly visible | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Symmetry – if applicable, justification of asymmetry | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Safety – sturdy and secure | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Theme | | | |
| Use of AJ2019 theme | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Use of Sub Camp theme | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Use of Troop theme | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Scout Law & Promise | | | |
| Application of Scout Law & Promise | | + | = x 3 = |
| Handicap for disadvantaged Troops | | + | = x 2 = |
| Judge bonus – freely awarded | | + | = x 3 = |

Hygiene Score Sheet



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| Score |
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| Sub Camp | | | | Troop Number | | | | |
| Date | | | Time | | | Judge | | |

| Criteria | Max Score | Performance | Effort/ Attitude | Sub Total | Multiplier | Score |
|---|-----------|-------------|------------------|-------------|------------|-------|
| Example | | | | | | |
| Example perfect score | 5 | 5 + 5 = 10 | | 10 x 2 = 20 | | |
| Example poor execution/good attempt | 5 | 2 + 4 = 6 | | 6 x 1 = 6 | | |
| Example good execution/poor attitude | 5 | 4 + 1 = 5 | | 5 x 3 = 15 | | |
| Sun Smart | | | | | | |
| Troop consistently wears hats | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Troop is sun smart – collard, long clothes | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Troop sunscreen | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Stocked drinking station | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |
| Routine | | | | | | |
| Overall site cleanliness – tidy | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |
| Tents cleanliness – no rubbish, dirt, smell, neatly organised | 5 | + | = | x 3 = | | |
| Procedure for washing hands | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Troop regularly showers | 5 | + | = | x 2 = | | |
| Scouts hygiene knowledge | 5 | + | = | x 1 = | | |

Hygiene Score Sheet



| Clothes Washing | | | |
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| Supply of washing powder/liquid | 5 | + | = x 1 = |
| Suitable wash station – is used | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Suitable clothes line – including tea towels (if applicable) | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Tea towels – clean, dry, not smelly OR suitable method for drying dishes | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Cooking/Dinning Area | | | |
| Tables/benches – cleaned, sanitised | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Personal eating utensils clean | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Cooking utensils – cleaned, sanitised | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Clearly labelled chopping boards | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Stove – correctly assembled, safe, clean | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Hand washing facility | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Rubbish correctly sorted, removed | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| First kit in plain view | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Suitable supply of hot water | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| No animals in area – ants, spiders | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Food Storage | | | |
| Eskies stocked with ice | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Food stored in shade | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Food safe from rain | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Scout Law & Promise | | | |
| Application of Scout Law & Promise | 5 | + | = x 3 = |
| Handicap for disadvantaged Troops | 5 | + | = x 2 = |
| Judge bonus – freely awarded | 5 | + | = x 3 = |