

Fairlight / Manly Cub Scouts 2020 - Term 1 Program

Term Theme: The Great Outdoors

Badges - Boomerangs, Fishing

Meetings - Tuesdays 6:00pm to 7:30pm at

Ivanhoe Park Scout Hall, Park Ave, Manly (via Birkley Road)

Unless advised otherwise.

Group details can be found at: http://fairlightmanlyscouts.org.au

Leaders

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Date	Activity	Details	Parent Helpers (Cubs Surname)	Co-Ordinating Leader (CL)	Duty Six
4th Feb Tuesday	Welcome to 2020	Introduction to Term 1, Pack Council, Games at the Hall and Oval.	Heathcote Brown	Jan	Tawny
11th Feb Tuesday	Just Desserts	Cubs - get creative with edible (hopefully) results (at the hall)	Wylie Cowdery	Ann	White
18th Feb Tuesday	Hook Line and Sinker	Fishing Part 1 - Cubs learn from the experts about fishing (counts towards fishing badge)	Grimmer Hurley	Kirsten	-
25th Feb Tuesday	Clean up Aust. Night	Clean Up Australia Day (Evening) - location TBC	Nicol Punch	Kevin	-
29th Feb - 1st March Weekend	Return to the Basin	Pack Camp at the Basin Campground, Ku-ring-gai National Park (Cuboree unit E740 to join).	All welcomed/ Encouraged	Ruth	-
3rd March Tuesday	The Amazing Race around Manly	Cubs race, in their sixes, from clue to clue, to try and be the first team to arrive!	Saglam-Veness Stewart	Martin	-
10th March Tuesday	Splash Down	Water Polo Fairy Bower Pool	Scholfield Williams	Martin	-
17th March Tuesday	Serious Practice	Beach Games and Canoe Practice on the beach	Barret Debrand	Paul	-
22nd March Sunday	The 70th Sirius Cup	Water based races and activities - early start at Balmoral Beach	All welcomed/ Encouraged	Paul	-
24th March Tuesday	Diggers/ Explorers	Cubs explore the North Head Tunnels (with a guide).	Buchanan Nichol	Ruth	-
31st March Tuesday	Hook 'n' Look	Fishing Part 2 - Cubs will put theory into practice and try to catch a fish - location TBC	Emery Shepherd	Kirsten	-
7th April Tuesday	Cooking under fire	Manly Dam campfire - light a fire, cook and eat something delicious!	Taylor Campos	Kirsten	-
25 th April Saturday	ANZAC Day	Meet in full uniform, march to Manly War Memorial for the service.	N/A	Kevin	-

Key Upcoming Dates for Term 1:

Sat 29th Feb - Sun 1st March Pack Camp at the Basin Sunday 22nd March - Sirius Cup Balmoral Beach - Intergroup Canoe Regatta Saturday 25th April - ANZAC Day - March and commemoration ceremony, The Corso, Manly

Long Term Activity Notice:

T2 2020 - 15th - 17th May - Cub Scout Environment Camp - Ingleside

T2 2020 - 27th - 28th June - Cub Scout Leadership Course - Ingleside

T3 2020 - Aug - (Cub) Scouts in Action Month

T3 2020 - James Craig - spend a night on a tall ship - sleep in a hammock

T4 2020 - 15th November - Bush Tucker and Cultural morning - Ingleside

Housekeeping notes:

Drop off – Pick Up: Please endeavour to drop off and pick up Cubs at the times specified. On Hall nights come down to the Hall. When picking up your Cub, please let the coordinating Leader know, so that we can maintain correct contact and handover of the Cubs. Cubs must stay with the leaders until picked up by their parents or a responsible adult authorised to do so by their parents.

Uniform: For insurance as well as appearance purposes, Cubs MUST travel to and from Cub activities in full Cub uniform. It is important that the uniform is well maintained and worn correctly. (for example: Scarves rolled neat & tight, with a woggle). If any items are missing, we can replace them, but not on the night!

Footwear: We spend a lot of time outdoors, even on hall nights. Please make sure that your Cub is wearing footwear suitable for outdoor activities. Bare feet, Thongs, Sandals, and Crocs are NOT suitable or safe, and may restrict the activities the Cub is allowed to take part in.

Parent Helpers: To achieve the best experience for the Cubs, and maintain the required 1 Adult to 6 Children ratio we have included a Parent Helper roster into the term programs, (Cubs surname of family helping). If you can't make the evening you have been rostered on for please swap with another parent (Family) or let the coordinating leader for that event know ASAP. If you are dropping your Cub off and are at a loose end till you pick them up please feel free to stay and help, let the coordinating leader know and join in.

It is a legal requirement that all parents staying on an overnight camp have a valid Working With Children Check Number (WWCC, free for volunteers) and enter this on a Scouts Parent Helper form (A2 form). As we expect parental assistance at camps, at least one parent for each Cub is required to fill the A2 form out (just once) and email it to the Group Leader; confidentiality in all matters is one of our main priorities. This process protects all Cubs in Australia. For further details email cub leader Jan.

Leader Structure: All the leaders are volunteers and have other commitments that may restrict what events they can attend. As such the Coordinating Leader (CL) will change from event to event, please see the Term Programs for the CL. The CL will endeavour to confirm the details of an upcoming event - time, place, equipment requirements, activities etc etc. If no confirmation is received refer to the program. Please refer all queries, correspondence and admin matters to the CL for that event.

CareMonkey and electronic permission forms: The permission forms (formerly known as E1s) provide parents with information about events away from the Ivanhoe Park area, to enable them to make an informed decision about their child attending. Forms are sent out ahead of time for the relevant events using the CareMonkey system. One or both parents need to set up a CareMonkey account. Please indicate that your Cub cannot attend, even at the last moment, by declining permission (you can change earlier decisions). Please do not use the WhatsApp group as a substitute for declining the eForm. For all CareMonkey queries, contact cub leader Kevin.

Boomerang Badge Work: The Cubs should be putting in some individual effort for their Boomerang badges. Therefore, it is expected the Cubs will have some elements either ready for assessment or have a good idea of what is required. E.g.: for the Ropes section, a little practice at home with a rope tying a reef knot, clove hitch or sheet bend for the Silver Boomerang will give them a lot more pride in the badge than just being shown it and copying.