



## Fairlight / Manly Cub Scouts

### 2024 - Term 1 Program

Term Theme: **New faces and exciting places**

Badges [ Special Interest Areas, Milestones, OAS & Grey Wolf]

**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	Location / Activity / Times	Category	Duty Patrol	Youth Leads & Assists	Coordinating Leader/s Parent Helpers
6th Feb	Welcome Back to 24 - Hall	Personal growth	N/A		Mareike / Eloise Gaffney, Schroeder
13th Feb	Get wet - Swim at Fairlight pool	Outdoor			Mareike / Avi / Eloise Murphy
20th Feb	Get crafty - Mess kit bag making - Hall	Creative	<b>Black</b>	<b>Sebastian Vargas - Scout</b>	Eloise / Mareike Pearse, Batenburg
23rd-25th Feb	Get Camping - Region Cub Camp	Outdoor			N/A
27th Feb	Get quizzzy - Trivia night - Hall	Personal Growth	<b>Grey</b>		Eloise / Mareike Fussi, Lucas
5th Mar	Get walking - Walk to queenscliff lagoon (May also involve Clean up Aus Day)	Outdoor/Community			Eloise / Mareike Saglam, Scholfield
12th Mar	Get numerical - Bingo Night - Hall	Creative	<b>Red</b>		Mareike / Eloise Vargas, Wilson
19th Mar	Get Golfing - Mini Golf at Pittwater golf center	Outdoor/Personal growth			Mareike / Eloise Scholfield
26th Mar	Get hoppy - Easter craft night - Hall	Creative	<b>Black</b>		Eloise / Mareike Pearse, Schroeder
2nd Apr	Get sporty - Games at Little Manly Point Park	Outdoor			Mareike / Eloise Saglam, Gaffney

9th Apr	Get Partying - End of term festival - Hall	Personal Growth	Grey		Eloise / Mareike / Avi
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### Long Term Activity Notice:

**Anzac day overnight camp Manly Dam - held from 24th to 25th of April, we are giving cubs aged 10 to 11 the opportunity to go camping at Manly Dam and join in the Dawn Service for Anzac day with the Scout section of F/M. This is a really good opportunity and also means that anyone looking to go to ASJ 2025 will have another night under canvas towards the 10 nights needed to go.**

### 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 with all standard badges sewn on, 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.

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) – its an online form that will go straight 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 Kevin.

**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 confirm the details of an upcoming event - time, place, equipment requirements, activities etc etc. Please refer all queries, correspondence and admin matters to the CL for that event.

*CareMonkey has been rebranded Operoo*

**Operoo and electronic permission forms (eForms):** The permission forms (formerly known as E1s) provide parents with information about events, 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 Operoo system. One or both parents need to set up an Operoo 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 Operoo queries, contact cub leader Kevin.

**Badge Work:** The Cubs should be putting in some individual effort for their 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 Outdoor Skills section, a little practice at home with a rope tying a reef knot, clove hitch or sheet bend will give them a lot more pride in the badge than just being shown it and copying.