

Fairlight Manly Scouts/Venturers - Term 2 Program 2024

Meetings: Wednesdays 7.00pm – 9.00pm at Ivanhoe Park Scout Hall, Park Ave, Manly

Unless advised otherwise.

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| Date | Activity Milestones = Community, Creative, Outdoors or Personal Growth | Badges/Milestone Special Interest or Outdoor | Duty Patrol | Youth Leads & Assists | Coordinating Leader (Parent Helpers) |
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| 24 th - 25 th April | ANZAC Camp and Service – Manly Dam | Community | Scouts attending | N/A | Rich/Jan |
| 1 st May | Get prepped – Scout Hike packing Only Scouts attending Scout Hike | N/A | N/A | PLs /APLs | Avi |
| Weekend 3 rd -5 th May | "Tour of the Eras" - Scout Hike 2024 Belangalo State Forest | Outdoor | N/A | PLs /APLs | Avi |
| Wed. 8 th May | Get Organised New Patrols, badgework planning | Personal Development | Wallabies | Maddie/Soraya | Avi Anderson/ Campos |
| Wed. 15th May | Get Walking Curl curl-Shelly beach walk (via wormhole) | Outdoor | N/A | Matty/Quillan/ Johnnie | Jan/Avi |
| Wed. 22 nd May | Get Arguing/Get Trivial Debating/Trivia night | Personal Development | Panthers | Sarah/Charli | Venturers Bell/ Brown |
| Wed. 29 th May | Get Vivid – pretty lights in Sydney CBD 24 May - 15 th June | Outdoor | N/A | Lachlan/Fraser/ Isaac | Avi Cunningham/ Genge |
| Wed. 5 th June | Get Cooking | Outdoor Creative | N/A | Olivia/Maggie | TBA/Martin Kane/ Moreaux |
| Weekend 7 th – 10 th June | 46th GWS Jamborette - "Greatest Hits of the 20th Century" Group Camp @ Cataract Scout Park | Outdoor | N/A | PLs/APLs | Avi |
| Wed. 12 th June | Get Pioneering | Outdoor | Redbacks | Remy/ Sebastian | Rich Oxley/ Scholfield |
| Wed. 19 th June | Get Climbing Indoor Rock climbing | Personal Development | N/A | N/A | Avi Smith/ Vargas |
| Wed. 26 th June | Get Bushcrafty + Council meeting T3 planning | Outdoor Creative | ТВА | Aidan/Jack | Rich Barker/ Harley |
| Wed. 3 rd July | Get Bowling – End of Term 2 | Special Interest | N/A | N/A | Avi Cimino |
| Wed. 24th July | Get Started - 1 st night of Term 3 | | | | |

Coming Up – next term and beyond:

| Date | Activity | | |
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| Fri 5 th -Sat 13 th July | Hornsby Gang Show (school holidays). Tickets \$30 | | |
| Wed 24 th July | First Scout meeting of Term 3, 2024 | | |
| ТВА | Scout Leadership Courses (Please ask a leader if you want to do one.) - | | |
| T3 2024 | First-aid Courses (Please ask a leader if you want to do one.) – T3 2024 | | |
| TBC 2024 | Jamboree Shakedown Camp | | |
| 6 th – 15 th January 2025 | 26 TH AUSTRALIAN JAMBOREE - MARYBOROUGH, QUEENSLAND | | |

Housekeeping notes:

Drop off – Pick Up: Please endeavour to drop off and pick up your Scout at the times specified. On Hall nights come to the hall to ensure 2 or more adults are present. When picking up, please let the Coordinating Leader know.

Uniform: For insurance as well as appearance purposes, Scouts MUST travel to and from Scout activities in full Scout 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 Scout is wearing footwear suitable for outdoor activities. Bare feet, Thongs, Sandals, and Crocs are NOT suitable or safe, and may restrict the activities the Scout is allowed to take part in.

Parent Helpers: To achieve the best experience for the Scouts, and maintain the required 1 Adult to 6 Children ratio we have included a Parent Helper roster into the term programs, (Scouts 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 Scout 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 Scouts in Australia. For further details email the group leader.

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. Please refer all queries, correspondence and admin matters to the CL for that event.

Operoo electronic permission forms (eForms): The permission forms 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 Scout cannot attend, even at the last moment, <u>by declining permission</u> (you can change earlier decisions). Please do not use the WhatsApp group as a substitute for declining the eForm. For all Operoo queries, contact the group leader.

Badge Work: The Scouts should be putting in some individual effort for their badges. Therefore, it is expected the Scouts 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.