



PARENT INFORMATION PACK

Joey Scouts – 2 Nights (5th – 7th June)

Cub Scouts – 3 Nights (5th to 8th June)

Your child is invited to attend our Cub/Joey camp, designed to build confidence, independence and outdoor skills while having fun in a safe, supportive environment.

This information pack covers all essential details for families.

CAMP DETAILS - Contact on the day – Leanne Senn 0430 075125

Bangalee Scout Camp – Bangalee Scout Camp Road, Bangalee

Arrival time – 5pm Friday 5th June 2026 (Parents may be required to help set up)

Pick up time – JOEYS Sunday 7th June 11 am (parents may be required to help pack up)

CUBS Monday 8th June 11 am (parents may be required to help pack up)

DROP OFF AND PICK UP PROCEDURE

DROP OFF – Help leaders set up tents if required

- Sign in with the Camp Leader or designated Administrator at HQ
- Confirm Emergency contact details
- Hand over labelled medications

PICK UP – Help leaders pack up camp if required

- Sign out your child at HQ prior to leaving (this is Scouts NSW safety requirement)

A detailed leader schedule and safety plan are in place, All supervising adults hold current Working With Children Checks and follow Scouts Australia Guidelines.

PURPOSE OF THE CAMP

This camp focuses on beginner level Scouts Outdoor Adventure Skills in Camping and Bushcraft. Levels 1 & 2. Level 3 available for those Cubs who are at that level.

Children will learn basic camping skills – Tents, Shelters, Bushcraft safety & awareness, Nature observation using the leave no trace principals, Knot Tying, Teamwork and responsibility.

PLEASE ENSURE YOUR CHILD HAS EATEN DINNER PRIOR TO ARRIVING.

Catering starts with Supper Friday night.

The Camp is fully catered, and we can accommodate special requirements.

We understand some children are fussy, the food is popular for the age group we are catering to. Our catering team have been cooking at camps for many years and know what the youth like.

Please list all dietary requirements and allergies in the permission form. Our cooking team are experienced in catering for vegetarian, vegan, gluten free, dairy free, nut allergies.

Children should NOT bring their own food unless medically required or discussed with section leader and approved by Camp Leader.

Activities may include

- Tent Pitching
 - Navigation games & trail signs
 - Knot practice
 - Quiet listening post
 - Bushcraft identification (plants, tracks, signs)
 - Crate Stacking – run by qualified Adults
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HEALTH & WELLBEING

- Leaders must be informed of any **medical conditions, anxiety triggers or behavioural needs.**
- Medication must be handed to HQ in labelled bag with written instructions.
- Hydration & sun/cold safety checks occur regularly

SUPERVISION & SAFETY

- Leader to youth ratios will meet or exceed Scouts Australia Requirements
 - First aid qualified leaders will be present at all times.
 - Risk assessments have been completed for all activities
 - Fire activities follow local fire danger restrictions
 - All activities follow Scouts Australia safety and environmental guidelines
 - ALL registered leaders & Adult helpers will be issued with a wrist band, any adults onsite during the active camp without a wrist band will be asked to leave. We take our duty of care very seriously.
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CAMPING

All camping takes place in tents in line with Scouts NSW Policies and Rules

Youth & Adults – Youth and adults are not permitted to share tents, except for approved carers.

Joeys & Cubs – Joeys and cubs may share tents but they must remain Gender Specific. Separate tents are required for Male & Female youth members.

BATHROOM FACILITIES

- Joeys and cubs will use the main toilet block for showering, they will be supervised by at least two adults while in the showers or waiting.
 - The toilet block is a short walk from the campsite, there will be some port a loos closer to the camping for those times the youth need to use them during the night.
 - The buddy system operates at all times at camp, even during the night.
 - Male & Female youth use different shower blocks
 - Leaders never share facilities with youth members.
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WHAT TO PACK

- Please ensure ALL items are clearly named.

See the suggested packing list, which is a separate download.

- It will be very cold so please make sure your child has, as a minimum, the correctly rated sleeping bag and/or a warm blanket.
- It is much warmer to sleep on a stretcher rather than a sleeping mat during cold weather.

OPTIONAL

- Small teddy or comfort item to sleep with
- Book or quiet activity for downtime
- Small amount of money to purchase swap badges from the onsite shop. Swap packs are \$3.00 each

DO NOT BRING

- Electronic Devices
- Lollies or food – these will be confiscated. Save the snacks for the trip home.

COMMUNICATION DURING CAMP

Parents will be contacted only if necessary (injury, illness, emotional distress)

If you need to reach leaders urgently, use the camp contact number listed above.

BEHAVIOUR EXPECTATIONS

This camp follows the Scouts Australia Code of Conduct. We encourage Respect for others – Safe Behaviour – Trying New Things – Following Instructions & Working with Buddies.

If unsafe behaviour occurs, parents may be contacted no matter the time.

WEATHER CONTINGENCY

The program will adjust for Heat – Rain – High Winds

Some activities may be replaced or modified to remain safe.

PERMISSION & FORMS

You will receive the following forms – E1 Activity Notification – Parent consent/medical form – Dietary Requirements form.

ALL forms must be returned before the camp or the child may not attend.

If your child has never slept away from home before, consider if this camp is suitable; if a child has a rough time, it's likely they will not want to camp again. We need to set them up to succeed for future camps. There will be smaller overnight camps on offer later in the year & most groups offer a family camp each year.

QUESTIONS

Please contact the Camp Leader leanne.senn@nsw.scouts.com.au

We look forward to a fantastic camp full of adventure, learning and fun!