

JTL Update - Shakedown Camp 2018

Hi all

This update contains important information about Shakedown Camp that is required for your troop.

Please share this information with your Troop team! A general information/communication will go out to all participants but refer to you as Troop Leader for specific information related to their troop.

Site Allocations

Allocations to camping areas have been created based on Sub Camps.

- Sub Camp A troops will camp in the area adjacent to Gilwell Base Camp (Western)
- Sub Camp B troops will camp in the area adjacent to St George Base Camp (Northern)
- Sub Camp C troops will camp in the area adjacent to St George Base Camp (Northern)
- Sub Camp D troops will camp in the area adjacent to Brownsea Base Camp (Eastern)

Move in and out times

We have staggered arrival times per Sub Camp to ensure a smooth flow of traffic. If your Troop wishes to adjust arrival time please contact the Contingent team to discuss this. Consolidated transport from your Scout Halls will assist in the management of vehicles on site.

Please remember that only vehicles with trailers or camping gear will be allowed access to the camping area.

Traffic for Sub Camp A, B and C will enter via the first entrance gate for Woodhouse.

Traffic for Sub Camp D will enter via the eastern gate of Woodhouse.

Catering and Attendance

The AJ2019 Catering team will be providing all supplies for meals over the course of the Shakedown weekend (Saturday breakfast through to Monday breakfast). All other meals outside of these times will need to be provided by your troop.

Troops will be required to bring non food items - gladwrap, washing up liquid etc (a listing will be supplied of the things this will include).

To assist with catering number requirements a spreadsheet will be created for each troop. We ask Troops to indicate attendance (or non attendance) for each member of the troop here. This is especially important when seeking to clarify special dietary requirements.

Numbers are required by Friday 21 September 2018.

Jamboree Shakedown Camp is a closed event - only those listed on the appropriate listing will be catered for and expected on site.

Shakedown Camp Program

Jamboree Shakedown Camp starts on the evening of Friday 28th September.

There is no formal program for the evening as troops will be moving in and setting up.

- Jamboree Troop Leader meeting on Friday night at 9.30pm at the Bunkhouse (mainly information re Shakedown Camp program)
- Jamboree Troop Leader meeting on Saturday night at 9.00pm with more Jamboree related information
- Opening Ceremony will be held on Saturday at 8.30am. This will be held in the Arena below the Bunk house
- Closing ceremony will be held on Monday morning at 8.30am in the same location as the Opening.
- Market Day will be held on Sunday - more details about Market Day below.
- A Child Safe Environments training session will be run on Sunday morning for those yet to complete this requirement as well.

Activities at Shakedown Camp

A number of activities will be available at Shakedown Camp for Scouts to participate in. Troops are also encouraged to look at other activities they may be able to do at Woodhouse that aren't programmed in by the Contingent (Orienteering, day hikes etc)

Scouts will have the opportunity to

- Complete Challenge Hill
- Participate in Adrenalin activities provided onsite (climbing wall, giant swing etc) - these activities will be programmed into a schedule.

To complete Adrenalin activities a waiver document will need to be completed by all participants. This will be emailed out shortly to everyone and is required if the Scout wishes to do these activities.

Troop Support

The Training team will be running 2 Counselling sessions on Sunday. This will give the opportunity for all Line Leaders to attend the sessions. The times will be 1.00-3.00pm and 3.30-5.30pm on Sunday.

To oven out the numbers, please assist us by following these instructions:

All Troops in blue highlight	2 Leaders to the morning session and 3 Leaders to the afternoon session
All Troops in orange highlight	3 Leaders to the morning session and 2 Leaders to the afternoon session

During Shakedown, the Fun Police will be visiting your Troop, just like we will be at the Jamboree. This is the time to ask any questions or discuss any problems with your Troop Support Officer (Fun Police Officer), and we can try to work through any concerns. We aim to empower you with as many skills as possible to solve problems within your Troop, but we are here to help. There will be a meeting for all the Welfare Leaders from each Troop with the Fun Police on Saturday evening. We will let you know the time and place when we visit you at Shakedown.

Market Day

The objectives of Market Day Practice are to have some fun and to meet new people and a bit of competition to see who can earn the most Shakedown Dollars. Market Day Practice is an activity that is run in two halves. For two hours your Troop will be running a stall to sell items and for the other two hours you will be visiting stalls around the site and spending your Shakedown dollars. The more money that changes hands the better the activity works so make sure

you go out and spend. It is intended that each person spends their allotted dollars. The two different selling times will have different colours so the sellers will only accept the correct colour.

The selling and buying times for your Troop are shown on the Shakedown schedule.

Those in blue highlight will sell from 1pm to 2.45pm

Those in orange highlight will sell from 3.15pm to 5.00pm

The JTL will organise the counting of the money and then take the money and the total to Contingent HQ.

There will be a prize for the Troop with the highest totals in each the session. (ie 2 prizes).

Rules: If you follow the Scout Law and Promise you will be on the right track for an enjoyable afternoon. This is a no contact activity so selling hugs or massages (even if they are free) is not allowed and if you are selling food please ensure you know the ingredients to avoid problems with allergies and also ensure you follow good hygiene practices at all times.

This is an opportunity to 'test run' your Market Day idea for the Jamboree. Leaders, there is no formal monitoring for this activity but please assist by keeping an eye on how the activity is operating in your area. In the unlikely event of any dispute between neighbouring Troops you may need to referee. **Most importantly have fun!**

Youth Involvement

At Shakedown Camp we will be asking your Troop Council to discuss a number of questions with your Troops and bring these to a debrief/Youth Council on Saturday afternoon (4.30pm)

This information will be prepared and distributed shortly and we encourage your troop to be a part of these discussions.

JTLs are asked to ensure 2 Scouts from each Troop attend the Youth Council at 4.30pm on Saturday at the Bunkhouse.

Contact Us

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