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NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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TO : Regional Scout Directors, Council Scout Executives, and Officers-In-Charge

SUBJECT : 10TH NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE – SRI LANKA SCOUT ASSOCIATION

1. We are pleased to inform you that upon the invitation of the Sri Lanka Scout Association (SLSA), the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) will be sending delegations to the **10TH NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE - SLSA** on 20-26 February 2024 at Mc Heyzer Ground, Trincomalee, Sri Lanka.
2. The basic information on the said event is as follows:
Date: 20-26 February 2024 (participants are requested to arrive on 20 February 2024 and may leave on the 26 February 2024)
Venue: Trincomalee is a Port City on the Northeast Coast of Sri Lanka. Set on a Peninsula, Fort Frederick was built by the Portuguese in the 17th Century.
Fee: USD200.00 per participant (IST, UL, Scout)
Participants: Senior Scout aged 14-17 years old; Unit Leader/International Service Team at least 18 years old
Deadline: 15 January 2024
3. **QUALIFICATIONS:** The following are the qualifications for the participating Scouts, Adult Leaders, and International Service Team, viz:
 - 3.1 **Scouts Applicants:**
 - Duly registered as a Senior Scout.
 - Must be at least fourteen (14) to seventeen (17) years old
 - Must be physically fit as certified by a registered physician and in good health.
 - Must be equipped with camping gear.
 - Must be fully vaccinated and received booster (COVID-19)
 - The Scout must have attended the BSP Regional/National Jamboree
 - Must have personal health insurance for the whole duration of the jamboree.
 - 3.2 **Adult Leaders Applicants:**
 - Must be currently registered as an Adult Leader of the BSP.
 - Must be physically fit as certified by a registered physician.
 - Must be of good moral character.
 - Must be equipped with camping gear.
 - Preferably a Bead Holder or graduate of Advanced Training Course (ATC) with at least two (2) years of experience and service.
 - Must have attended BSP Regional/National Jamboree and have served as Adult Leader.
 - Must be passed the WOSM Safe from Harm E-Learning
 - Must be fully vaccinated and received booster (COVID-19)
 - Must have personal health insurance for the whole duration of the jamboree.

3.3 International Service Team Applicants

- Must be currently registered as an Adult Leader aged between eighteen (18) years old and above.
- Must be physically fit as certified by a registered physician.
- Must be of good moral character.
- Must be equipped with camping gear.
- Preferably a Bead Holder or graduate of an Advanced Training Course (ATC)
- Must have attended BSP Regional/National Jamboree and served as RST/NST.
- Must be duly recommended by the Council Scout Executive/Officer-In-Charge and the Regional Scout Director.
- Must be passed the WOSM Safe from Harm E-Learning
- Must be fully vaccinated and received booster (COVID-19)
- Must have personal health insurance for the whole duration of the jamboree.

4. Jamboree Fee:

The Jamboree Fee is Two Hundred US Dollars (USD 200.00) per participant which covers the airport reception, inland transportation (airport to jamboree venue and back), food during the jamboree period (21-25 February 2024), Jamboree Kit and Souvenirs. The deadline for Jamboree Fee is on or before 15 January 2024.

The Jamboree Fee must be paid directly to the BSP National Office via bank transfer through the following accounts.

Dollar Account Details:

Account Name	:	Boy Scouts of the Philippines
Account Number	:	1984006957
Bank Name	:	Land Bank of the Philippines
Branch	:	YMCA

The SCANNED COPY of the bank deposit slip must be transmitted electronically to the BSP National Office at scoutsp@bmail.com and a copy furnished to boyet.barrera@bmail.com. The original copy of the deposit slip should be mailed to Field Operations Division, BSP c/o MR. CARMELO B. FRANCA for the issuance of Official Receipt (OR) of the BSP.

NOTE: The participation fee is NOT REFUNDABLE but is transferable.

5. Sri Lanka Visa:

All participants (International Service Team, Contingent Management Team, Unit Leaders, and Senior Scouts) MUST apply personally thru Online the Electronic Travel Authorization (ETA) for entering Sri Lanka. Herewith is the ETA official link for individual application <https://eta.gov.lk/etaslvisa/etaNavServ>.

6. The schedule of the Jamboree Program is as follows:

DATE	PARTICULAR
20 February 2024	Arrival of International Participants
21 February 2024	GRAND OPENING CEREMONIES
22 February 2024	Founders Day Celebrations and Jamboree On-Site Programs/Activities
23 February 2024	Cultural Day and Off-Site Programs/Activities
24 February 2024	International Day and Sea Programs/Activities
25 February 2024	GRAND CLOSING CEREMONIES
26 February 2024	Departure of International Participants

7. Things to bring:

Camping Essentials

- Lace-up, closed-toe shoes
- Personal Tent
- Sleeping Bag with a lightweight stuff sack
- Sleeping pad
- Water shoes (optional)

Clothing

- Scout uniforms
- Neckerchiefs
- Daily Clothing
- Socks
- Hat/Bandana
- Jacket or sweatshirt
- Rain gear
- Sleep clothes
- Underwear
- Swimsuit (for Sea Activities on the 24th of February)

Personal Gear

- Towels
- Hand towels
- Water bottles
- Day pack
- Personal eating gear
- Flashlight/headlamp with extra batteries
- Insect repellent – non-aerosol
- Toiletries: soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, foot powder, lip balm, sunblock

Optional Extra Items

- Personal first aid kit
- Solar charger

8. Should you have any question/s and/or query/ies you may refer to the International Relations Section, Field Operations Division through the following persons:

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9. For information, guidance, compliance, and widest dissemination.



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