



# NEW MEMBER INFORMATION

## WELCOME TO THE HACKHAM SCOUT GROUP

16 ROBERTS ROAD,  
HACKHAM WEST 5163



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We hope you and your family enjoy your time involved with the Group.

Scouting is the ages of 5 to 26, offering an all-inclusive award scheme allowing members to develop at their own pace through Stages of Outdoor Adventure Skills Badges and pursuing their own interests with Special Interest Area Badges.

Working through 3 levels of Milestones by Leading & assisting evenings, throughout their journey, Scouts experience the program either working as a member of a small team or Patrol.

Importantly, Scouting provides the opportunity for youth to develop skills in teamwork, resilience, leadership and make lifelong friends.

We engage in a range of activities in our weekly meetings and on some week-ends that are all designed to be adventurous, engaging, challenging and fun.

If you have any questions at any stage please speak to the Leaders of your Section or me.

**Jess Vincent (Group Leader)**



# JOINING SCOUTS

## THE OUTDOOR ADVENTURE SKILLS



### CORE SKILL AREAS

Often considered 'core Scouting' skills.

Common across all parts of Australia.

Will be represented in the program of most Groups.

### SPECIALTY SKILL AREAS

More specialised skill areas.

More limited to geographical area.

Some Groups may feature certain skill areas more than others.

Hackham Scout Group prides itself in being an inclusive group and aim to do as best we can to suit each individual needs, working with families where needed.

On your first visit you will be asked to fill in a youth application form, so we have your details and we are able to inform you of any upcoming events.



# SECTIONS



**Joey Scouts**

AGES 5-7

**THURSDAY**

**6.00pm to 7.00pm**

Joey Scout Leader:

Koala (Jess)



**Cub Scouts**

AGES 8-11

**THURSDAY**

**7.00pm to 8.30pm**

Cub Scout Leader:

Wombat (Tash)



**Scouts**

AGES 11-14

**TUESDAY**

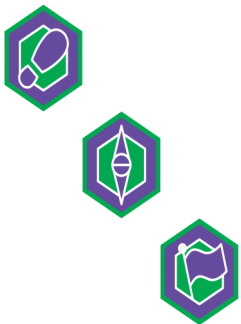
**6.30pm to 8.30pm**

Scout Leader:

Echidna (Daniel)

Please ensure on their first night they bring along a named water bottle and wear enclosed shoes

As part of the introduction to Scouting, potential members are entitled to 3 free visits to try Scouting and see if they wish to take the next step and join.



After the initial three weeks, your child will need to decide whether or not they wish to become a member.

Once joining fees are paid you will be invoiced your three visits, they will be able to be invested as an official Hackham Scout Group member

Bringing a Friend along for Four Weeks also gains a Special Bring a Friend Badge



## NEW MEMBERS

### ONCE OFF

### JOINING FEE

**\$100**

#### Includes:

- ⇒ First Term in scouting
- ⇒ Scout SA Membership
- ⇒ Section Uniform polo shirt
  - ⇒ Group Scarf
  - ⇒ First set of badges

## Direct Deposit

### Hackham Scout Group

**BSB: 065 153**

**Account Number:  
00901793**

**Please include the  
child's last name as  
payment reference  
and what  
Payment is for**

### Term fees

**\$80 per term**

- ⇒ Starts the term after  
signing up



## FINANCIAL

Scouting being fundamentally an outdoors based program there will, from time to time, be Unit or Patrol Activities, camps, hikes etc., which are an integral part of the Scouting program.

- ⇒ Once off joining fee - \$100 includes section shirt, first set of badges, group scarf and woggle and Scouts Sa Affiliation Fee
- ⇒ Not included in the joining term (But every term Afterwards) - \$80 per term (Invoiced at start of every term—Due week Four)
- ⇒ Extra costs may include—Camps, Sleepovers, any out of hall activities the youth decide which require payment
- ⇒ Replacement Scouting Uniform badges, woggles or scarfs can be purchased from the Scout Group where needed.

But you can be sure that we carefully aim to keep the price of such activities to a minimum.

If there are any extenuating circumstances that prevent you from payment on your invoice on time, then please contact the Group Leader.



## PARENT INVOLVEMENT & SUPPORT

If you are interested in being involved as a Leader or a Parents helper have a Chat to the Group Leader

The most important way you can be involved in our Group is through the encouragement you give to your child.

Since Scouts is a voluntary youth organization, we do rely on parent support on our Section Evenings and outings.



Volunteer with  Scouts today!



### Hackham Scout Group Group Support Committee

\* New members welcome \*

3rd Wednesday of every Month 6.30pm—7.30pm

We are seeking Adults interested in supporting the Hackham Scout Group & our members into a positive future

## FUNDRAISING

Our Scout Group maintains a regular fundraising program to provide funds for equipment, facilities and much more!

The support of all members and their families in these fundraising activities is appreciated.

Our fundraising activities are varied and provide opportunities for all to get us out in the local community!

Keep an eye on our communication channels for details on the next fundraiser coming up and if you have any other ideas let the Group Leader know.

## WORKING BEES

We have working bees once a term, where we give the hall a good clean inside and out, clean gutters and do any repairs needed.

If we call for a little extra help, it is good to know that there are parents willing to assist.



Operoo is an innovative participant controlled electronic medical form for clubs and other groups with a duty of care and for use for any Group Events.

You can use a PC, laptop, tablet or smart-phone to enter the details including:

- Emergency contacts
- Medical contacts
- Medical checklist

Once you start your come and try's you will be invited to sign up for Operoo via email



## 50<sup>th</sup> Year Badge

\$6

Available for purchase from the Group Leader or your section Leader



Community Dollars

A local initiative by



Drakes.

For every \$1 spent with your Community Dollars Tags we will donate 1c to your local community group!

