

2017 SA Joey Scout Hoporee

GROUP AND JOEY LEADER INFORMATION - July 2017

All Joey Scouts are invited to attend the **2017 SA Hoporee** - an action-packed weekend at the Woodhouse Activity Centre on

11-12 November 2017

Filled with fun and adventure, the **2017 SA Hoporee** will be the biggest event for SA Joey Scouts this year. Be sure not to let your Joeys miss out!

Important information for Group Leaders

- Pricing: \$70 per Joey, \$60 per Parent, \$50 per Line Leader, \$20 per Activity Leader.
- Joeys are required to have a parent/guardian accompany them.
- Participants will arrive Saturday morning and stay in tents overnight for one night, with the event concluding on Sunday afternoon.
- Special arrangements can be made for country Groups who may want to arrive on Friday night.
- Please advise your Joey Leaders how participants should pay their application fee to your Group.
- Joeys must be between the ages of 6-8 years old during the event. If special consideration is required, email <u>hoporee@sa.scouts.com.au</u>.
- Joeys must be paid-up members of Scouting Australia to be eligible to participate.
- Advise parents whether they should provide their own tent (for themselves and their Joey to share).
- Start determining what your camping gear needs are likely to be for your Group

PTO for Key Dates



Key dates are as follows:

1 August 2017	Applications open at <u>www.hoporee.sa.scouts.com.au</u> . Applicants must print out their completed application form for signatures from the Parent, JSL and GL.
7 September 2017	All JSLs to remind their Mobs of the application deadline.
22 September 2017	All signed application forms and payments submitted to Group. <u>DO NOT allow</u> extensions.
6 October 2017	<u>Copy</u> of each Signature page from all application forms (youth and adult) submitted to Branch HQ together with payment for the Group. <u>There will be NO extensions of this deadline.</u> Groups should keep the application form for their records. Sub-Camps will have access to the relevant details (e.g. dietary requirements, medical information)

- Your Group will be invoiced for the entire Group payment, based on submitted applications.
 Please adhere to the payment deadlines
- Payment and account details will be on the invoice.
- A Leader Guide will be published by early September. As per the SS&P for Camping Joey Scouts, "Leaders are to consult with parents collectively by calling a meeting, at least four weeks before the event, to brief parents on all aspects of the overnight activity, to encourage parental support and to permit parents to express any concerns about the activity."
- Please direct all questions to <u>hoporee@sa.scouts.com.au</u>.

