



# JINN Daily

Cataract Scout Park

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## International Spectacular

An enthusiastic crowd greeted our International visitors at the Main Arena on Friday night for International Night.

A Vietnamese drumming group kicked off the night with a song describing a world born from dragons and goddesses.

Wearing their traditional national dress, our Fijian neighbours presented a traditional sitting fan dance to warm applause.

Hong Kong, whose contingent is made up of only four people, gave a hilarious comedy routine teaching Tai Chi to the audience, (so everyone, remember to start with your "big watermelon")!

The Norwegian girls performed a comedy skit detailing their exciting trip out to Australia, and got the audience jumping with a so-called traditional Norwegian folk song – Ylvis' 'What does the Fox Say?'

We were treated to more traditional music and dance from the Indonesian Contingent, who presented several dances and songs from different regions.

In traditional outfits, the performers from Japan told a true story of the devastating 2011 earthquake and tsunami. Afterwards, we were impressed by a display of drumming and bamboo flute.

The contingent from New Caledonia presented a series of dances showcasing their varied cultural history, finishing with a popular boot-scooting rendition of Boys from the Bush to represent our Australian influence.

Tonga showed us a fast-paced, war stick dance and a song detailing a romantic Tongan myth.

Our Timor Leste neighbours were cheered as they amazed us with traditional dances and songs celebrating harvesting the corn.

The United Kingdom had the crowd dancing and laughing in their performance of Bob the Builder's Big Fish, Little Fish.

In stunning outfits with elaborate golden head dress, Sri Lanka performed a traditional dance.

Wearing floral leis and shirts, the USA Contingent showed a slideshow of Hawaiian Christmas Scout photos through the years, to the background of traditional Hawaiian music.

The New Zealand Contingent wrapped up the night with their national anthem, followed by the ever popular haka.

**Kerrie Ptolemy and Kathryn Singh**



# What's On in the Arenas – Saturday, January 9, 2016

## Main Arena

### Gang Show 7:30pm

After two years in the making, and one full day of practice, over 300 cast and crew members from all over Australia will come together to present the Australian Jamboree Gang Show. Acts from over 20 gang shows across Australia have been choreographed and scripted alongside a live 20 piece orchestra.

If you have never seen a Gang Show, now is your chance to experience this awesome performance. If you have experienced a Gang Show before, you will know why this is an event not to be missed!



## Mini Arena

### Scout Pipe and Drum Band – 12:30pm, 1:30pm & 2:30pm

The Scout Pipes and Drums – Macarthur, are a musically innovative pipe band that has Leaders and youth members from Scouts and Guides. They are looking to increase their numbers, particularly youth members. So if you have ever wished to be part of a really awesome group as either a drummer or bagpipe player, come and watch their performance throughout the afternoon and have a chat.

### Movie Night - Tomorrow Land – 7:30pm

Tomorrowland stars George Clooney as Frank Walker, a scientist who knows how to access the future. Casey Newton, a teenage girl, and Frank embark on a mission to unearth the secrets of a place somewhere in time and space. If you're looking for some futuristic amazement and theme park ride graphics, then come up to the Mini Arena tonight with your comfy chair or blanket.

# A Scout is thrifty



## AJ's Got Talent - second heat

AJ's Got Talent second heat was action packed and lived up to expectations. All those who participated in last night's heat should be very proud of themselves, they wowed the judges and the crowd with their amazing talent. If you haven't managed to get to A2's Frat tent to audition, don't worry! We have auditions running until Monday, January 11 for the heat that's happening that night. There are a few spots left so turn up and put your name down and show us your talent. Hopefully we can see you in the Main Arena for the final.

Participants: Ashleigh Kepert, Aidan Knight, Wilbur Renney, Glen Crockford, Alicia McNeil, Maeve O'Carroll, Aimee Tullock, Andy Ngugen, Jemma Cobb, Seamus King, Benjamin Lloyd, Bethany Whitta, Benjamin Pelz and Ned Quail

**Finalists: Ashleigh Kepert, Jemma Cobb and Ned Quail**

# Rossimus Maximus

How wet, drenched-through and sopping, could Rossimus get? Said Scout Leader Dave 'much more-wetter I bet' So with Chris, Pierce and Ella he gladly shot through, to waterslide fun down at old Jamberoo.

First the 'Taipan', then 'Funnel Web' and 'Outback Bay', tumbling headlong through rapids did Rossimus say: 'I love 'Rapid River' and 'Billabong Beach' too! What an AJ adventure; there's so much to do.

Returning to camp and a thousand new friends they welcomed the sunshine and soon made amends for all of the dampness, the mud and the cold, in the warm light of evening they felt 'brave and bold'.

Marching to the arena for a show international Rossimus Maximus was not one for rational ideas, but he thought, that it would be terrific to join the performance; yes: quite 'gungarific!'



## Jamboree Idle



## Birthdays List - January 9

Michael Sellwood, D616  
Colin Schotte, A124  
Brett Boyes, F973  
Aiden Newling, D628  
Bronwyn Mepstead, C000  
James Stephenson, D710  
Mitchell Leyh, D635  
Wilson North, D633  
Oscar Ewen, C407  
Orion Larke, C540  
Phillip Jones, C406  
Jaime Dillon, D617  
James Fisher, D633

Maxwell Broeks, D630  
Kael Kemp, D708  
Benjamin McNamara, D718  
Brian Yang, C420  
Nehalem Eschbach, C517  
Amanda Lee, A119  
Sonja Hurst, A217  
Chantelle Seneviratne, D625  
Bradley Moody, A108  
James Rigg, C412  
Jackson Green, C540  
Kate Middleton



## Meet Indonesia

Do you have any international Scouters in your Troop? For the forty-strong contingent from Indonesia, their entire Troop is international!

All of Indonesia's contingent can be found in A134—feel free to visit their site anytime and get to know the bright faces from Australia's closest neighbour. JNN Daily caught up with them all yesterday afternoon, just before dinner.

Their favourite part of AJ has unanimously been the Water Activities. This reporter was unable to find a single Indonesian Scout who didn't immediately jump up and say "Water Activities!" when asked what their favourite part of Jamboree has been so far.

When the subject of surprising aspects of Australia was brought up, the Indonesian Contingent made the amusing comment that "[they] never thought there'd be so much rain!" We're with you, Indonesia.

They mentioned that anyone who gets the chance to visit Indonesia should visit the major tourist attractions, especially Bali.

Speaking more about what home was like, we learnt that Scouting in Indonesia is "nothing different [to Australia]—maybe only the language!" The Scouts are having a blast here at Cataract but many of them miss their own bed or the company of their friends. Some even miss going to school, saying that their favourite thing to do at home was to "learn—and do Scouts of course!"

**Stuart Andrew**



## Meet Timor Leste

You'd probably be forgiven if you couldn't spot Timor Leste on a map. The island occupies just 15,000 square kilometres off the northwest coast of Darwin (for reference, Australia occupies 7,692,000 square kilometres).

Cataract Park is lucky enough to be hosting ten Scouts from Timor Leste, and you can find them down in Troop C701. Be sure to make them feel welcome!

When JNN Daily spoke to them, they mentioned that they were most surprised by the amount of tall buildings in Sydney and that they loved Jamberoo.

If you ever visit Timor Leste (and the contingent thinks you should) they take an "the simplest things are the best things" attitude and suggest you go swimming on a beach.

**Stuart Andrew**



## A Scout is Trustworthy

A big BRAVO to Queensland Scout Matthew Lakeman (C509) who recently handed a valuable item in to Lost and Found. Great job Matthew – we love to see Scouts living by the Scout Law!

theCrate  
IMAGINE THE POSSIBILITIES

On Thursday theCrate ran its second MashUp. These young Scouts got together and collaborated on the topics of the current award scheme, future Jamborees and programing. A MashUp is when a bunch of youth members get together and discuss the vital issues in Scouting, they really give you

guys a voice. They used the survey results from the visitors to theCrate over the past few days, and added their own thoughts and insights.

Through these collaborations, the following recommendations were put forward by the youth:

### The current award scheme

- The current award scheme badges need to be modernised. Surveys should be sent out by the states and the results should be compiled nationally. Surveys should be both short but also longer for those who want to give more information. Needs to be advertised on social media and on the crate. National competition to design your new badge.

- Branches need to ensure that the mentorship between the different cord levels needs to be encouraged/implemented within every Troop. There needs to be a minimum of 70% of Troops that operate on the mentorship principle to teach Scouts new skills. Needs to be implemented on a branch to branch basis, encouraged within training and will be revised by sending put surveys for both youth members and Leaders. Can be done by the State/Branch Youth Councils to ensure that these recommendations are being implemented throughout the country.

- Scout Central needs to be advertised more within the Scouting community. Link in when you complete surveys. Advertise it on social media and include the links on relevant social media pages. Include links and further information in the newsletters that branches send out. Possibly the Jamboree newspaper. Printed in the green book of where to go for further information.



### Programming

- That... Troops need to discuss having camps together and borrowing equipment.

- That... using online resources, such as Scout Central, to get ideas and see the record of achievements.

- That information should be shared more - involving youth more.

We are looking forward to the future recommendations from the next two Mash Ups and will keep you informed of the outcomes.

## Caption This

Bring your best caption to the JNN Media Centre, near the bus bay.



# VOX POPS

## - Free Time Activities

**Clare Jones**

**Troop C406**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

We went to the internet café, bought a lot of food, as well as the radio station. We've also bought a lot of food.

*What was the best free time activity?*

The bands were the best, because I really like music.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*

It wasn't really the funniest, but the best thing to happen on free time activities has been meeting new people.

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

I've watched from a distance, but I haven't gone on it as yet.



**Darcy Blackburn**

**Troop C413**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

The internet café and the contingent tents.

*What was the best free time activity?*

I think I liked the internet café the best, because I am a technology sort of guy.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*

I got an extra free hour at the internet café. It wasn't the funniest, but it was the best part.

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

No I haven't, but I'm looking forward to it. I think it will involve collaboration and teamwork.



**Hamish Stevenson and Co**

**Troop A113**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

Not many, we've just been wandering around the mall. A few of us did the jump, and a few others have also done the crate. We got interviewed at the Crate.

*What was the best free time activity?*

The Stunt Jump...no, the raves at JNNFM! We all go every night. Deruit Sandstorm is the best song they play, it's the most requested song.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*

His pen opened by mistake and he stabbed himself.

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

We've been in, but we didn't end up filming anything. We'll see, we might go again.

**Melinda**

**Troop A217**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

I haven't tried many yet, I've been trying to stay dry.

*What was the best free time activity?*



The stunt jump was pretty good. It was fun jumping and not having to worry about landing in mud or anything like that.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*

Back at camp, the conversations we have are funny, as well as drawings on the table. We have inside jokes as well, even though 'trash bin' found her emergency raincoat.

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

Not yet, we'll try. I think it involves a lot of media type things, like Facebook or the TV.

**Oliver Barberich**

**Troop D639**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

We've been to the NSW and Victorian Contingents, the International base, and we've also been to the Crate. I went to the Comedy Night and the dance parties as well.

*What was the best free time activity?*

I liked them all, but the International Base was good because you got to do all these puzzles and a quiz after.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*

When I sort of lost my passport at the Crate, but then I found it when I was walking past to go to another activity. It's something to laugh about.

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

Not yet, but I'm looking forward to it.



**Colby Reed**

**Troop D643**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

I've been racing around all morning trying to get badges. I've got most of them, I just need two more badges.

*What was the best free time activity?*

Badge swapping I reckon, because it's a chance to meet new people and learn the camp.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*

Seeing my friend getting splashed with mud as I'm running around trying to get badges.

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

No not yet, but I'm looking forward to it. I have a feeling it will be more interviews and things, which is good.

**Lachlan Heward**

**Troop D643**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

We've done the Crate and that's about it, it was enjoyable because there was TV. We've been to the Contingents as well, it was interesting because of all the different badges.

*What was the best free time activity?*

The Disco when Justin Bieber plays, I'm a big fan.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*

That's top secret!

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

No, we haven't yet. But it should be good.



**Aidan Knight**

**Troop A219**

*What free time activities have you tried so far?*

I've auditioned for AJ's got talent around four times with my harmonica.

*What was the best free time activity?*

Eating, the potato cakes are the best.

*What was the funniest thing to happen on the free time activities with your fellow Scouts?*



All these people try to high five us, but our Leader told us not to high five people so we don't get gastro.

*Have you tried JNNTV? What did you record?*

Yes, twice. Once I had to eat a gross jelly bean, and another time I got an interview and then I walked off and knocked over the set accidentally. It turned from "JNN" to "NN".

# Find a Word

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## Aussie Landmarks

This wordsearch is full of awesome outdoor places to visit in Australia. How many have you been to?

- Bungle Bungles
- Cradle Mountain
- Great Barrier Reef
- Hanging Rock
- Lake Eyre
- London Bridge
- Lord Howe Island
- Mount Bogong
- Mount Kosciuszko
- Twelve Apostles
- Uluru
- Wave Rock



# The Australiana Village Gazette

January 9, 1816

### Burning the Candle at both ends?

Yesterday, our thousandth candle was made in the candle-making hut, ensuring the colony's lighting needs are well and truly in hand for the immediate future. While the convicts labour in a factory-like production method, every candle is unique, as each convict can select a combination of different coloured waxes.



To achieve this significant milestone, the village wenches have been burning the candles at both ends!

### Australiana village badges on sale

A limited supply of Australiana Village badges will be sold each day until the end of the Jamboree for \$2 each. Badges continue to be issued as rewards or prizes for convicts to earn in competition or participation.

### Public Notice

Jamboree attendees are reminded that the village is closed on Sunday, January 10, 1816.

Photo: Wenches Carroll Graham and Ruth Lusty help convicts to make their candles.



# Sudoku

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2		9				7		4
	5	3	7					
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4	3				1			7
	9	5		7			4	

Cataract

31° Sunny

Oyster Bay

28° Sunny

Orange

29° Mostly Sunny

Banana

31° Showers

Scone

34° Sunny

Lamington NP

27° Misty Sunny





# The Scouts Came Marching Two By Two

Most Scouts come to Jamboree to have a great time away from their families for a while, however that isn't the case for all. Of the 10,916 people on site at AJ there are 92 pairs of twins and one set of triplets. JNN Daily visited Troop C408 and C507 who have two and three sets of twins at Cataract Park, respectively.

Katherine and James Mallon are twins from Victoria, who joined Scouting when they were Cubs. So far they think Jamboree is exciting, and so much better than they were expecting. They said, "It's quite nice to have a twin at Jamboree with you because you are far away from home." It is a different experience to other Scouts because "you have someone to share the experience with." This cheeky duo are quite different from each other but they share a love of cats and, after eight years, last year they finally persuaded their dad to get one of their own. They explained their cat's name is Bubbles "because Dad was drinking champagne when he finally said yes". While they claim they get along well, their Troop and Leaders disagreed,

brother is more practical and loves riding on tractors with his dad at their Mildura farm. The boys have been excitedly waiting to come to Jamboree since they first heard about it as Joeys.

Kane and Noah Midgley agree that having a twin at AJ has been great because you have an instant connection with someone, but this hasn't stopped them making friends around Cataract. While they were similar when they were younger they feel they have developed their own personality differences over time. They describe Kane as the logical one, while Noah says he "is more eccentric and often skips ahead when doing stuff".

Jasper and Darcy Cohen-Hunter say they feel "less like brothers and more like friends" because they have quite different interests which makes for a more interesting relationship. In describing each other Darcy said, "Jasper is weirder than me." Jasper agreed, saying "Darcy is the more real one." While they are both artistic, Jasper does visual arts, while Darcy plays guitar and synthesiser. Their Scout Leader, Jarrod Bell, said, "They are great Scouts who work together and support each other's ideas. Their personalities complement each other, bringing great diversity to their home Troop."

If you have been listening to JNNFM you will have heard Linda and Hayley Mitchell, twin Rovers from NSW. They bookend JNNFM's programs, with one



saying "James is very tolerant", to which a fellow Scout piped in, "Katherine has a big mouth".

Logan and Tobias Chislett prefer to be in separate Patrols, which Logan says is because they "are always together so it is good to have some time apart, but it's also great to have someone there for you... most of the time." While they do get along well, they are quite different. Logan is competitive and loves motorbikes while his twin

Mitchell starting the day while the other ends it. They even interviewed The Stevenson Experience from the Comedy night show. James and Benjamin Stevenson are ex-Scouts and identical twins. Unlike the other twins interviewed, James said he and his brother are very similar and that's why he thinks they get along so well, although they do drive each other crazy sometimes.

Emily Kerton

**Imitation is the highest form of flattery**  
The JNN Team

# On This Day...

What do you think of our Jamboree Song "Leap Into Adventure"? Here's the sheet music to the song for the 1965 Australian Jamboree—how different do you think they are?

Stuart Andrew

## The 7th Australian Jamboree Song



## Sprechen Sie Deutsch?

If you walk past Troop A115, you'll notice a German flag on their gateway (along with Australian, USA and New Zealand flags). But unusually, the German Scouts from this Troop didn't travel from Germany. They are part of the German Australian Pfadfinder Scouts – a German-speaking Scout Group based in Canberra!

Having about 40 Joeys, Cubs and Scouts in their Group, the full meeting takes place speaking German. It's a great way for children of German backgrounds to keep their traditions and language alive.

One of the Pfadfinder Scouts, Levin Hutter, was born in Germany and has lived in Australia for eight years. He travels to Germany regularly and likes that he can speak German in his Scout meetings. One thing he misses about Germany is snow!

If you're interested, you can find more information on their website – [www.spielwelt.org.au](http://www.spielwelt.org.au).

Kerrie Ptolemy





# Those magnificent Scouts in their flying machine!

If you were still gazing at the beautiful blue sky this morning, you may have noticed the large birds buzzing over the campsite. No need to worry, it was only Scouts getting a bird's eye view of Cataract Scout Park from 2500 feet at 220km an hour!

Over 500 Scouts are taking part in the Aviation Adventure being held at the Scouts Australia NSW Air Activities Centre, at Camden Airport. JNN Daily joined the Friday morning group to discover the Aviation Adventure for ourselves (I don't know who was more excited, the Scouts or Sub-Editor Andrew Tremain!).

After hearing the safety directions (like do not walk into a spinning propeller, and hang onto your hats!), we were split into groups, one group heading off to the flying hanger, and the others up to the chill out room. While waiting for their flight, Scouts were able to have a go at the flight simulator. "On the simulator, you have to do different landings," said one Scout. "With the water landing I went a bit too close to the yacht and kind of made it blow up, but after that I went okay!" (Thank goodness he was in the back seat of the plane!).

On the aerodrome walk, we were guided past the control tower, taxiways, aeroplane hangers and refuelling station. While sticking to the correct side of the



and are a great example of exactly what the Air Adventure is all about. Although Boyd had a love of aviation from an early age, he attended an Air Adventure as a 16-year-old Venturer in 1996. He now has over 8000 flying hours under his belt and flies internationally for Qantas as 2nd Officer on Boeing 747's. Angela Williams also works as an Aviation Safety and Technical Officer for AIPA (Australian International Pilots Association). All pilots volunteer their time to run Air Activities Days and the Flying School.

Hearing about all the checks and balances that are done on the pilots and aircraft made us all feel confident that we were in safe hands. The centre is a CASA certified flying school. Angela Williams said, "Scouts have the privilege of their Scout membership to learn to fly here. It is much more cost effective, being around 30% cheaper." Scouts, Venturers, Rovers, Girl Guides, Leaders and parents can learn how to take to the skies. If you are not sure, then you can book a Trial Instructional Flight through the website.

The morning was capped off for the JNN Daily team when we were taken up in VH-AHH by pilot Michelle O'Hara, who is a Girl Guide Leader from Winston Hills. After doing all the safety checks, we hurtled down the runway into the blue sky with the chatter of the Control Tower and a happy Sub-Editor in our ears.

**Kathryn Singh**



yellow cones, we spied the Rural Fire Service Bell 412SP Fire Fighting Helicopters and the Zeppelin Airship (the only blimp in the southern hemisphere!)

When not on the aerodrome walk, flying or practicing on the Sim, you can relax in front of the big screen and watch a movie or pick up a cold drink, badges, woggles, and hats from the Air Activities Centre shop.

Alex Wilson, from troop C525, said that he enjoyed the build up to take off, checking the instruments and revving the engine right up. "There was a big rush into the sky, and once you're up there, everything seems so small. All the problems in the world don't seem to matter." When asked to sum up his aviation adventure he said, "It was the best experience I've ever had! I'll most definitely come back here to fly!" Tom Rudge, from Troop C411, said the best part was seeing Cataract Park. "It's quite massive."

It was fabulous to chat to many of the pilots who make the Air Activity Centre happen. Boyd and Angela Williams have been flying Scouts around this week,



## 1st Australian Venturer Unit

We are putting the devil into Scouting over at the 1st Australian Venturer Unit. On Friday evening, the Venturers who have pushed you down waterslides, painted moustaches on your faces and propelled you down rock walls were officially invested into the exclusive Jamboree Unit.

Attended by Doug Menzies, the Commissioner of Scouts NSW, the investiture was short and sweet. He described the event as "a thank you on behalf of NSW." Venturers lined up in their assigned Units, headed by Unit Chairmen. They then received two badges, one of which can be worn on their normal Scouting uniform.

Venturers were not expecting the ceremony, and were grateful to be invited into the Unit. Tasman McManis, Leader of the Cradle Mountain Sub Camp, thanked the Vennies for going "above and beyond" in their service for the Jamboree. In all sections of the camp, Venturers can be found lending a helping hand. Service Leaders of the Sub Camp were also given badges for their assistance in Cradle Mountain. Providing endless support regarding tenting in the recent weather, night entertainment and, of course, the campaign to "Free Besgrove!", the Service Leaders are a key part of keeping the Venturers happy and healthy. Thank you for all of your hard work.



Venturers who have travelled from all over the

world are now united by their Jamboree experience, and a common name. The 1st Australian Venturer Unit will be one to talk about for many camps to come.

**Emily Tyrrell**



# MAMBO JAMBO

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## THE VNN DAILY

### THE HOORAY IT'S MARKET DAY ISSUE...

#### SOMEONE'S A TIRED LITTLE TEDDY BEAR!



It's a hard business being a Line Leader at AJ2016! And sometimes leaders get tired too. Thanks to a hot tipoff, we managed to catch Katie from Troop D714 having an afternoon siesta in the Viccon Leader's retreat. If you have photos of your Leaders having a snooze, we'd love to see them. Drop into the Viccon Media Team and we'll take care of your photos!

#### COME AND HAVE YOUR PHOTO TAKEN!

Drop into the Viccon Tram Stop today, and have your photo taken with one of our messages home. We'll be here all day so come see us at Viccon HQ for some fun!

#### THIS PLACE IS A CIRCUS!



#### OH THE RAVAGES OF TIME & SCOUTING



Matt from the Vic Media Team attended AJ2010 as a Scout. In the lead up to AJ2016, a photo of him surfaced, and he became the pin-up boy for Cirque Du Scout. Yesterday we dragged Matt up to Cirque Du Scout to recreate this historic image.

#### BUY YOUR OWN WEEDY! TODAY ONLY! AT THE VICCON MERCH TENT!

#### TODAY'S QUICK QUESTION

How Many Weedy Sea Dragon's are there at AJ2016? (Hint all 81 Troops were issued with two at the start of the Jamboree, and there are a few spares floating around. The rest will be sold off today)

#### ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S QUICK QUESTION:

1: Frankston - 1935, 2: Wonga Park - 1948 3: Clifford Park - 1955-56, 4: Dandenong - 1964-65, 5: Dandenong - 1976-77, 6: Ballarat - 1992 7: Elmore - 2007

#### VIC VENTURERS LUCKY PRIZE WINNERS: FRIDAY, JAN 8TH

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|----|----------------|------|
| 1. | Heidi Chandler | D614 |
| 2. | Angela Su      | C542 |
| 3. | Aiden Hendriks | C533 |
| 4. | Patrick Murphy | D730 |
| 5. | Kelsey Oliver  | C419 |
| 6. | Peter Nguyen   | C435 |

#### TODAYS GEMBROOK FORECAST

Partly Cloudy with a top of 28°. Winds south-southwesterly 25km/h

# Queensland Contingent

It's SUPER SATURDAY which means:

- You all had a shower last night.
- You all cleaned your tents and campsites.
- You all have your activities ready.
- You're all ready for an AWESOME day of activities!

The Scouts enjoyed their first dry night by dancing everywhere from the Main Arena to the JNN Radio & TV stages.

With the sun in full swing, the Queensland Contingent made the most of it by jumping in remaining puddles to stay cool, eating ice cream, and hanging out in shady locations between activities.



We would like to wish all those that have had birthday's today at AJ2016 a **HUGE HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



*Let the adventure continue tomorrow.*

# ACT Contingent

The mall has been the centre of activity today with market and visitors day. There were four coaches of Cubs, Joeys and families visiting from the ACT. Some of the New Zealand Scouts staying with ACT Troops even had visitors from home!



The ACT Embassy team enjoyed telling visitors about the ACT and encouraging them to come and visit. We also highlighted the plight of the Corroboree frog, with quite a few of our frogs destined for new homes all over Australia. It was a busy but really fun day. We are looking forward to the Jamboree Gang Show tonight.

So you may have purchased or traded for an ACT Contingent Badge, but have you had a close look at it? The badge is the shape of the ACT, it features the Mt Stromlo observatory and the Gang Gang cockatoo. The Gang Gang cockatoo is the fauna emblem of the ACT.

## Where in Cataract?

The winner of the photo competition was Clare Steele A209, who correctly identified the photo as being the flower bed on the corner of Stock Road and Crabtree Drive J10. Clare come and collect your prize.

The photo for Sunday, January 10 is below.

If you know the answer come and put your entry in at the ACT Contingent.



## Cornelius the Corroboree Frog

Cornelius was most impressed by your responses to: "What is your top tip for drying out wet stuff?", which included:

- Put some foil on the BBQ and put your shirt on it.
- Turn your frat tent into a Chinese laundry.
- Use the sun!
- Stuff your boots with paper and put them in the sun.
- Hang your clothes inside out.
- Hang up high to dry in the wind.
- Don't leave it wet in your tent!

Cornelius's would like to know: "What was your favourite market day activity?" Drop in and add your response to CCF.

Fun fact: Did you know that more than 60 per cent of ACT Scouts are attending AJ2016?

## Out and about with ACT Troops

Some Troops have been finishing off or building their gateways (one Troop who will remain nameless had a couple of attempts before theirs stayed upright).

Lots of Scouts have been making the most of the sunny weather, checking out the activities in the mall, eating ice cream, snow cones and listening to JNN. Some ventured down to the Main Arena for a backstage tour, which is a great activity if you have a free morning.

Jamberoo is proving to be a favourite off site activity as the weather warms up and ACT Troops are finding Challenge Valley is living up to its muddy reputation. The stunt leap has also been a hit.



