# ver knew there was this much green in the entire galaxy" Rey



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A patrol from A541 takes on the maze at Woodhouse.



Mac, Mitchell, Mathew and Angus from C766 at the Frisbee Golf



Isabella of B216 completes the climb



### **By TOM HEAP**

Photos: ANDREW McGRAIL, LES BUCKLE, and SUE DAY

Celebrating international Scouting

Woodhouse is probably one of the few activities with no dust. There's sun this weird stuff called grass and there's a wide range of activities. The vibe of the whole thing is calm and relaxed. You see the Scouts walking to and from activities laughing and joking around with each other and deepening their comradery with their patrol. Woodhouse holds a wide arrange of activities from a tyre slide and an abseiling tower to catapults and pioneering races. There was also mud, not The Cube level of mud but still mud. Two Scouts, Ella and Kinga from C437, where dared to jump into the mud and promptly proved that mud can be fun to go for a swim in. There's also a Labyrinth where you have to search around in a maze looking for clues and trying to get as close to 15 points as possible. Noah from D540 really enjoyed the pioneering activity because of the rope maze where he got lost and his patrol got tangled up in all the ropes. The teamwork that Woodhouse's range of activities brings out in the Troops is phenomenal, everyone is cheering on their patrol and bringing the best out of each other.



Unicorns Ashley and James from D326 Peep out of a tent





Millie of B218 rides the flying fox at Woodhouse.

### WEEDY SWIMS (DANCES) **THROUGH THE DUST**

#### by MATT ELLIS Photo: LIZZY BEAVER

Scouts from around the world danced with Weedy the Sea Dragon at the at the SouthAustralia.com Arena last night and it looked exhausting.

Weedy had a great time at the Cosplay and enjoyed meeting Scouts from all over the world.

"The Cosplay dance was amazing, and it was great to dance with all the Scouts in their costumes," said Weedy. "While I didn't like being attacked by Darth Vader and a Storm Trooper, it's fair to say I beat them both," said Weedy.

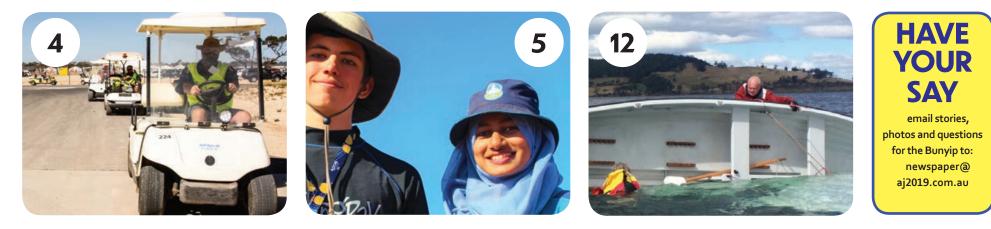


around the boulderdash at Woodhouse.

Alexander, Edward, Elliot, Noah and Rhyan from C439 enyoing the inflatable stunts

Raisa, Flora, and Fathiyya from C432 at the **Pioneer Base** 

Isabella (D425) talks to a cosplayer dressed as **Rey from Star Wars** 



### WEATHER

Brisbane

Canberra

Darwin

Hobart

Melbourne

33, sunnv

Perth

Sydney

Columbo

29, possible

thunderstorm

34, mostly sunny

28, mostly sunny

28, possible shower

30, thunderstorm

29, increasing sunshine

31, mostly sunny



### Friday January 11 **Tailem Bend**

40, sunny Woodhouse 34, sunny Adelaide 39, mostly sunny

# Back in the

### Day...

Here's where AJ2019 fits in Australian Scouting history ... by KAREN MEYERS

> The 14th Australian Jamboree was held at Cataract Scout Park 1985/86, which was the first of four Jamborees to be held at Cataract to date. This was also to be the last Jamboree for boy Scouts as girls were allowed into the Scout section in



### **Tinkerbell** arrives at AJ2019

#### Photo and Story by MATT ELLIS

Fairies have landed at Allawah Mall on Tuesday night wishing every Scout there one wish, with Troop B757 dressing up as Fairies.

Henry who was celebrating his birthday said, "I wanted to have a fairy birthday party at Jamboree and I am thrilled to get one."

While Alicia said, "for our fairy night I didn't have to dress up to be a fairy as I'm a fairy everyday."

While most of the troop were happy to dress up as fairies some were not as keen, "I was forced to dress up as a fairy, however I'm happy that I did it" said Daniel.

### WHAT'S ON Entertainment

### tonight Entertainment

or not? TONIGHT Main Arena: 6.30-9.30 pm International night performances from International Contingents Bend FM Stage: 6.30-8 pm AJ's Got Talent Heat 3 8.15-9.30 pm DISCO - 80's Dance Party Leader activities The Program team is opening their activities to Leaders for select activities. Spaces are very strictly limited - first

### friday

come, first served.

Waterslide at Splat

7.30-8.30 pm

**Religious Observance** At the Drop in centre at Welfare: 1.30 pm Islamic prayers

5.30 pm Jewish service with Rabbi Shoshana Kaminsky

Connection (Broad Mix of Music) Leader activities 7-8.30 pm Silent Disco and Stunt drop at the Mall 5.30-7.30 pm Ice Skating at Bang 5.30-7.30 pm Target shooting at Bang Shops AJ2019 Merch shop: 10 am - 6 pm Scout Outdoor Centre: 10 am - 4 pm Service Leader meals Breakfast: 6-8 am Morning tea: 10-10.30 am Lunch: 12 noon - 2 pm

Afternoon tea: 3-3.30 pm

late, drinks from 7 pm

Dinner: 5.30-7.30 pm

Leader lounge 12 'til

#Stuff

Main Arena: 6.30-7 pm Crowd

Warm Up DJ Set

7-8 pm Magician

8.15-9.15 pm Hypnotist

6.30-8 pm Family Feud

8-9.30 pm Band - Murray

Bridge Advanced Band

- Matt Tarrant

- Isaac Lomann

Bend FM Stage:

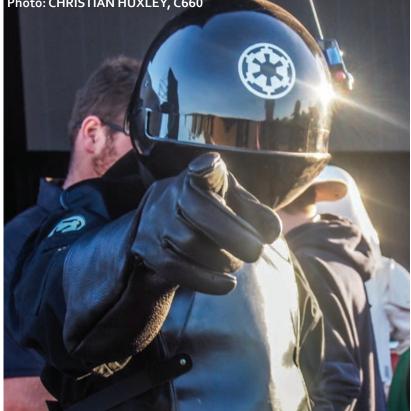
Game by DJs R Us

### **THOUGHT FOR** THE DAY

s someone in your Troop feeling a bit homesick? Or maybe you are yourself? If you're feeling a bit low because of this remember to try to control your self-talk - the things you say to yourself inside your head. It's easy to tell yourself that you're miserable and not enjoying yourself. Instead, say to yourself something like, "I am safe and with people who like me and look after me. It may be somewhere different from usual, but it's a good place and somewhere I can have fun." Keep encouraging yourself works!

Seen These Badges Before?

### Imperial Gunner Photo: CHRISTIAN HUXLEY, C660



### **VOX POP\*** WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE ACTIVITY SO FAR?



### Flick, D534

My favourite activity so far has been Metro Mania, because it was really chilled out and we got to explore Adelaide and have a rest day in the sun..



### Lisa, D536

I really enjoyed Metro Mania I got to eat at Maccas for the first time in a few years and I enjoyed sitting on the beach with my friends. as the other Scouts around me"



### Ryan, D534

My favourite activity was probably Wood House I especially enjoyed Challenge Hill. There was real grass and I especially liked Challenge Hill and the team building My patrol were all laughing and joking and having a great time.



### Leo, C217

"The Cube was my favourite. I love to go climbing especially trees as they are free and I climb quite often so I didn't get too scared. But I was quite cautious of the mud, so I chose to not get into it



Troop B757 in Allawah Mall as fairies

erboard Tuesday
Patrol 6
FULL STEAM AHD - B101
Patrol 2
TIMETRAVELLER - A320
Patrol 6
MYSTERY HISTY - D101
Blue Jays Patrol
OVERALL WINNER -
A427 Patrol 6

Find out more at the National Program Space in he Allawah Mall!



the free time we got to have with no leaders watching over us."

#### Beau, C532 "Probably Metro Mania, we did a dolphin cruise which was really nice and relaxing, and I enjoyed



"Probably Bang it's been my favourite because we got to destroy cars.

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Zoe & Leon C326 Photo: Troop C326 JTL

#### by AMELIA JAMES

Zoe and Leon from C326 are ready for first aid! Zoe put her first aid skills to the test on Metromania. While they were on the tram, a woman passed out after donating blood earlier in the day. Zoe comforted the woman and made sure she was OK before another passenger, a nurse, took over. Later that day Zoe also treated a fellow Scout for a blood nose.

The next day it was Zoe's turn to get help after she suffered a reaction to an icy pole. There were no Leaders nearby, so Troop member Leon quickly stepped in to administer Zoe's EpiPen.



Alex, Troop A107 showing off his wristband collection Photo: MATT ELLIS

### **New Fashions Emerge at AJ2019** by MATT ELLIS

### As Jamboree continues the fashion trends become more and more noticeable with wristbands proving to be this seasons number one fashion trend.

Alex from Troop A107 has collected 33 bands so far this Jamboree and he hopes to collect many more.

"One of my friends was at the last Jamboree and he collected them and when I say his collection I wanted to have a bigger collection" said Alex.

In a message from the medical team they have asked everyone to not wear excessive amounts of wristbands and to not wear them all day.

Please have wristbands off while sleeping and for a few hours during the day to maximize your blood circulation.

## BE PREPARED FOR FIRST AID GETTING AROUND **THE NEW PROGRAM**



Ezgi and Dylan talk Jonathon and Ryan of D101 through the new program **Photos: PATSY GUSSENHOVEN** 

#### by NICK BROWNE

The Scouts Australia New Program Space in Allawah Mall is the place to go for information about the new youth program. Yesterday, Ezgi and Dylan from the Space took Scouts Jonathon and Ryan from D101 through the changes they can expect over the next few years.

Both Jonathon and Ryan had expressed concerns about the new program. "I've heard there might be changes and the Australian Scout Medallion might be easier to get," said Jonathon. "I think it should be a challenge." The boys were also worried that Scouts and Leaders who don't like the changes will leave the movement.

Dylan and Ezgi explained the ideas and research behind the new program, as well as the three main components of the achievement  $pathways-the\, {\it Milestones}, {\it Outdoor\, Adventure\, Skills\, and\, Special\, Interest}$ Areas

While Jonathon and Ryan were initially sceptical about the way the stages of the achievement pathways run from Joeys through to Rovers, Dylan observed that many Scouts who earned their Grey Wolf in Cubs talked about the way they went back to the beginning in Scouts and some of the Pioneer Badge was easier than what they had already completed.

"I know some people are concerned about the look of badges and so on," explained Dylan, "but our overall aim is the better Scouting experience the new program will offer."

The boys left the Space with many of their concerns addressed, although they weren't quite convinced about all of the details. "I still think the book should fit in your pocket," suggested Ryan.

If you have any questions about the new program, Dylan, Ezgi and the rest of the team at the Space suggest you pay them a visit.



### J2019'S MUST HAVE

Jaxon, Jay, Ajax, and Alex, from Troop A107 were thrilled to get their hands on the Scouts Australia shirt logo badge

Words and Photo by MATT ELLIS Every Jamboree there is a must have item and this Jamboree is no different, with the new Scouts Australia shirt logo badge the must have item.

The badge is back in stock at the National Tent after they sold out earlier in the week, but you better be quick because the stock

is limited to 5 per person. The new logo has been a hit with the Scouts with Ajax from Troop A107 saying "I love how it shows all the sections." "I wanted to have the new Scouty look and being able to show it to all my friends after Jamboree" said Jaxon from Troop A107.



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# **Buggy Brigade**



#### by ASH MARKS PHOTOS: COLLETTE LARK

For the length of AJ2019 the Tailem Bend Motorsport Park has been taken over by a fleet of vehicles of a different kind. Buggies, golf carts, whatever you want to call them, they've taken over the site. After all, we are a city, and that means a lot of people have a lot of around to cover.

Buggies are the ultimate way to get around, but they can't run on fumes and, despite them ruling the roads onsite, they can't drive out of the main gates.

Harold Parslow, Transport Supervisor, had to get special permission to be able to take the buggies offsite once a day to refuel. The Buggy Brigade is escorted to the petrol station alongside the park where, two by two, each thirsty buggy is topped up. Once they're all quenched, the brigade is escorted back onsite, ready for another busy Jamboree day.



## THE INCREDIBLE

# **COVER'D** by MATT ELLIS Photo: CECILIA JACKSON

The Incredible's lead singer Jordan rocking hard at the main arena **Photo: PHILL STEVENS** 

### THE THREE WOMEN WHO WILL LEAD ADELAIDE GANG SHOW

There's a revolution in Adelaide Gang Show in 2019 with an all-new female management team. But, before preparation for the show kicks off, they also have the tough job of looking after the Leaders' Lounge at AJ2019.

Alana Willett will be stepping into the Executive Director role, while Maddie Gray and Amber Wall will be taking on the Production Director and Technical Director roles respectively. It is the first time in the history of Adelaide Gang Show that these positions have been held by women.

"We are really looking forward to putting a whole new spin on what Adelaide Gang Show is all about," said Amber.

The show is putting a huge focus on being 'youth led adult supported' with their 20-person production team being youth members.

"It's great to be the first youth member to be Production Director and to lead a production team of youth members," said Maddie.



### **Dealing with homesickness**

by SAMI LIGHTFOOT, Troop B544 Homesickness is a very hard thing to deal with. I'll tell you my story and give you a few tips on how to deal with it

#### by ASH MARKS

Rock night lived up to the hype with not one but TWO epic bands rocking the main arena last night. Cover'd showcased the talents of Crafty, Rachel, Kane and Paul, while The Incredibles starred Jordan, Sam, Pete and Stuey.

The crowd had a blast rocking out with classic songs from Smash Mouth, Guns N Roses and 5SOS, and throwing frisbees back and forth with the band members.

Cover'd opened and warmed up the arena for The Incredibles to then take over, but both bands joined up to blow the roof off for the final set. "I should tell my wife I'm not completely hopeless," laughed crowd favourite Pete, the lead guitarist for The Incredibles, as he signed frisbees for lucky Scouts. "We've never done a show like this," said Sam, from The Incredibles. "But hell yeah, we'd do it again in a heartbeat." page 4



Crafty from Cover'd showing Scouts how to rock. Photo: ASH MARKS

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I was very excited to come to Jamboree and thought nothing of homesickness. Yet when I got here I suddenly started to feel homesick and had to work around it. Here are a few tips to make your Jamboree experience a little brighter: Firstly, keep busy all the time. Do extra duty patrols, activities, play cards or go to the mall where there is lots to do. You should try not to hang around alone or hang out in your tent because these things will not help with your homesickness. The less you think about your homesickness the better!

Secondly, meet up with any family members or friends who are at the Jamboree. I met up with my cousin Luke (shout out to Troop A536) and I felt much better after we had a chat. Lastly, stay hydrated, eat lots of nutritious food and, most importantly, stay positive! In conclusion, if you do all the things above you will feel a lot better. It worked for me. How to know if you are homesick:

If you are homesick you will feel sad, you will want to go home and you might miss your family. Buckley suggests saying something to your Leader. There are excellent people in your welfare team who are waiting to help you feel better and get back to having fun!



#### by AMELIA JAMES Photos: DAMIAN HUGHES

Wil, Brodie and Asher from troop B332 got a marvellous surprise when they were called to the Mawson subcamp HQ. There was mail for them to collect. Each of them received a parcel from home as well as a few more for others in their troop. "When it's sent by Mum you always know there's something good inside," said Asher. "I like what I received because it has food," said Brodie.





Asher's Letter from his Mum

Jamboree mail is picked up from Tailem Bend each morning by Postman Paul. He then delivers it to each different subcamp where it is sorted and picked up by each troop. Mawson subcamp receives a full bag of mail (around 50 parcels) each day. If you want to send mail home, there is a mailbox at each subcamp HQ to post it.



Asher Showing off

his parcel

Wil Showing off his parcel parcel

### GILWELL REUNION

Photo: CECILIA JACKSON

On arrival the Leaders were met by the Phil Harrison, National Chief Commissioner, Dougal Mayor, National Commissioner Adult Training and Development and Harry Long, Chief Commissioner, SA Branch. Each Leader was presented with the new Centenary of the Wood Badge and a limited edition AJ2019 Gilwell Reunion badge.

Harry made a speech about how all Leaders are trainers of our youth and that the new Centenary badge is for all Leaders and not just for those that have completed their Wood Beads. He was proud that we at AJ2019 held the first Gilwell Reunion for the centenary year.

Dougal Mayor presented a narrative of how the Wood Beads came about. He stated that "every Scout deserves a well-trained Leader" and how BP spoke about "the importance of role models and practicing what we preach. So, 2019 is the 100th anniversary of that first course held at Gilwell Park and to recognise this milestone we want to celebrate 100 years of great training."

Phil then spoke to the crowd about how we all need to assist with teaching the newYPR and assist with training the next generation.

Two new Wood Beads were presented to Cheryl Brady and Chris Wise as they have been promoted into the National Training team. The Beads were presented by Simon Fredrick, Training and Program Support – SA Branch.

The Centenary of the Wood Badge badge will be available to purchase online for \$2 or at the National Program space.

#### by PATRICK MORGAN Photo: FIONA BENYON

The Australian Badge Club has a display here at AJ2019, in the Allawah Mall. The Club provides the opportunity for Scouts to learn



# BADGE SWAP

## International

Scouting is a world wide movement and AJ2019 is enriched by the presence of 18 international contingents. From Tonga to Austria our overseas friends have made a huge contribution to the success of the Jamboree. This edition of The Daily Bunyip celebrates the international contingents with stories on pages 5, 6, 7 and 8. And tomorrow look out for our wrap on tonight's International Night performances at the SouthAustralia.com Arena!

### INDONESIA RAYAI

#### by AYDIN and EWAN, A541

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Troop A541 has been hosting six Indonesian Scouts for the last few days. Hafiz, Daffa, Ahmed, Sadya, Naufal, Syawqi and their leader Muhammad have become great contributing members of the Troop. When asked about the Troop, Hafiz answered, "It's great. Everyone is very nice. They are all close and have good friendships and everyone is friendly."

They knew more about us when they arrived than we did about them, but after some time we have learned so much from them. We have also taught them a lot about Australia and Scouting here. Patrol members, Xavier, Paddy and Rhys have taught them many games like "the Game", which they are trying to take world wide.

Overall, having our Indonesian friends in the Troop has been great and we have all really enjoyed ourselves.

### DOWNLOADING FRIENDS

by PATRICK MORGAN Photo: CHELSEA LONG

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Jamboree of the Air / Jamboree of the Internet (JOTA/JOTI) is the largest Scout event in the world. Held on the third full weekend of October every year, it allows Scouts from all over the world to meet and connect with each other, both through amateur radio and over the internet.

Back at JOTI last year, Sumayet of Troop B104, from Bangladesh, and Aeryn of Troop A434, from WA got chatting on Scoutlink, an online chat service for Scouts. They started out in a chatroom, with many other Scouts, before moving into a direct person-to-person chat. Sumayet got very interested when Aeryn mentioned he was from Australia, and told him she was coming to AJ2019.

After JOTI, Sumayet and Aeryn kept in touch, talking over email and Google Hangout. They asked about each other's countries. Sumayet liked learning about Vegemite, Lamingtons and Pavlova from her new Australian friend.

On Wednesday, Sumayet said she was "very excited" to be able to soon meet Aeryn, saying that she had been "waiting (for all of the) three months since JOTA". Accompanied by The Daily Bunyip, she arrived unannounced at Aeryn's Troop Site shortly before dinner, much to his surprise.

Once he recovered from the surprise, Aeryn said he was "happy to have met" Sumayet face-to-face. Sumayet said it was "very amazing meeting a friend". Why not talk to your Leaders about taking part in JOTA/JOTI with your Scout Troop? You could be part of the next great international Scouting friendship!





how to swap badges fairly. Ann from the Badge Club shared a few quick tips on badge swapping etiquette:

Swap badges one for one.
Make sure swaps are of equal

value, for example:

- One District badge for one District badge

- One Contingent badge for one Contingent badge

- One event badge for one event badge



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### Tutira Mai Nga Iwi

#### by ASH MARKS Photo: CHELSEA LONG

Things are heating up as International night draws closer and our friends who have travelled far and wide prepare to amaze us with performances that capture their homelands.

It's our cousins from across the ditch in New Zealand who allowed us the special pleasure of joining them for their final Haka rehearsal before the big night.

The haka is a Maori traditional dance, that also serves as a challenge. Each member of the New Zealand contingent will take place in the performance, which was put together by the Scouts themselves.

Some of the Scouts learn Maori culture at school and they were able to teach the others. The story they chose, Tutira Mai Nga Iwi, is about coming together and forming close friendships, which is perfect for AJ2019's #friends4life theme.

Without wanting to give too much away, the performance will include the NZ national anthem (which they actually rehearsed on the flight over!), and the Haka itself, which is a call and response led by Gareth and Keegan respectively.

It's sure to be a memorable night!



Keagan, C550 leading the NZ Haka rehearsal



**New Zealand Contingent** 

# Herald Vic

### THE GATEWAY ISSUE. **Mmmmm Pizza**

Your Troop's gateway will be judged Friday afternoon. Remember the Victorian Troop with the winning gateway will win Pizza for dinner on the last night!

### The C217 Pig

On the 7th of January, Brad from C217 decided it would be a great idea to eat a massive box of chocolate brownies and a litre of custard. We hope the stomach ache has passed. (Photo by Wade C217)





### Rumour has it...

Next Jamboree each Troop will be issued with a cow which they will need to milk each day #youthleading (We just hope that the Venturers don't tip them)



### **GATEWAY CHALLENGE**

### by PATRICK MORGAN

The Scout TV team is running a gateway challenge! To enter, just take a photo of your whole Troop outside your gateway, and then post the photo to either Instagram or Facebook, with the hashtag #AJ2019Gateways. Make sure to include your Troop number, and some brief details of your gateway. The top 10 entries will be visited by the Scout TV team, and interviewed for the Scout TV channel. They will also be featured in The Daily Bunyip! Entries close at 9 am Sunday January 13, so don't miss out!

### **Contingent Rivalry** by ALBERT LEE

Contingent rivalry is a long-standing tradition, starting off with Western Australia and Queensland. The Leaders at the Queensland found out that undies have been taken off their clothes line and tagged with 'G'day from WA'. The culprits who committed this crime are obvious. At midnight, Queensland quietly snuck to the front of the WA Contingent and fruited their boab tree with fake pineapples in an act of revenge. A Leader from WA riddled, 'An Eagle swooped in and grabbed the undies, but a Brumby got creative."

With both Contingents on edge, nobody knows who will strike next.

### Hey Big Spender!

As the Scouts continue to venture into Adelaide, some seem to be getting more into the spending spirit than others. The boys of C664, Dylan, Tyler and Brendan all together spent over \$400 in the city. Sporting branded bum bags, shoes, hats, and shirts, we wonder what reaction the lads will get when they return home.

### **ATAS VIP Meet and Greet**

The Association of Top Achiever Scouts (ATAS) is a worldwide Scouting fellowship group of Scouts and Scouters who have achieved the highest rank of youth in their Scout Associations.

Camp Chief, Harry Long would like to invite all King Scout, Queen Scout, BP or equivalent International Awards or ATAS Members to join him for an evening gathering.

- Please come by and join us:
- Friday 11th January, 9.00pm to 9.45pm, VIP Tent

You will be able to join ATAS on the night and receive the ATAS Badge. A group photo will also be taken on the

night. We look forward to meeting you.

### #F.R.I.E.N.D.S 4 LIFE by ASH MARKS

#### Photo: CECILIA JACKSON

Friendships are being formed all over Tailem Bend as Scouts from all over the world make memories that will last a lifetime.

Five new friends ventured into Adelaide and picked up matching F.R.I.E.N.D.S shirts so that everyone will know that they are #friends4life.







### Did vou know?

There are 38 boys called James and 24 girls called Emily in the Victorian Contingent

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Dear Bunyip, Chocolate or strawberry? There is a right answer. Berrett, A650 Dear Berrett, Neapolitan. Buckley

Dear Bunyip, There are seeds everywhere, little pods that get stuck in everything (chairs, clothes, etc) yet I am the only one afflicted. Why !? Is this a movie and I'm the hero of a plant apocalypse?

Afflicted CD.W, B214 Dear Afflicted, Yes, it's a movie. The seeds will be played by Troop B214. And you'll be played by a wombat. Buckley

Dear Bunyip, Please go out with me. Please, please, please Cain, B438 Dear Cain, I am out with you. Buckley

Dear Bunyip, I come from a small town in Victoria called Bunyip. Why is the newspaper called The Daily Bunyip? Hayley, B754

Dear Hayley, Because The Daily Hayley didn't work. Bunyip

Dear Mr bunyip, My friend Megan has the annoying habit of randomly stopping walking and screaming out Yeet for no reason. I am concerned for her health but since she is a Scout, and not a normal person, I decided to ask for your advice. Is this socially acceptable?

A very concerned Bianca, C108 Dear Bianca, Not for a normal person, but totally OK for a Scout. Yeet.

Buckley

Newspaper

Buckley

Dear Lachlan, Have you seen Groundhog Day?

Buckley Dear Bunyip, Do you think C545 could make a government, and if so, do you think it would be stable? GG\_Cat, C545 Dear GG, You have very nice handwriting, so probably Yes. Buckley Dear Bunyip. How do I deal with life?

Help me, C443 Dear Help me, You don't deal with life. You live it. Buckley Dear Bunyip.

Is it OK to drink 4 litres of Farmers Union iced coffee in one day? It made me kind of hyper. Totally not Ryan, C443 Dear Totally not Ryan (not even a little bit), AJ2019 Chief Dust Director Reg Williams is a big fan of Farmers Union iced coffee. He drinks 300 mls a day. It's his secret to success. Buckley

Dear Buckley, Why and how do I deal with a troublesome patrol? Hedgehog, C443 Dear Hedgehog, It's not them. It's you! Bunyip Dear Bunyip, Why am I here? Max, A103 Max, That's what we keep asking: why are you here? Buckley Dear Bunyip,

**Does Old Man Jefferson** actually exist because our troop did the maths and it isn't actually possible. Also, bacon??? Isabel Alex Mitchell and Abbey, C212 Dear I, A, M and A, Yes, he does exist. And so does bacon. Buckley Dear Bunyip, Today I had 5 juice boxes in an hour. What is the average amount per hour? Shannon, B754 Dear Shannon, Apparently it's five JB/hour. Buckley

Dear Bunyip, If eat bacon, do I become a pig?

Abbey, C212 Dear Abbey, If you eat flour, do you become a flower? Buckley

DearYipbun, I want to get the medical badge that you get at the AJ hospital. Should I purposely injure myself? Don't care, C108 Dear Don't care. You should probably get medical advice on that. Buckley

Dear Bunyip, Why are the showers so small? Anonymous, C769 Dear Anonymous, They're not small. I suspect you misunderstand when your Scout Leaders said your Patrol had to go for a shower. They meant a shower each.

Buckley

Dear Bunyip. Weedy the sea dragon is gaining popularity rapidly. Are you concerned you might be overthrown as mascot? Ready-for-war, A431 Dear Ready-for-war, I'm a two tonne bunyip. He's a 115 gram sea dragon. I'm terrified ... Buckley Dear Bunyip, If salt and vinegar chips are vinegarflavoured, why are original chips salty? Myla, A542 Dear Myla. What is original flavour? Buckley

Dear Bunyip, Why can't I feed the monkeys at The Bend FM? Jazzy, A542

Dear Jazzy,

Dear Cale and Jon, I subscribe to Harry Long's Fortnite tips. Buckley Dear Bunyip,

What's the difference between a construction site and a Jamboree site? My friend asked me to do this, B754 Dear MFAMTDS, A construction site has organised labour. Buckley Dear Bunyip,

Should I hug unsanitised people? Willow, C765 Dear Willow, I always spray people with Aqueum before I hug them. Buckley

Dear Bunyip, What's your favourite Arnotts Biscuit? Hungry Cookie, C216 Dear Hungry Cookie, I hear the hottest trade at Woodhouse is mini Scotch finger biscuits. Buckley Dear Bunyip, My Patrol doesn't know how to do dishes. What should I do?

Max, B548 Dear Max, Either 1. Take your plates to the shower. Or 2. Use paper plates. Or 3. Get a new Patrol. Buckley Dear Bunyip, What are your opinions on YouTube rewind 2018? Smithy, D208 Dear Smithy, I thought it was so last year's. Bunyip Dear Bunyip,

I'm confused about the new program. Lauren, C769 Dear Lauren,

You're confused! How do think the YPR people feel? Buckley

Dear Bunyip, Are vou a Scout or a Leader? Max P, D429 Dear Max, Let's discuss this tonight at the Leaders lounge.

Buckley Dear Bunyip, I have two questions. 1. Will you be on stage? 2 Will you crowd surf? Rockstar, A320 Dear Rockstar, I prefer to be humble and let others take the limelight. Unlike Weedy. Buckley Dear Bunyip, I've seen lots of pics of my daughter at Jamboree but none of my son. Do you think she has finally done away with her little brother? Worried Mum, C775 the daily bunyip Thursday January 10 2019

Dear Worried Mum, Yes, we were going to write to you. Buckley Dear Bunyip, Are the people at Bend FM going to rick-roll? James, B214 Dear James, We're never gonna let you down. They might. Buckley Dear Bunyip, What is old man Jefferson? I think he's fake, my friends say different? Tess, A325 Dear Tess, He's a real old Leader who's been frozen and is

Every three years we thaw him out for the Jamboree. Buckley Dear Bunyip, How fast are you? Jerico, A103 Dear Jerico. I am so fast that you haven't seen me yet. Buckley

kept at Scout Heritage.

Dear Bunyip, I am a vehicle freak and racer, so I'm wondering where the keys to the golf buggies are kept? Racer, B212 Dear Race, A long way from you. Buckley Dear Bunyip, Why do people

peg people? Molly, A320 Dear Molly, Because their parents gave them pegs for Christmas and they don't know what they're used for. Buckley Dear Bunyip, Do you have any tips on homesickness?

Ben Khan, B214 Dear Ben, We'll have a comprehensive report in Monday's issue. Buckley Dear Bunyip,

How many people write to you per year? Mathematical, D208 Dear Maths Guy, About 100 a day x 365 = 6 billion.

Buckley Dear Bunyip, How many times have

Lachie, C765 Dear Lachie, you been to lamb Think of a number and multiply by 36 Scouts and four Leaders. Buckley Dear Bunyip, Why was this dust-Buckley filled campsite chosen for Jamboree? Uncle Pete, B652 Dear Uncle Pete, Because we've already done Elmore and thought you'd enjoy meeting fresh dust. Buckley

Hi Bunyip, I lost the game? Sadness, C108 Dear Sunshine, I lost the game. Buckley Dear Bunyip, What is your fav thing at Jamboree? Chloe Thompson, C659 Dear Chloe, There's a secret place called Forest Cafe.

But it's a secret. Dear Bunyip, How old are you? I am 12. Ciaram-cian Boweslyon Dear Ciaram-Cian,

I am older than that. How old are you? Buckley

Dear Bunyip, How many different washing machines have you seen in the troop camps? Are the Scouts using them? Lynn, A427 Dear Lynn, Scouts using washing machines?! That's crazy talk. I get Chief Dust Director Reg Williams to wash my socks and shirts after he's finished cleaning toilets every night. Buckley Dear Bunyip,

What is your favourite biscuit? (Timtams are the best) Reece, B214 Dear Reece. As an Australian, I love ANZAC biscuits. When people mistake me for Austrian, I enjoy a quiet vanillekipferi.

Buckley Dear Bunyip, Would you rather an icy cold snow cone or steamy hot chips? Hot or cold (Mr. Fire), C329 Dear Hot or Cold, People reckon I'm pretty cool. But who doesn't love chips? So probably I'd have chocolate icecream with potato sprinkles. What does that make me? Bunyip Dear Bunyip,

How many campsites are in Jamboree?

Sam, D211 Dear Sam, I'm in The Swamp.

Dear Bunyip, Have you been in one of the gliders? Liam, A434 Dear Liam of A434, No. Buckley

Dear Bunyip, Have you ever seen a sun that flashes in your eyes? Anonymous, D751 Dear Anonymous, Don't do silly stuff. You need your eyes for school and screens. Buckley

Dear Buckley, All the Americans here say that Marmite is better than Vegemite. I disagree. What do you think? It's Lit, C108 Dear It's Lit, Americans sometimes make strange choices. **Buckley** Dear Bunyip,

Why don't you take part of the Bend FM radio station? Anonymous, B329 Dear Anonymous, Do you know Anonymous of D751 or are you the same person? Buckley

Dear Bunyip, Is mavonnaise an instrument? If so, what can you play? MAYO, C765

Dear MAYO, Mayonnaise is a rare instrument. Which reminds me: what do you call someone who hangs around with musicians? (A drummer)

Dear Bunyip, Are unicorns real, because some people tell me they are and some others don't?

Confuzzled, D208 Dear Confuzzled, Whatever. Which reminds me: How do you when the stage is level? (The drummer dribbles out of both sides of their mouth.) Buckley

Dear Bunyip, Where might your kind (bunyips) live at the Jamboree.

Dear Boonyoop, Will this be in the newspaper?

seekers, C108 Dear NS, Yes. Get someone to read it to you.

Dear Bunyip, Why does it seem we have a new Australian Prime Minister every day? Lachlan, C545 They've already gone bananas. Bunyip Dear Bunyip, Why are you the star of the paper? Is there a specific reason? Lani, A431 Dear Lani, Because Lady GaGa was busy. Buckley Dear Bunyip, Who is your favourite YouTuber? Cale and Jon, C216

ree and what has your favourite part of AJ2019 been? Jono, C765 Dear Jono, 13. Sleeping. Dear Bunyip, Why are all the youth male toilets blocked off or clogged? Constipated, A435 Dear Constipated, How would you know? Buckley Where might your kind (people) live? Bunyip

Dear Bunyip, Why are you a bunyip? I thought that unicorns were more real than bunyips! Everyone knows you are a human! Just asking, D208 Dear Just asking, How do you call me a human? I resemble that remark. Buckley

### Around the Troop Send your Troop news and photos to newspaper@aj2019.com.au Or drop in to the offices of The Daily Bunyip.



Jackson was the last to take to the air before the flights were cancelled due to high wind... he reports it was "awesome but a bit bumpy and I felt a bit sick at the end."

One time at the camp site, we were told to wash our hands, so I dipped my hands in a bucket full of blue glittery water and started eating. It turns out one Patrol all had blue glittery hair from hairspray and everyone had washed their hair in the same bucket. OOPS!

Zahara, C772

My name is James and I attended Full Throttle. This afternoon while I was in a car, the driver drifted and we drove off the road onto the dusty road next to it. I felt surprised but mainly exhilarated. I have never been in a racing car. It was really fun and exciting and way different than video games.

#### James, D537

Half of B650 have extremely rare badges commemorating 21 years of 1st Mount Waverley. There are only 25 badges at AJ2019. If you are interested come and visit B650's campsite

Rivers District are lucky enough to have two District badges. These Scouts have a special Geelong Nauruan Scout Badge. The Badge signifies the relationship between the Nauruan Scouts who were hosted by Geelong District. Charlie, C323

Troops in the Geelong

There once was a Jamboree site With so much rock that the Scouts got a fright But so resourceful Scouts are That with inclusive care That rock has helped out with our camp. All this rock everywhere is great because it works really well with our home Troop thing. Whenever anyone calls out 'Rock formation' everyone ducks down and pretends to be a rock. When anyone yells out 'boulder' everyone joins in a big group hug. Molly, C544

Please let Lauren, C544



#### B218 Scouts with a bit of a braid.

when she gets home. Love you more than more, Aunty Jenny

Nic from Troop D430 is an avid badge collector, and had an unfortunate mishap with some of his badges getting stolen. However, luckily, his friends helped replace them. Nic has two messages: "when life gives you lemons, life can also give you candy". Also, "to the people who stole my badges, you helped me get another one".

laces and a safety pin. Karla, B214

While walking down the Glenelg jetty in Adelaide, a beloved fedora was snatched by the wind and sent to the water leaving our Troop in tears. A true bond between Scouting and the public showed through when a man kindly took to the I went to the International surf to return our fedora. Hub and did a quiz. The (the fedora now remains with its rightful owners) Kenzi, Sam, Marcus Tay-lan, C108 Today our food trailer popped a tyre and all our food would not stop wobbling about. The moral of the story is that we got the catering badge. Drae and Cameron, C435 Me and my friend were walking around with a bandana and sunnies on to keep out the dust the daily bunyip Thursday January 10 2019



During the past day our

Bangladesh visitors have

been great to be around.

Their Leader Maria has

been drawing Henna on

our hands. We would just

thankful we are and happy

Nicole, D206

that we are in her troop.

This is how I met my best

friend Patrick. In Cubs,

love her to know how

C660 having a blast on the rafts at wet and windy.

and now a whole group of people are doing it. We think we accidently started a cult.

#### Tyler and Cactus, D206

Hey, AJ! Has anyone seen how all the Leaders are gettign pegged? Join the trend. Chuck a peg or two on a Leader's hat. Good luck.

> Tess, A325 I was selling raffle >



Oskar and Anthony 'banded' together to collect around 116 wristbands. It was a bit of a 'stretch' but eventually they got there. They kept trading and annoying fellow Scouts for free wristbands, they then sorted them out into piles and all the scouts in our troop said it was very impressive. Hopefully they are breaking a world record and we hope they will continue to collect them.



On the pre-Jamboree camp, one Patrol chose the name Tetanus Gang, then another Ebola Cereal, and the disease theme rapidly spread through Troop B650. The obvious choice for the troop emblem and badge was the bio-hazard symbol.



there were carp in the water. The rest of the day we all tried to fish for carp, and we made a fishing line with our shoe

with badges to trade.

B650

Hamlyn Heights Scout group and three other



Liam, Oliver, Luke, Eric and Tom of B110 after their jousting challenges at the Cube.

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know that I am sending extra soap supplies to her house, so she can wash the dirt out of 'everything'



questions were exciting and challenging and I got every question right. When I presented it to the marking lady, one of the questions, she said that not many people get that one right Tom, C552 When my Patrol went to Wet 'n' Windy and one of my Patrol members dipped their feet in the water while we were relaxing, and something bit her foot. It turned out



Mitch, A215

Megan and Bianca 0153



Over the last few days I have been working on a picture of our jambo street. I drew it in pencil first then inked it as well just like BP used to do. The glider is in there because I got to go gliding and it was really cool. Hamish, C544



Sarah and her patrol are pumped about their raft at Wet "n" Windy.

tickets at a shopping centre. Then out of nowhere Patrick came out of a shop crying, asking for help. I helped him. A week later in Cubs Patrick walked in and joined our Pack. We got along really well with each other. Another year went past and we went to Cuboree together. Since then we have been close friends in Scouts and are at Jamboree together. Felix B544

How many others need to die? Jeffrey (my hat) drowned at Adelaide City during Metro Mania and Sharon (my current hat) is very upset about the matter. Rest in Peace Jeffrey. Ash C46

We are in the dustiest place in the dustiest country on a ball of dust in space.

Aaron, A103



Robert of B110 getting up close and personal with the wildlife at the Mall.



Megan, Ava, Annika and Cassandra from B547 showing off their artistic talents.



Lizzy from D643 has been pegged 150 times



A323 got into the air guitars and other air instruments at Elder Park





Troop D536 enjoy reading The Daily

LEFT: B333 got into the Cricket at Adelaide Oval

decided to make her own super rare badge for

her Patrol and her Troop leaders. She spent

RIGHT: Erinne from C327's Stinger Patrol

2 whole days designing and then making

all up which left her two spare to swap!

this badge on her mums home embroidery

machine. Erinne managed to make 13 badges



Today the Leaders from D432 went to Handorf via the chocolate factory and made sure they shared their treats



Stewart from C551,

with no hands whilst

trying to cook dinner.



Mackenzie, B110 cooling off at Splat.



Kyeisha, Ruby, Malte and Dylan constructed the platform at Pioneer village at Woodhouse.



Troop C554 enjoying Blackebys old lolly shop.



Molly and Alyssa from D426 enjoying the mud at The Cube.



Fin and Ray from A325. Hoping to earn themselves a Allawah Mall badge by helping keep the tables clean. (Good luck with that!)





Troop D536 getting dirty at the Cube.





Confirmed: Scouts have showered at AJ2019. Taylor (under spray), Sarah, and Lewis from Troop B215 demonstrate, with assistance from their Leader.





Troop B544 has a flag raising parade every morning, switching between the Bangladesh and Australian flags.

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Hannah Shea and Kaitlyn Dean of Troop

B110 enjoying the mud at the Cube.

SPOILER ALERT

**ANSWERS** 

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A427 Patrol 6 got into the spirit of things at Parliament House.

6. Married at First Sight 5. Switzerland А кеуроагd 4. Western Bulldogs **Riddle me this** striod owT 20. Wollongong 3. Flinders 9. Shigeru Miyamoto enid) .2 lliW.8 1. Еідht Three points souedT.7 tnioq 9nO

## **BUCKLEY BUNYIP'S BACK PAGE**

### 6 people who Don't want to leave



Declan, C102 If there was grass I would stay forever.



Nathaniel, C102 I don't want to leave because I get birthday cake and a card.



Matthew, C548 My Scout buddies love me more than my own family.



**Declan, C770** I don't want to go, I'm having too much fun. I loved rock climbing at The Cube.



Molly, D535 So much fun! It's all action with new friends, and camping.



**Tom, D322** I'm having an amazing time. There are so many people and activities, with not enough time to do it all. With no screens it's great to get back to nature.

Old Man Jefferson

Round the blazing council firelight, it's time to gather closer for Skip's Yarn. We need to talk Thrifty. Like our support for the environment,

Scouts were early adopters of conservation. We patched tents, we whipped the ends of frayed ropes, we repurposed old male Commissioners.

Times have changed and some States are awash with recycling money. We're becoming a disposable society (except for old male Commissioners). The lads tell me that "upcycling" is a hip and groovy new term for reusing things. So I challenged the Court of Honour to come up with ways that we could be Thrifty.

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### **MIKE MEETS HIS WATERLOO**

Mike Patten – former Chief Commissioner of Tasmania, and current Branch Commissioner for Water Activities – has a proud sailing record. He can boast that in 40 years of sailing he's never spilled the patrol boat.

Until AJ2019. He met his Waterloo at Wet 'n' Windy at Wellington.





#### Ideas include:

- Taking home some Elwomple rocks to extend the Rover den.
- Shaking out the tents and dining flies when we get home and selling the result as landscaping gravel.
- Replacing the Sorbent with back issues of "The Daily Bunyip".
- Using the Pigeon Patrol's sneakers as an alternative to chemical pest control. Some people think I'm a bit of a traditionalist but I'm actually comfortable with change (as long as it doesn't impact on old male Commissioners, of course).

**Buckley's Quiz** 

### Two points

4. Who won the AFLW in 2018?
5. In which country is the Kandersteg International Scout Centre?
6. What was the highest rating TV show in Australia in 2018?
7. Who destroys half of all life in the universe in "Avengers: Infinity War"

#### Three points

8. Who was apprenticed
to the Ranger Holt?
9. Who invented the character of Mario?
10. In which NSW city did Street's
Ice Cream start?

### Riddle me this...

I have keys but no locks. I have a space but no room. You can enter but can't go outside. What am I?

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How many answers

One point

an octagon have?

highest population?

3. What is the name

of Sub Camp C?

can your Patrol get? Are

1. How many sides does

2. Which country has the

you smarter than the other

Patrols? Answers on page 11.