



# THE SCOUT ASSOCIATION OF GUYANA

## 14<sup>th</sup> Caribbean Scout Jamboree

### Bulletin #2

CaribJam 2009 - THE 1<sup>ST</sup> CARIBBEAN JAMBOREE OF THE NEW CENTURY OF SCOUTING

#### Greetings

Dear Fellow Scouters, I am pleased to have been granted the opportunity to direct this important event in the history of Scouting in Guyana and the Caribbean. We are honoured to have been chosen to host the first Caribbean Jamboree of the new century of Scouting. The Jamboree Organising Committee is making a tremendous effort to ensure that your experience at this Caribbean Youth event here in Guyana will be one that you will remember for a lifetime. We look forward to you joining us to celebrate Scouting with the oldest Association in the Caribbean.

Gary Mendonca - Camp Chief – CaribJam 2009 - Scout Association of Guyana

#### Theme/Date/Venue

The 14<sup>th</sup> Caribbean Jamboree will be held 8 - 16 August 2009 under the theme “**One Movement, One Destiny**”. This is a unique opportunity for participants to have a positive experience of belonging to an International Movement, and at the same time demonstrate to the Guyanese Public and the wider Caribbean Community the camaraderie, uniqueness and objectives of a great youth movement. The Jamboree Site will be the grounds of National Exhibition Site on the outskirts of the capital city, Georgetown. The site is located in close proximity of the seawall and the central shopping area of Georgetown.

#### Registration

Individual Registration Form (Appendix 2) and Individual Health Form (Appendix 3) are appended to this Bulletin.

#### Payment Schedule:

##### 1<sup>st</sup> Installment

- \$US 50 due April 30<sup>th</sup> (Non Refundable) The **Individual Registration Form (Appendix 2)** must be returned with 1<sup>st</sup> installment.

##### 2<sup>nd</sup> Installment

- \$US 75 due June 30<sup>th</sup> The **Individual Medical Form (Appendix 3)** must be returned with 2<sup>nd</sup> installment.

**All Payment must be made to the SCOUT ASSOCIATION OF GUYANA - Jamboree Account # 111603 – Bank of Nova Scotia by**

- **CHEQUE or BANK DRAFT OR**
- **WIRE TRANSFER using the following information:**

**Domicile: Bank of Nova Scotia**  
**104 Carmichael Street, Georgetown, Guyana**  
**ABA# 021000021**  
**BNSSwift: NOSCGYGE**  
**Transit #: 30775**

## Participants

Contingents are reminded that youth participants (Boys and Girls) who are members of Associations from the Caribbean must be between the ages of eleven (11) and seventeen (17) years, and those that are members from Associations outside of the Caribbean must be between the ages of eleven (11) and fifteen (15) years.

Adult Leaders must accompany Scouts (1 Adult: 9 Scouts). Female members must be accompanied by a Female Leader.

A Contingent may consist of one or more Troops. The standard Troop size will be 36 youth and 4 Adult Leaders. The Troop must consist of 4 Adult Leaders (as Patrol Leaders) and 4 Patrols of nine (9) Scouts). One of the 'Patrol Leaders' must be designated the "Troop Leader". Separate tentage must be provided for female Scouts on the same Troop site.

Troop Registraton Forms will be circulated in another Bulletin.

## Equipment

Participating Troops of each Contingent will be required to bring their own Camping Equipment (Tentage, Cooking Utensils, Stoves, Rope) Wood for Troop Camp Site Gateways (10 Spars) will be provided. Limited wood will be provided for Camp Gadgets. Each Troop would be supplied with four (4) 6L Buckets, two (2) Tables and a fly sheet. Stoves would be available for rental. Each Contingent must bring at least four (4) flags (size 5' X 4') of your country.

## Meals

Contingents are expected to provide their own meals. A Grocery Price List (Appendix 4) is attached. Cooking should be done on gas stoves –no wood cooking fires will be allowed on the Jamboree site. Stoves may be rented.

## Jamboree Programme

Samples of the programme activities under consideration were given in Bulletin #1. The general Daily routine will be as follows:

Activity	Place
0600 Camp Rise, FlagBreak Daily morning routine	Troop Camping area
0700 Breakfast	Troop Camping area
0730 Sub-Camp meetings	Sub-Camp
0830 Move to morning activity areas	Varies
0900 Morning Activities	Activity sites
1200 Lunch	Troop Camping area
1300 Freetime	Sub-Camp
1330 Move to afternoon activity areas	Varies
1400 Afternoon Activities	Activity sites
1800 Flag down Freetime	Troop Camping area Sub-Camp
1900 Dinner	Troop Camping area
1930 Sub-Camp meetings Daily evening routine	Sub-Camp Troop Camping area
2000 Move to evening activity areas	Arena, Sub-Camp or other places
2200 Freetime	Troop Camping area/Sub-Camp
2230 Camp Quiet	Troop Camping areas

## Travel Arrangements

Associations are urged to ensure that all participants have valid passports and that early bookings are made with their Airline Carriers. Contingents are advised that there is US\$ 20 (= GY\$ 4,000) Airport Tax on departure from the Cheddie Jagan International Airport. The Scout Association of Guyana will not bear this responsibility.

We expect Contingents to arrive on 6<sup>th</sup> or 7<sup>th</sup> August and depart 17<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup> August. Contingents arriving earlier or departing later will not be allowed to stay on the Jamboree site. Kindly make alternate arrangements through communication with the Chief Commissioner(/ International Commissioner) Ms. Zaida Joaquin.

## Enquires

Address enquires to the Camp Chief E-mail: [caribjam2009@gmail.com](mailto:caribjam2009@gmail.com)

