

INTO OUR FUTURE

KŌRERO

DAY 4
2-1-2024

WATBOAPADFLY

FUN ON THE WATER

GATEWAYS

ENTRANCES BY DAY

CAMPFIRE

THERE AIN'T NO FLIES ON US

OVERSEAS

AUSTRALIA AND
FRENCH POLYNESIA

MAUI BOARD CO.



23RD AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND SCOUT JAMBOREE - MYSTERY CREEK

WATBOAPADFLY



FLOATING
ADVENTURES



SAILING

Considered historically to be the domain of the Sea Scouts, the cutters have been put to good use by all Scouts with Kaiarahi supporting the Scouts to sail and row these versatile vessels.

PADDLE-BOARDING

Scouts were given free reign (within reason) to learn to balance on these precarious boards. Once mastered the Scouts had the opportunity to cruise.



KAYAKING

Making a splash with the kayaks was popular for the majority of the Scouts, provided an excellent opportunity to splash all those around them.



In the beautiful Waikato countryside, Lake Karapiro hosted the water bases for the 23rd Aotearoa New Zealand Scout Jamboree.

The Scouts kayaked, sailed and paddle-boarded on the waters of the lake under the watch from experienced and qualified Kaiārahi.

Off the water, the Scouts had the opportunity to play “human” foosball, fire water rockets high into the to sky and launch tennis balls far out over the water.

I DID THE WATER ACTIVITIES TODAY AND I LEARNT HOW TO STAND ON THE PADDLE BOARDS!

**SOPHIE
WAITED MOHUA**







HIGHLIGHTS



CAMPFIRE

SCOUTING
FELLOWSHIP

No Scout camp would be complete without a campfire.

The Jamboree Events Team together with the Youth Leadership Team and St. Augustine Scout Troop led a large group of Scouts and Kaiārahi in all the favourite campfire activities.

The campfire was MC'd by Tui Ellington with Laurence Fauatea as the Campfire Chief.

Songs sung included, *Ging Gang Goolly*, *I Hear Footsteps* and *Campfires Burning*.

The Campfire was a great success with the chant, *There ain't no flies on us*, with the competition between the two sides raising the roof.

The evening as a whole demonstrated the Fellowship of Scouting that all members around the world enjoy at each campfire attended.



GATEWAYS



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NOAH'S ADVENTURE

Hello from sunny New Zealand! Scouts at the New Zealand Jamboree have been having an absolute blast at a variety of activities, including WATBOAPADFLY (Water activities with a trust), CAMTRAMBIK (Camping, Tramping, Biking and more) and VERTEMERGE (Rock climbing, with a few random emergencies thrown in!).

The activities are a combination of real-life skills and experiences that prepare Scouts for all of the challenges that lie ahead, and fun, team-building activities that help the patrol bond and build friendships that will last long after the closing parade.

We have been lucky to have a reprieve from the wet weather with a great and sunny day with sunscreen always at the ready.

Badge swapping in Australia is pretty serious, but it is truly on another level in New Zealand! Soon after arriving at camp, my unit quickly learnt that you only go somewhere with some badges to trade. The Flaming Unicorns badge is of high value, with it being one of the most popular and sought-after badges in the entire camp. Scarfs are also hot, as you can only swap a scarf with one from French Polynesia or New Zealand sometimes!

Overall, the Jamboree is off to a fantastic start with many incredible and memorable experiences that have been had, and many more that are yet to come.

Noah





TODAY AT LAKE KARAPIRO, MEETING NEW PEOPLE AND BEING ABLE TO COOL OFF IN THE WATER HAS BEEN AWESOME. I'VE DONE KAYAKING AND AM LOOKING FORWARD TO SAILING, WHICH I HAVEN'T DONE IN A LONG TIME. I'M EXCITED TO CHALLENGE MYSELF. I'M ALREADY AT STAGE 3 IN AQUATICS AND HOPE TO SIGN OFF MORE STAGES WHEN I'M BACK WITH MY UNIT.

MAKAYLA,
SORENTO SEA SCOUTS





My time at the Jamboree has been fantastic, especially at base camp where I've been busy trading badges. I've collected over 70 so far, and my favourite is the Night Godzilla badge.

A highlight for me has been the food – not having to cook is a luxury! The hash browns and bacon were a great start, but then came lunch.

I'm looking forward to the Post Tour to go horse riding and kayaking, and I am looking forward to ticking off a few Outdoor Adventure Skills when we get home.

The best line I've heard around here is, "I will give you 20 badges for the unicorn."

*Jake
Newman Scout Group*



Jess: My favourite activity so far was riding quad bikes, which I hadn't done before. Smashing the cars was incredibly fun. It's great to let out some energy. I'm really excited for the water day!

Lexi: I enjoyed the water slides and bouncy set-up, especially the boxing one and bubble soccer. Car smashing was like being in a rage room, but even better. I aim to name all the countries and get a badge for it. Being one of the only two from our group, it's been fantastic making new friends.

*Jess and Lexi
Bibra Lake Scout Group*





Riding quad bikes was a new and exciting for me.

On our first day, we were on duty patrol and cooked pasta, which felt good to contribute.

I'm looking forward to sailing at the water base and working on my Outdoor Adventure Skills. The next activity I can't wait to try is abseiling.

Nate
Noosa Sea Scouts



There are 14 of us from 1st Picnic Point, and we've had a mix of activities - the vertical base was a bit wet on the first day, but we enjoyed the emergency drills.

Today, I was on duty and participated in Masterchef and cooking roast pork.

I'm really looking forward to Lake Karapiro on the last day, especially sailing and kayaking.

William
1st Picnic Point
Scout Group

THOUGHTS OF ADVENTURE

FRENCH POLYNESIA

BONJOUR



la ora na!

Après avoir participé au Jamboree de Nouvelle-Zélande en 2019 pour la première fois depuis très longtemps, les Tahitiens sont de retour !

Cette année la délégation compte 56 personnes: 9 JST qui ont participé au précédent Jamboree en tant que Scouts, 6 VA et 33 Scouts et Guides, ainsi que 8 chefs. Nous venons de 2 groupes différents, mais la plupart d'entre nous nous connaissions déjà.

La préparation du Jamboree a commencé il y a à peu près un an. Nous avons fait entre autres des levées de fonds, un concours pour concevoir notre badge et notre foulard, deux Pré-camps et des répétitions pour notre spectacle.

C'est parfois difficile pour nous de parler anglais, mais nous faisons tous de notre mieux et nous vous sommes reconnaissants pour votre patience.

Nous adorons le Jamboree, nos activités préférées sont le quad, les tractopelles et bien sûr les échanges de badges!

Nous souhaitons remercier les deux troupes qui nous hébergent, les Scoutosaures et les Cambridge Raiders. Merci pour votre accueil.

Véronique Lardillier
French Polynesian Contingent Leader



la ora na

After participating in the New Zealand Jamboree in 2019 after a long break, the Tahitians are back!

There are 56 of us here: nine JSTs who participated in the last Jamboree as Scouts, six VAs and 33 Scouts, along with eight leaders. We come from two different groups in Tahiti but most of us knew each other already.

Our preparations began a year ago. They included fundraising activities, designing competition for our badge and scarf, two preparation camps, and rehearsals for our show.

It's sometimes difficult for us to speak English, but we try our best and we are grateful for your patience.

We're loving it here, our favourite activities are the quads, the diggers, and badge swapping of course!

We want to thank our two host troupes, Scoutosaurus and the Cambridge Raiders, for hosting us.

Véronique Lardillier
French Polynesian Contingent Leader





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