



Being a Staff Member at Jamboree

Jamboree is run by volunteers - 400 adults giving their time and energy to make sure the youth attending Jamboree have the time of their lives! A large chunk of these staff are in the Adventure Directorate running the activities for 6 days of the Jamboree. We need as many people as we can get to ensure delivery of these activities is of the highest quality for our youth.

What can you expect as staff?

As staff, you'll have a specific role that you'll do for the whole Jamboree. Whether this is running an activity, organising catering, in an admin role or any of the 100s of other jobs that make a Jamboree run is up to you. In an Adventure role, you'll be on your activity base from around 830am to 5pm for 6 of the 7 Jamboree days and around 400 to 450 youth will come visit you throughout the day. Being staff at Jamboree is a full on job, but it's an incredible opportunity for the youth and we can't do it without you. Plus, we like to have some fun along the way!

Staff Camp

There is a separate area at one end of Mystery Creek where all the staff camp together. You will need to bring along a tent or similar to sleep in, along with any gear you need. If you know others attending as staff, you can camp with them as well. Staff are generally expected to be on site for a day extra than youth before and after Jamboree. This can be discussed with your managers, however. If you have a Scout at Jamboree you'll be a short distance from where they are and could have breakfast or dinner with them, and catch up with them after activities finish for the day and/or during the evening when there are evening activities.

Catering

Right next to the staff camp is the staff catering. Every meal during Jamboree is catered for staff. You don't even have to do any dishes! We appreciate that you work all day and need to be looked after so it's good quality food. Any dietary requirements are catered for as well.

Costs

Staff fee is \$495 to attend Jamboree. On top of that you will also have to get yourself to and from Jamboree. This fee includes your food, transport at Jamboree, a staff shirt and scarf, and a portion towards hire of the site. If you attend part time, or do not stay on the Jamboree site, there are other fee options we can discuss with you.