



23RD AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND SCOUT JAMBOREE 2023-24

GATEWAYS, FLAGPOLES AND FENCES AT THE JAMBOREE

All structures, including gateways and flagpoles, must be well constructed to minimise the risk of injury to persons passing through or near the structures.

GATEWAYS

All Troop sites must have a front entrance with their site identification number and their Jamboree Troop name visible.

The Jamboree Youth Leadership Team (JYLT) has decided that all gateways will be constructed of sustainable renewable materials, such as Manuka poles and bamboo, and built in a pioneering style. There is to be no plywood, corrugated iron or plastic sheeting.

The maximum height of Troop gateways is 2.4 metres, with a minimum opening of 2 metres wide and 2 metres high with no obstructions such as gates or turnstiles. The gateway must be at least 1.5 metres from either side of your site boundary.

The gateway can be on the front boundary line, but no support or guy lines are allowed into the roadway in front of that line.

Each Troop will also need to allow room on or near your entrance to display Camping Standard pennants and your site number, a laminated copy of which will be provided.

Recyclable materials may be used to decorate the gateway, along with solar fairy lights and similar items to illuminate the gateway.

Each Troop must remove all gateway materials from the site after the Jamboree and take them home. **THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS!**

FLAGPOLES

Some Troops may wish to have their Troop site flagpole. A flagpole is not a requirement but more of a personal troop option. If choosing to have or not to have a flagpole on the Troop site, please consider some of the following:

1. Is one needed?
2. Can it be kept safe and not interfere with the Troop site? If it falls, what is it going to hit/damage?
3. Does it meet the height requirements of 5 metres?

The maximum height of the Troop flagpole is 5 metres.

The flagpole **MUST NOT** be part of the gateway and shall be located in such a position that if it fails or falls in any way, the whole flagpole and any attachments remain within the troop site boundary.

All flagpole material must be removed from the site after the Jamboree and taken home. **THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS!**

FENCES

All fences between Troop sites, not including the gateway, **can be no higher than 1 metre.** Typically Troops use electric fence standards and rope for boundary fences.