

Scouting Overview

Scouting is a worldwide movement that has shaped the development of youth, and adults, for more than a century. Scouts are in every part of our community, and Scouts is the largest and most successful youth organization in the world.

Scouts in Australia provides children aged 5⁽¹⁾ to 25 with fun and challenging opportunities to grow through adventure. Scouts Australia has around 66,000 members, making it the largest youth movement in the nation. No other organisation offers such a diverse range of activities for young people across such a wide range of ages!

Today's Scouts take part in a wide range of indoor and outdoor activities, while learning or improving skills.

Activities and Skills

- Camping
- Bush Craft
- Abseiling
- Hiking (including over night hikes)
- Rafting
- Canoeing
- Canyoning
- Snow activities
- Rock climbing
- Sailing
- Flying
- Performing Arts
- Community Services
- Leadership
- Amateur radio operation
- Environmental Projects
- Cooking
- First Aid
- Youth Health
- Responsible Risk Taking
- Vocational Skills
- Awards
- Large Scale Events— Cubilee, Jamboree, International Jamborees

Carramar Scout Group

History

Carramar Scout Group commenced at the start of 2015 with a Joey, Cub and Scout Unit. Since then, we have expanded to cover all youth sections, and grown to be one of the largest Scout Groups in the state. We believe this growth has been driven by the consistent high quality of our youth programs. In 2024, Carramar Scout Group moved to their new home.



Overview

Children may join Scouts from 5 years (and in full time education e.g. be in pre-primary) and upwards and can continue through the different sections until they are young adults at age 26.

Each section has a small team of adult leaders who support our youth leadership team to run their programs and activities.

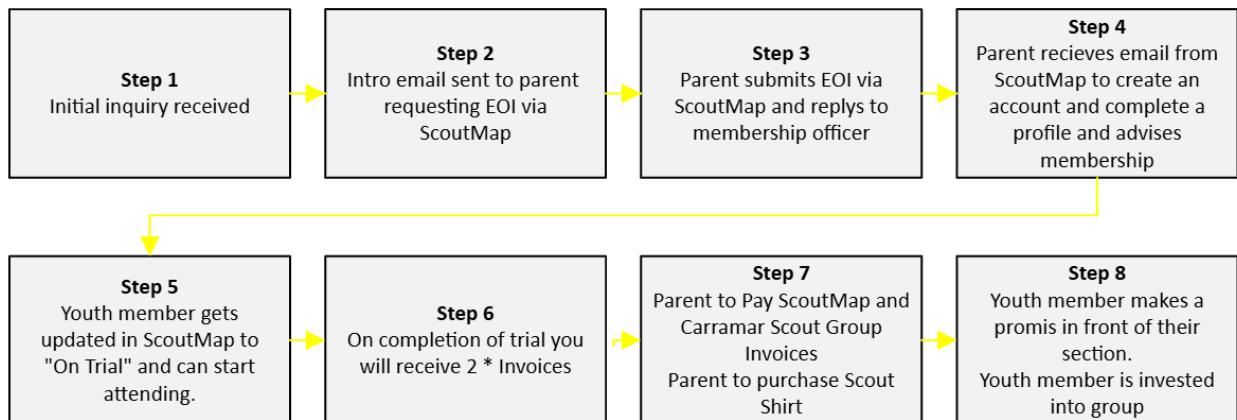
Managing and guiding all the sections is the Group Leader, Clare Newby (Chipmunk).

All our Sections meet on Thursday nights at Carramar Scout Group and Community Hall
- 76 Ashley Road, Tapping

Section	Ages	Time	Location	Leaders
Joeys	5-8	1800 – 1900	Hall	Kookaburra and Skippy
Cubs	8-11	1830 – 2000	Hall	Bageera, Blue Tongue, Wallaby and Quokka
Scouts	11-14	1900 – 2100	Hall	Rabbit, Baloo, Salty
Venturers	14-18	1900 – 2100	Hall	Kaa, Mrs Barra
Rovers	18-25	As per program	Anywhere!	Yourselves



How to join/Sign Up



First Meeting

Note: New Youth are requested to start week 1 or 6 of term.

What to bring—A drink bottle filled with water (the younger members can get quite hot and thirsty running around).

Find the section leader and introduce yourself, they will then speak to your child, introducing themselves and buddy them up with another youth member for the night.

Your child is in the hands of capable and caring leaders who have a commitment to providing a stimulating and interesting program designed to assist children to develop into self-reliant and responsible members of the community.

All leaders have undertaken thorough training, and give freely their time and efforts. This enables them to deliver the scouting program and work in partnership with you, to help your child develop to their full potential.

FEES

The fees are in 2 annual parts:-

Group fees start at \$300

Branch fees start at \$370
(discounts apply for additional children)

UNIFORM

At the beginning, your child can wear comfortable appropriate clothing, such as shorts/track pants, t-shirt and closed in shoes. Closed in shoes are mandatory for all scout events.

When they are ready to join, your child will need a uniform. More information is available in the Welcome Pack on where to purchase and what is needed.

Useful contact details

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