BE PREPARED: ADULT PARTICIPANTS - RECOMMENDED PRIOR SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

Sydney Jamboree 2018 will be full of action with an exciting program. To allow everyone—youth and adult to have a fantastic time, it is important you arrive well prepared and ready to quickly settle into camp life.

The following skills/experiences are recommended for participants gain (or enhance) and feel confident in, prior to attending Sydney Jamboree 2018. These skills will ensure you enjoy your experience, work well with others, gain friends, ensure the girls have a fantastic time and everyone takes away positive memories.

Please contact your relevant Outdoor or Program Manager for assistance.

Looking after yourself
- Ensure you have the physical capability and skills to carry out the role for which you have applied.
- Be willing to be flexible, enthusiastic and inclusive throughout a week-long Jamboree
- Ensure you have current qualifications for the role or task for which you have applied:
  - Ensure First Aid qualifications are current.
- Group Leader and Subcamp Leader – current (at time of Jamboree) Outdoor Camping Leader or equivalent.
- Caterers: Be conversant with GGA Learning Topic: Safe Food Handling Outdoors
- Understand your mobile device (of any sort) is your own responsibility throughout Sydney Jamboree 2018. Ensure your name is on your mobile device. (Provide your own charger, including pin plug.)
- Understand the Social Media Policy relating to the use of your mobile device throughout Sydney Jamboree 2018.
- Use the supplied kit list to ensure you have appropriate gear for the event.

Camping
- Have staffed at an outdoor camp/s for at least four nights in the role for which you have applied.
- Competently able to assist to erect and maintain a bell tent and a dome tent and pack away tent, pegs, pole and ropes.
- Understand when and why to tighten and loosen bell tent guy ropes, and when to tie door closed ie dew, rain.
- Understand when to swing ropes on a dome tent ie weather direction.
- Ensure you are able to assist with morning tent maintenance – remove all gear, air bedding, roll walls (bell), sweep floor (dome), pick up any rubbish and pack all gear back in.
- Competently tie knots – reef, clove hitch, double overhand, back splice (replacing tent ropes) (apps: Grog Knots/Knots 3D)

Working together
- Cooperate with other adults – ie no noise early or late, be on time for rostered tasks, no phone/social media during rostered tasks.
- Understand the communications process and camp etiquette of a Jamboree. (info on Jamboree website)
- Cooperate with, and assist, other team members to ensure assigned tasks are completed.
- Understand and accept when it is advisable to step back and allow others to complete a task (perhaps not in the same method you may) rather than enforcing your own personal preferences.
- Be willing to assist in resolving conflict amongst both youth and adult participants.
- Be a cooperative team member; ensure you are available to assist with other tasks on the Sub Camp or Group as required. Also, accept instances where assistance, when offered, is not required.
- Be aware whistles/hooters will be emergency management tools only and will be allocated only to Group Leaders and Risk Manager.
- Understand and welcome the opportunity to learn from other participants during Sydney Jamboree 2018.