10 January 2013

11th APR Scout Photo Contest 2013: Spirit of Scouting

Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from Manila!

We are pleased to announce that the 11th APR Scout Photo Contest for 2013 will be held in early March and we are encouraging all NSOs to promote this annual contest among your Scouts and adult members.

For 2013, the theme is "Spirit of Scouting" to capture the real spirit of Scouting in images just as how our young people and adult leaders see Scouting through their camera.

Also, this year’s theme links the competition to the upcoming 30th Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Jamboree (30APRSJ)/16th Nippon Jamboree (16NJ), which is also considered as a pre-Jamboree for the 23rd World Scout Jamboree. The Jamboree theme is WA: The Spirit of Unity.

Deadline of submission of entries to the Asia-Pacific Regional office is on 28th February 2013.

Like the previous years, there will be six winners: One Gold, two Silvers, and three Bronzes. Awards will be presented at a major regional event to be announced later possibly at the Regional Summit in early 2014. Winning photos will be featured in the 2014 APR wall calendar and Photo Contest posters. Please see the attached guideline.

Thank you in advance for encouraging your Scouts and leaders to participate.

With best regards,

Abdullah Rasheed
Regional Director
11th Asia-Pacific Scout Photo Contest 2013

Scouts and Scout leaders in National Scout Organizations (NSO) within the Asia Pacific Region (APR) are invited to join the 11th Asia Pacific Scout Photo Contest 2013.

Photo entries should be received by the World Scout Bureau-Asia-Pacific Regional Office not later than 28 February 2013.

RULES

What pictures?
Photos must show the theme “Spirit of Scouting” and must be in 300 ppi. Size must be 8R (8” x 10”) (203 x 254mm).

Any entry less than the required resolution and size will not be accepted as the winning entries will be used in the regional calendars and posters.

Who can participate?
Scouts and leaders registered with a National Scout Organization in the Asia Pacific Region.

Where to send?
To the World Scout Bureau/Asia Pacific Regional Office endorsed by the National Scout Organization in the country

Who selects the winners?
An international panel of professional photographers.

What are the prizes?
Plaques for one Gold Prize, two Silver Prizes and three Bronze Prizes will be given. Winning entries will grace the APR posters for 2014. The six winning entries and six other finalists will be featured at the 2014 APR Wall Calendar. Plaques are awarded at the regional summit in early 2014.

Rights
• All photo entries shall not be returned.
• The right to use the photos for publication, exhibition and other Scout activities belongs to WOSM and its members.
• Each photo must have an Entry Form properly filled up and attached to the photo.

ENTRY FORM

11th Asia-Pacific Scout Photo Contest 2013

Title of the Entry

First Name                        Family Name

Age                  Gender

Scout Class/ Position

National Scout Organization (NSO)

Endorsed by NSO representative (Print Name)    Signature    Date

Cut out or copy this form and paste on the back of each photo or send soft copy to tere@scout.org / asia-pacific@scout.org