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15th APR Scout Photo Contest-2017: Community Scouting

Dear Colleagues,

Greetings!

We are pleased to announce that the 15th APR Scout Photo Contest for 2017 is now open. This contest is a chance to display Scout members’ photography skills and contribute to the theme “Community Scouting”.

Community Scouting highlights the importance of extending Scout membership beyond schools, and brings Scouting closer to the community that contributes to nation-building. Scouts have active roles and are highly visible in community development and social service.

National Scout Organizations (NSOs) in the Asia-Pacific Region are encouraged to help promote this contest among Scouts and leaders.

Deadline of submission of entries to the Asia-Pacific Regional office is on 28th February 2017.

At the end of the competition, six winners will be announced: One Gold, two Silvers, and three Bronzes. Awards will be presented at the 9th APR Scout Leaders Summit in April 2017 and the winning photos will be featured in the regional publications including the 2018 Asia-Pacific Support Centre Calendar and Photo Contest posters.

For the rules of the contest, kindly see the attached guideline.

Thank you for your active participation.

With best regards,

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Scouts and Scout leaders in National Scout Organizations (NSO) within the Asia Pacific Region (APR) are invited to join the 15th Asia Pacific Scout Photo Contest 2017.

Photo entries should be received by the World Scout Bureau-Asia-Pacific Regional Office not later than 28 February 2017.

RULES

**What pictures?**
Photos must have a **Title** and show the theme "Community 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 regional publications.

**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 Support Centre endorsed by the National Scout Organization in the country. **An entry without endorsement of their own NSO will not be considered an official entry.** Send it to the following email addresses:
tere@scout.org
luz@scout.org
asia-pacific@scout.org

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

**What are the prizes?**
**Plaques** will be given for one Gold winner, two Silver winners and three Bronze winners.

Winning entries will be featured in the Regional Calendars and Posters for 2018.

**Rights**
- All photo entries shall not be returned.
- The right to use the photos for publication, exhibition and other Scout activities belongs to World Scout Bureau Asia-Pacific Support Centre.
- Each photo must have an Entry Form properly filled up and attached to the photo.

**ENTRY FORM**

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