REGULATIONS
for the 2nd Festival of Scout Song
National Scout Association of Moldova

The 1st Festival of Scout Song was organized in 1996 at Singerei, where participants from all scout groups of the association participated.

After a pause of 21-years, we return to this beautiful idea that aims to gather scouts from all over the country, around the campfire, in nature, around the scout values, where the song has a special educational meaning.

I. PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES:

The aim of the festival is to train the members of the association to reflect and to form their vision about Scout Movement in general as well as about scout’s activity in particular.

Objectives:

- To mobilize scouts from the Republic of Moldova in the process of creating a scout song, thus completing the repertoire of scouts.
- To discover, stimulate and promote young talents in the Moldovan scout environment.
- To help to establish relationships of collaboration and friendship between the scout groups participating in the festival.
- To promote educational Scout objectives and the principles in society, especially among children and youth.

II. PERIOD AND PARTICIPANTS AT THE FESTIVAL:

The Scout Song Festival will take place on November 3-4, starting at 14:00, in Biesti, Orhei district.

At the festival can participate the scout groups from the Republic of Moldova and abroad, which can include representatives of all age groups: cub-scouts, adventurers, explorers, and rovers.

Participants number: no less than 4 people and no more than 15 people from the same scout group.

The scout group attending the festival has a scout uniform with them, it is mandatory.

Registration form: Those wishing to participate in the festival will complete and will send the application form (to be attached) to scout_moldova@yahoo.com, until October 28th.
III. REPERTORY REQUIREMENTS:

1. Each group will present a new song and 3 songs specific to scouting, hiking, campfire.
2. The duration of each song should not exceed 4 minutes.
3. The language of interpretation is free. Foreign languages are also accepted with the translation of the text into Romanian/ Russian/ English.
4. The content of the song will reflect Scouting in general as an educational movement for children and youth, or a special theme that you like or care about Scout activity.
5. Musical instruments: Only instruments that can be used in camps, expeditions, outdoor activities are allowed. Electronic or sensitive electronic devices are excluded. It will be taken into the consideration the ingenuity of groups that will invent or combine tools from natural or recycled materials.
6. On the day of the group's arrival at the festival, the group coordinator will present the text of the songs and the charts (the portrait) in 3 copies as well as the nominal list of the participants.

IV. APPRECIATION:

Festival participants will be appreciated by the jury in the following composition:

- 2 members of the National Council;
- A specialist in the field (musician, composer, poet);
- 2 sponsor representatives or other institutions.

The jury will appreciate the evolution of the groups according to the following criteria:

1. Composition - originality of music and text;
2. Execution - voice, instruments, choreographic movements;
3. Educational character;
4. The external appearance of the group.

The following prizes and mentions will be awarded, with the handing over of the respective diplomas:

- First prize;
- Second prize;
- Third prize;
- Special Entries (if applicable).