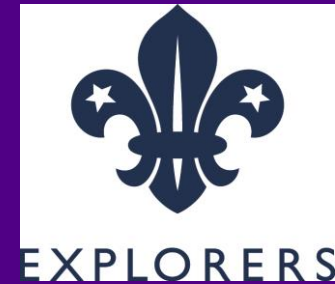




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24th World Scout Jamboree 2019





What is the WSJ?.

- Largest event in world scouting, only comes around every 4 years

The 24th World Scout Jamboree will be an adventure beyond anything you can imagine. It is to be hosted jointly between Boy Scouts of America, Scouts Canada and the Scout Association of Mexico.

These three distinct cultures will join together to host Scouts from across the world in a celebration of cultural exchange, mutual understanding, peace and friendship

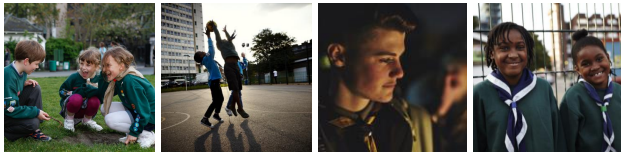


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When and where is the WSJ?.

The Jamboree will take place on 22nd July – 2nd August 2019 at The Summit Bechtel Family National Scout Reserve in West Virginia, USA.



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Who can go to WSJ?.

- Every scout and explorer aged between 14-17 years of age has the opportunity to apply to attend.

The UK Contingent will be made up of participants, their Unit Leaders, International Service Team and a Contingent Management and Support Team (UK Contingent Team).

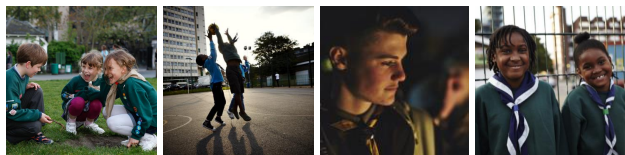
Participants must be born between 22 July 2001 and 21 July 2005. There will be absolutely no exceptions to this rule.



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Vision

The UK Contingent Management Team will deliver a unique international adventure shaped by young people, where contingent members will develop personally and have a positive longer term impact on Scouting and beyond.



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How big is it?

23rd WSJ Japan 2015

- 33,628 people
- From 155 countries and territories
- 7,979 adult IST
- 73,682 day visitors
- 7,085 participated in Ho Ho
- Site 2.8km x 1km









Japan – the after movie





24th World Scout Jamboree

- Expect 45,000 YP and adult volunteers
- 150 countries in attendance
- 10,000 acre site
- It's in America, it's bound to be big!



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UK Participation

Each Unit will be made up of four Patrols comprising nine young people and one Leader. County allocations are based on the number of eligible young people registered at the last census.

Whilst some Units will be made up of four Patrols from the same County, some Units will bring together Patrols from different Counties, or include Patrols from Girlguiding, British Scouting Overseas or Branches.

Numbers not yet released for 2019.

However, 2015 WSJ;

63 Units, totalling 2,680 Explorers



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Leicestershire Contingent

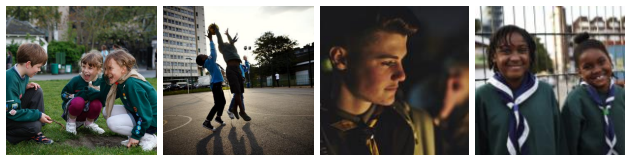
2019 WSJ Number of Units/places not yet announced.

However, 2015 WSJ;

1 Unit, made of 3 patrols from Leicestershire, and Solidarity Patrol from South Sea Islands (27 Leicestershire Explorers)

1 Unit, made up of 2 patrols from Leicestershire, and 2 patrols from Norfolk (18 Leicestershire Explorers)

TOTAL 45 Explorers



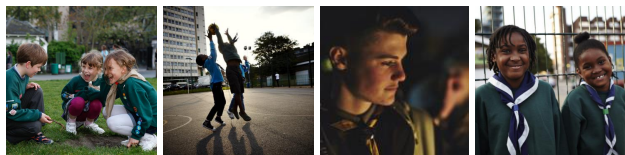
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Cost

2019 WSJ participant cost not yet announced.

However, 2015 WSJ;

£3500, included all travel, food, camping fees, insurance, unit clothing and communal kit, pre events, meals at pre camps. A small rebate was made after the event.



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2 Stage selection process

Stage 1

District level, to nominate up to 10 YP to attend County WSJ selection

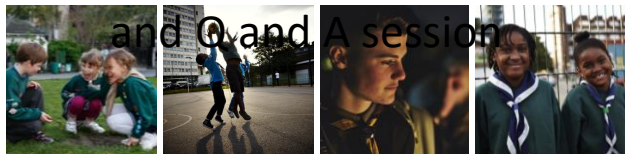
Complete Participant Expression of Interest by 25th August 2017.

These will be reviewed and considered, and decision communicated by early September

Stage 2

County WSJ selection camp

Weekend 23rd- 24th September. Also available weekend 30th Dsept – 1st October. All applicants will be required to camp, location to be confirmed. The event will consist of an overnight camp, most likely commencing at 10.00AM on the Saturday and finishing at 4.00PM on the Sunday, with parents being invited to attend at 3.00PM for a presentation



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How to apply

Complete and return the Participant Expression of Interest to;

dc@charnwoodscouts.org.uk

Postal - Paul Smith, Charnwood District Commissioner
14 Rupert Crescent, Queniborough, Leicestershire, LE7 3TU

By midnight, 25th August 2017



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I'm over 18, can I still be involved?



Yes. The Jamboree is run by volunteers, known as the IST (International Service Team).

Any Scouting adult member can apply to be part of the IST. It's a very rewarding and enjoyable experience.

Apply through Region when advertised. IST costs very similar to participant costs.

Look out for the adverts to apply, usually involves some form of selection process.

No specific skills needed, just a willingness to be part of a team and work hard.



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[IST Expression of Interest – WSJ 2019 – UK Contingent](#)

Please use the form below to express an interest in being part of the International Service Team (IST) as part of the UK Contingent to the 24th World Scout Jamboree.

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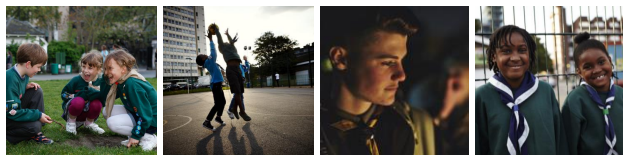


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Further information



Further information about the Jamboree can be found at the organiser's website <http://2019wsj.org/>.



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Questions?