The Bharat Scouts and Guides
National Headquarters
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To
All the State Secretaries,
State Associations of
The Bharat Scouts and Guides,
INDIAN UNION.

Circular No. : 102 / 2018
Dated : 08th Nov, 2018

"SPONSORSHIP INTERNATIONAL EVENT FOR SCOUTS"

SUB.: 24TH WORLD SCOUT JAMBOREE, NORTH AMERICA-SOLIDARITY OPERATION

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to inform you that The Bharat Scouts and Guides has received invitation from World Scout Bureau, Asia-Pacific Support Centre, Manila, Philippines to depute Scouts (registered member of WOSM) who is born between 22 July 2001 and 21 July 2005 to participate in the 24th World Scout Jamboree under Solidarity Operation. World Scout Bureau will financially support to the selected representatives of this event. Candidate who has already applied for 24WSJ is not eligible to apply for this solidarity Operation. This offer is only for the candidate who would financially not otherwise be able to attend the Jamboree.

Details as follows:

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<th>24th WORLD SCOUT JAMBOREE- SOLIDARITY OPERATION</th>
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<td>Dates</td>
<td>22 July – 02 August 2019 (Participants are expected to arrive on 21st July 2019 and will depart on 2nd August 2019)</td>
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<td>Venue</td>
<td>Summit Bechtel Reserve, West Virginia, North America.</td>
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Eligibility of Participants

1. Scout born between 22 July 2001 and 21 July 2005
   Preference will be given to the following applicant:
   (a) Scout coming under BPL (Below Poverty Line) category, Attested copy of Certificate issued by the Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate is to be attached with the application.
   (b) Child from Low income group family. (Certificate of annual income of the family to be certified by the Head of the Institution countersigned by the State Chief Commissioner.
   (c) Rajya Puraskar/Rashtrapati Awardee.
   (d) Having Valid Passport.
   (e) Be able to understand and communicate in English.
   (f) Scout has NOT experienced travelling abroad, first time to attend an international event (but has the disposition to travel without an adult companion)
   (g) Having Social Media Account in www.scout.org If don’t have need to create a scout.org account immediately
   (h) Having facebook Account
   (i) Having knowledge to access internet to write a daily report detailing his experience in the Jamboree and upload it using the scout.org website with pictures.
   (j) Actively participate in all activities in the 24th World Scout Jamboree
(k) Behave in accordance with the Scout Oath and Law and the Jamboree Code of Conduct.

| Selection of Participants | Quota to NSO is very limited. If more applications are received at NHQ as per the given deadline, selection will be made on scrutiny of application by a team of Professionals nominated for the purpose or by calling interview at NHQ. NHQ reserves the right to select or reject the application.

N.B: (1) Candidate invited to appear the interview should have to bear his own travelling expenses. Free boarding & lodging will be provided on interview day by NHQ. Most probably interview may be called on 3rd Dec 2018 (Monday).

| Participation Fee | World Scout Bureau, Asia-Pacific Support Centre will fully finance for the event like Jamboree Registration Fee, round trip economy class airfare, Visa Fee, Basic Health Insurance while in the USA, Basic Camp equipment (Which will be provided on-site and when necessary)

Selected candidate is responsible to pay Inland transportation from airport to Jamboree site & back and local transportation from home to airport & back.

Note: If the candidate fails to participate after selection due to whatever reason under sponsorship, the State Association is responsible to return the full amount of his flight ticket and Visa charges.

| Caution Fee | Rs. 5,000/- Non-refundable; if selected and not participated Draft in favour of “Bharat Scouts and Guides” payable at New Delhi.

| Last Date of Application | The application of the deserving candidate (Application enclosed) should reach to the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters, New Delhi with requisite documents, Photo copy of Valid passport and caution money of Rs 5000/- duly recommended by the competent authority of the State Association should reach NHQ on or before 25th November 2018 meticulously. Advance copy of application along with documents and scan copy of Demand Draft may be forward by email at info@bsqindia.org to speed up the formalities as the time is very short. Applications will not be entertained after the stipulated deadline.

Note: 1. No direct applications will be entertained from the individual without the approval of the State Association.

2. Candidate need not apply if Valid Passport is not available.

State Associations are requested to give wide publication of this “Sponsorship Programme” and recommend the application of the deserving candidate in the prescribed Proforma (enclosed) so as to reach NHQ on or before the given deadline i.e. 25th November 2018.

Thanking you and with regards,

Yours in Scouting,

(DIRECTOR)

Encl.: Application Form.

Copy to: -
01. All the Office Bearers of the Bharat Scouts & Guides.
02. Chairman/ Secretary, Railway Scout & Guide Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
03. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Sahid Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-110016
05. All Assistant Directors, Bharat Scouts & Guides, Regional Offices for further follow-up.