
14th NIPPON JAMBOREE Jamboree Bulletin No.1 (December 2005) Scout Association of Japan

3-7 August, 2006 – Suzu-city, Ishikawa, Japan



DATES

Thursday, 3 August to Monday, 7 August 2006

Camp in: Thursday, 3 August (by 15:00)

Camp out: Tuesday, 8 August

THEME

“Restless for New Challenges Like the Wind” -- Scouts Wave 100 ---

On the Noto Peninsula, the wind blowing from the ocean has been called the “ai-no-kaze” since the eighth century and it is said that this wind brought the culture and people from the continent to Suzu. Since ancient times, this wind has been associated with the development of the Noto Peninsular’s rich and unique culture.

The 14th Nippon Jamboree will be held on the Noto Peninsular so that the participants can experience nature and culture, and get together with Scouts from around the world to celebrate the Centenary of Scouting.

VENUE

“Refresh Village Hachigasaki” in Takojima-machi, Suzu-city, Ishikawa prefecture, some 430km northeast of Osaka and some 620km northwest of Tokyo.

Latitude 37°26'24” North, Longitude 137°13'36” East,
Altitude 5 m on average

The site is Refresh Village Hachigasaki, a resort complex in Suzu-city located at the tip of the Noto Peninsula facing the Japan Sea. It is about 5 km to the east from the center of Suzu-city.



CLIMATE AT THE JAMBOREE

The average temperature in August over the last 5 years was 25.3 centigrade (min. 14.7 centigrade, max. 34.8 centigrade) and the average rainfall is 94.7 mm. Littoral climate.

ELIGIBILITY & APPLICATION

The Jamboree programmes are designed for male/female Scouts aged 12-15. Venture/Senior Scouts aged 15-18 may take part in as the Service Corps. However, Scouts/Guides aged 15-18 from other National Scout/Guide Organizations are welcome to challenge the Jamboree programmes with younger Japanese Scouts.

Scouts/Guides and leaders from other countries must be registered as members of their own National Scout/Guide Organizations and their **application must be approved by their National Scout/Guide Organizations (Application Forms must be sent through their National Office).**

JAMBOREE FEE

The Jamboree Fee is ¥26,000- Japanese Yen (approx. US\$220.00 as of December 2005) per person.

Payment of the Jamboree fee is **due on 30 April 2006**, by bank draft/International money order payable to “Scout Association of Japan”, or bank transfer to the Scout Association of Japan, Account No. 4001756, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Mitaka Branch in Tokyo (SWIFT code: BOTKJPJT).

The fee covers rations for 16 meals starting from dinner on August 3 and programs during the camp. Other expenses, transportation from Narita/Kansai/Chubu International Airport or other ports of entry to the Jamboree site, and cost of touring Japan, excepting for the home hospitality period, are the responsibilities of participating overseas contingents.

ATTENDANCE (as of December 2005)

We have so far received more than 22,000 applications including some 600 overseas participants from 34 countries from all over the world as the followings;

Participants	
Scouts/Troop leaders	16,000
Venture Scout Service Corps/leaders	1,300
Contingent Staff of local Scout Councils	300
Sub-Camp HQ Team	1,080
J.H.Q Staff	1,500
Participants from overseas countries	600
Girl Guides/Scouts & others	1,220
Total	22,000

ORGANIZATION

The standard size of a Jamboree Troop is 32 Scouts and 8 leaders, 40 members in total. There are 9 Sub-Camps (SCs) in the Jamboree, each of which is operated under the responsibility of a Region of the Scout Association of Japan, with 44 Jamboree Troops, 2 Venture Scout Service Corps and Sub-Camp Headquarters (SHQ).

The Japanese Standard Troop consists of 1 Troop Leader, 2 Assistant Troop Leaders, 2 Junior Assistant Troop Leaders, 2 Assistant to Troop Leaders, 1 Senior Patrol Leader and 4 Patrols of 8 Scouts, 40 members in total.

Jamboree Headquarters (JHQ) composed of 13 Divisions is responsible for the over-all control and operation of the Jamboree. JHQ International Division will assist overseas contingents with the cooperation of SHQ International Sections.

Sub-Camp	SC-Colour	Scout Region	Prefectural Scout Councils
No. 1	Blue	Hokkaido-Tohoku	Hokkaido, Aomori, Iwate and Miyagi Akita, Yamagata and Fukushima
No. 2	Purple	Kanto	Ibaraki, Tochigi, Gumma and Tokyo
No. 3	Red	Kanto	Saitama, Chiba, Kanagawa and Yamanashi
No. 4	Dark Red	Chubu	Niigata, Toyama, Ishikawa, Fukui and Nagano
No. 5	Light Blue	Chubu	Gifu, Shizuoka, Aichi and Mie
No. 6	Dark Blue	Kinki	Shiga, Kyoto and Hyogo
No. 7	Green	Kinki	Nara Wakayama and Osaka
No. 8	Yellow	Chugoku-Shikoku	Tottori, Shimane, Okayama, Hiroshima, Yamaguchi, Tokushima , Kagawa, Ehime and Kochi
No. 9	Orange	Kyushu-Okinawa	Fukuoka, Saga, Nagasaki, Kumamoto Oita, Miyazaki, Kagoshima and Okinawa

SUB-CAMP ASSIGNMENT

There are 9 Sub-Camps of some 44 Jamboree Troops each. Overseas contingents are assigned to one of the Sub-Camps at the Jamboree by Troop/Group. Sizable contingents exceeding 40 people are requested to divide into more than 2 small groups for Sub-Camp assignment.

CAMP WITH HOST TROOPS BY TWOS

In a Sub-Camp, overseas Scouts will be assigned in pairs (2) to camp with Scouts of a Japanese host troop. Host Troops look after the overseas scouts. They cook, join various activities, perform routine

service work and sleep as part of their host Japanese Troop. Leaders are responsible for their Scouts, and they may serve at the Headquarters of their assigned Sub-Camp and/or serve at World Scout Center.

Overseas contingents are requested to send the paired Scout name-list to the Scout Association of Japan by 30 April 2006.

FOOD AND COOKING

Jamboree food issues commence with lunch on August 3, ending with lunch on August 8 with a total of 16 meals. The Jamboree menu and issued rations will be notified later.

Overseas contingents may get supplementary rations, such as rice, bread, milk, tea and meat on request. Special dietary requirements are available on advance request (Form II).

EQUIPMENT

Participants should bring personal camping equipment including sleeping bag, rain-wear, swimming trunks, eating kit and flash-light. Host Japanese Troops will arrange for tents, cooking utensils and other heavy camping equipment for the assigned overseas participants.

HOME HOSPITALITY

Before or after the Jamboree, overseas contingents will be offered home hospitality on request, for maximum of 3 days. Travel cost to and from the home hospitality area is responsibility of the overseas contingent.

TRAVEL INSIDE JAPAN

Every possible assistance in making your sightseeing tours pleasant and economical will be extended to overseas contingents.

Travel arrangement inside Japan is the responsibility of respective overseas contingents. The Scout Association of Japan is happy to assist all contingents, if they request in advance, for making arrangements for their tour.

SUGGESTED TOUR SCHEDULES

Aug. 3 (Thu)	Overseas Contingent arrive at the Jamboree site Opening Ceremony
Aug. 4 (Fri)	Selective Activities
Aug. 5 (Sat)	Religious Service & Jamboree Arena Show
Aug. 6 (Sun)	Selective Activities
Aug. 7 (Mon)	Selective Activities, Conservation Projects & Closing Ceremony
Aug. 8 (Tue)	Break camp and departure

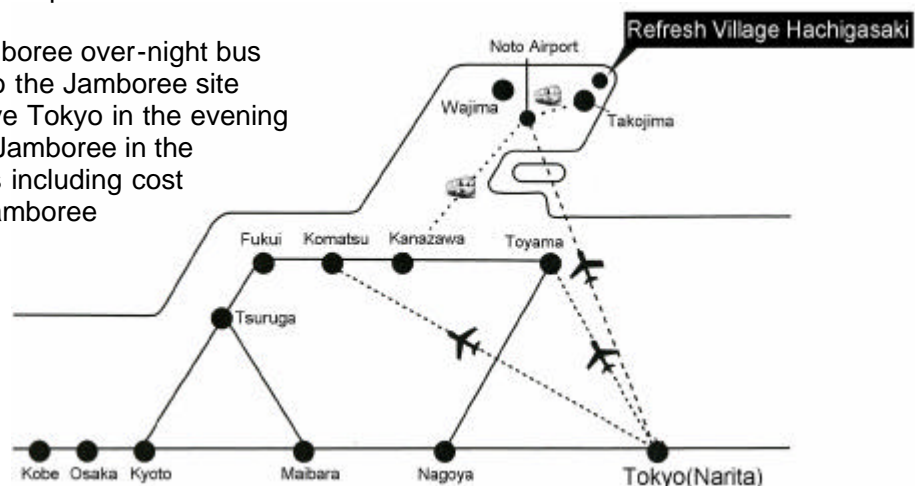
ACCESS TO JAMBOREE SITE

About 2.5 hours by car from the center of Kanazawa via Noto Toll Road.

About 3 hours by car from Komatsu Airport or Toyama Airport.

About 1 hour by car from Noto Airport.

For overseas contingent, Jamboree over-night bus will be arranged from Tokyo to the Jamboree site on request. The bus will leave Tokyo in the evening of 2 August and will arrive at Jamboree in the morning of 3 August. Details including cost will be informed in the next Jamboree Bulletin.



INTERNATIONAL SERVICE STAFF

As International Service Staff, individual leaders are invited to serve at JHQ or SHQs. These staff members must be nominated by their Scout/Guide Organizations as part of their National contingent to participate in a working capacity. Jamboree Fee is JYE26,000- per person.

SCHEDULE OF THE JAMBOREE

Day Time	Daily Program	(Thu) 3 Aug.	(Fri) 4 Aug.	(Sat) 5 Aug.	(Sun) 6 Aug.	(Mon) 7 Aug.	(Tue) 8 Aug.
05:30 06:00 07:00 08:30	Cook Rise All Rise Breakfast Flag Raising		- - - - - Duty Patrols only - - - - - - - - Camp Rise, Washing, Cleaning - - -				
09:00 11:00	Morning Activities	Contingents' Arrival	Selective Activities	Religious Service	Selective Activities	Selective Activities	Camp Breaking
12:00	Lunch & Quiet Time		- - - - - Lunch (Exchange Meals) - - - - -				
13:00 16:30	Afternoon Activities	Contingents' Arrival	Selective Activities	Selective Activities	Selective Activities	Clean-up & Conservation Activities	
17:30 18:00	Supper & Friendship Exchange	Registration Setting-in	- - - Friendship Exchange & Supper - - -				
19:00 21:00	Evening Activities	Opening Ceremony		Grand Arena Show		Closing Ceremony	
21:30 22:00	Patrol Meeting Lights out						

JAMBOREE PROGRAMME GUIDE

The Jamboree Programmes are classified into two major groupings: Whole-Camp Activities and Selective Activities. The Whole-Camp Activities are Opening Ceremony, Grand Arena Show and Closing Ceremony.

WHOLE CAMP ACTIVITIES

(1) Opening Ceremony

Opening Ceremony will be held on Thursday, August 3 at 18:30-21:00.

(2) Grand Arena Show

Grand Arena Show will be held on Saturday, 5 August at 18:30-21:00. Overseas contingents exceeding 20 people may be requested to prepare performance or display in parade style for 4-5 minutes. Programme officers in the assigned Sub-Camp will discuss with Contingent Leaders on the details.

(3) Closing Ceremony

Closing Ceremony on Monday 7 August at 18:30-21:00 is the official closing of the Jamboree.

SELECTIVE ACTIVITIES

Outline of the Selective Activities will be informed in the next Jamboree Bulletin.

WORLD SCOUT CENTER & NATIONAL EXHIBITION

A World Scout Centre includes the contingents' headquarters and their respective areas of exhibition on Scouting. The available facilities will be informed in the next Jamboree Bulletin.

Through visiting the World Scout Center, Scouts will be able to learn more about the cultures, the communities and the way of life of the participating countries. We hope that every participating National Scout Organization provide activities in order to represented in World Scout Center.

OTHER PROGRAMMES & INFORMATION

Welcome reception for heads of overseas contingents/group to be hosted by Jamboree President, will be held during the Jamboree.

NEXT JAMBOREE BULLETIN

Next Bulletin (No. 2) will be issued in April, which is including attendance, detail of selective activities, reception, postal address, menu and issued rations etc.

APPLICATION & INFORMATION

Please contact your National Scout/Guide Organization and ask them to get more detailed information from:

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